

Okehocking Nature Center

Location: Willistown, Pennsylvania
 Client: Willistown Township
 Size: 5.5 acres
 Cost: \$1 million sitework; \$600,000 Pavilion
 Status: 2007 to Present

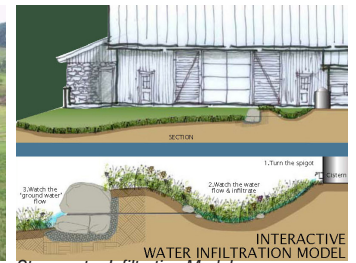
Okehocking Preserve is a 180-acre preserve providing passive recreation and over 5 miles of mown and wooded trails. The Willistown Conservation Trust partnered with the township on the acquisition of a portion of this property. The Township hired the design team to develop a plan that included shelter, restrooms, running water, parking, and improved access. The final plan calls for 47 parking spaces on porous pavement – a mixture of porous asphalt and grass pave, bus access for camp and school groups, a three season pavilion, and an accessible walk through a landscape that educates visitors by demonstrating ways in which they can transform their suburban homes and offices into rich ecosystems that heal and restore our native landscapes.



Pole Barn removed, land recontoured to create overlook gathering spaces.



OKEHOCKING PRESERVE
View of existing property.



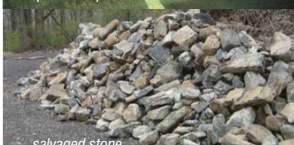
INTERACTIVE WATER INFILTRATION MODEL
Stormwater Infiltration Model.



Design session with key stakeholders.



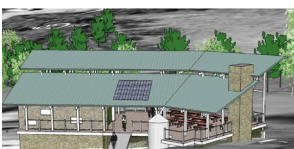
porous asphalt



salvaged stone



composting toilet salvaged timber
Green Technologies.



Computer Model of Pavilion.



Willistown's
OKEHOCKING NATURE CENTER

Illustrative plan

