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Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2022

To: Lori Hruska (Consultant), MDOT;

Mohammed Turay, Montgomery Parks; Kit Gage, FOSSC; Cindy Dyballa , Takoma Park

Subject: MDOT SHA Service Request No. SR-0451076

Dear Ms. Hruska,

Thank you for your response on behalf of SHA. I want to point out that 1) the large rocks that were put at the top by the road and the slope leading down to the trail were moved by the force of rain in a large storm about a year after the construction was finished. 2) The ditch no longer exists as dirt has come down the slope and filled it in, so that water goes across the trail all of the time. The rain has also gouged a path from the trail down to the creek and if it erodes further, it will start taking out the trail. I don't know if this is SHA's responsibility or M-NCPPC, but it definitely needs attention on a priority basis.

I am copying Mohammed Turay, as he is head of the Park Maintenance unit in our area. I would like a response from whatever organization has jurisdiction over this problem, or if this is something that can be addressed by your two organizations.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sally Taber

cc: Kit Gage, Friends of Sligo Creek

Cindy Dyballa, City Council Member, City of Takoma Park