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New York District

## ROGERS POND, NJ

### Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Project

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#### FACT SHEET

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**DESCRIPTION:** Rogers Pond is located in Franklin Township, Hunterdon County, New Jersey. It is a small body of water, utilized by local emergency assistance crews as a source of water for fire department trucks. Due to erosion of barriers around the banks, Rogers Pond is in danger of draining into nearby streams, leaving the Township and its thousands of residents without an adequate source of water in the event of fires. Franklin Township has undertaken a plan to dredge and construct Rogers Pond as a detention pond, and has raised local funds to undertake the project.

**AUTHORIZATION:** Section 206 (Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration) of the Water Resources Development Act of 1996, as amended (33 U.S.C. 2330).

**STATUS:** The Corps was authorized to begin the Preliminary Restoration Plan (PRP) phase in 2004. Funds were made available in this fiscal year to complete the PRP. A site visit was held on May 16, 2005 and the PRP has been finalized.

#### **STUDY COST:**

Estimated Preliminary Restoration Report phase: \$10,000

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