



Carpenter Preserve 5-year Implementation Plan

Year Planned	Task
2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ash / dead tree removal Buckthorn mowing south trail Mow new trails as conditions allow Construct trail along top of the dike off of Pendleton Road Construct overlook platform at end of the dike trail Volunteer Trailer Plantings (S. Pendleton/City G) Construct (2) bridge crossings for southern trails 3 New Signs 3 info boards Sheep/Goats (6ac)
2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ash / dead tree removal Herbicide spraying Buckthorn removal Construct 10' gravel trail, ADA loop off play area heading north Construct bridge connection to west side of creek Sign @ Paintbrush Plantings Sheep / Goats (6ac) Widen mulch trails east of stream
2027	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ash / dead tree removal Buckthorn removal Herbicide spraying Plantings - sumac/pines Construct a new parking lot west of Town Hall off of Breezewood Lane Complete 10' gravel trail all the way to Breezewood Lane Construct (3) bridge connections as part of new trail
2028	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Construct a new gravel parking lot off G w/sign and info board Gravel existing drive off of hwy. G for continued maintenance access Gravel existing trail between Nature Trail Dr. and Pendleton Road Continue to mow new/existing trails within southern portion Begin boardwalk sections where required/needed Repair dam and add gravel trail along top Roundup field west of Town Hall
2029	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grade northwest field Plantings - Oak Savannah/prairie Construct (1) bridge connecting new trail and the existing parking east of Town Hall Continue to mow new/existing trails within northern portion Continue to install boardwalk within southern section Complete the elevated pond walk (if not done earlier as funds/grants/donors arise)
Elements that will continually be evaluated for implementation	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stream relocation to its original meandering path Stream bank enhancement & adventure crossing Elevated pond walk and overlooks Future restroom 	
<p><i>*See corresponding color on map for yearly improvement zones*</i> <i>*See Re-Master Plan, dated 03.18.2025, for specific program locations*</i></p>	