

## Riparian Restoration Demonstration

Before: mix of native species and exotic, invasive plants (e.g., fescue, honeysuckle, privet)



2003



Photos by Pat Parr (left), Mike Ryon (right)

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Site preparation: cut stumps, selectively sprayed herbicide

2003



Winter



Summer



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## Planted plugs of grasses and wildflowers

Summer 2003



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Mixed success: good growth of larger grass and wildflowers, but exotic invasives still a problem



Fall  
2003



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Expanded herbicide application on fescue field next to stream; followed by drilling native grass seed

May 2005



May 2006

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## Native grass becoming established

August 2007



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# Riparian Restoration Demonstration

## Native grass established

September 2008



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