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Financial Report - FY2014

RIVERSIDE PARK CONSERVANCY

Beginning Balance 01/01/2014 \$ 3,304.50

2014 Revenue

Memberships\$ 420.00Personal donations1,685.00Corporate contributions680.00Foundation grants9,500.00Government grants1,775.00Program income623.90

Total 2014 Income \$14,683.90

2014 Expenditures

Insurance \$1,608.00
Project expenditures 5,695.50
Office expenses 115.40
Events 1,279.04
Bank/online fees 223.12

Total 2013 Expenditures \$8,921.06

Ending Balance 12/31/2014 \$ 9,067.34

RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY GARDEN

Beginning Balance 01/01/2014 \$ 270.12

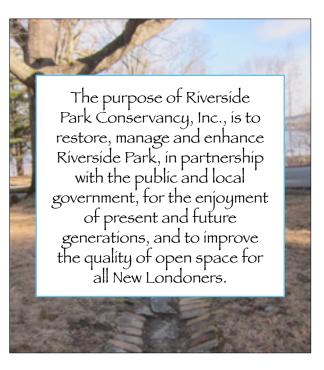
2014 Program fees \$ 250.00 Bank Interest .44

Balance 12/31/14 \$ 520.56

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A LOOK BACK AT 2014

Projects

Restroom Renovation

Thanks to grants from Community Foundation and New London Water Authority, RPC completed restoration of the park's upper restroom.



Landscaping for Clean Waterways

Because stormwater run-off is a source of pollution in the Thames River, RPC brought wholistic land care consultant Michael Nadeau to New London to visit 3 shoreline parks and to present a public workshop on best practices. A demonstration bioswale is planned for Greens Harbor park in 2015, with future projects envisioned for Riverside Park.



Picnic Areas

Two family picnic areas have been developed near the park entrance on Adelaide Street, and one more will be installed in spring 2015 in the upper park. The project was made possible through the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program.

Partnerships

Riverside Community Garden

In 2014, the community garden was enhanced, as attractive fencing and water service were installed, thanks to FRESH New London. In addition, fruit trees were planted along the fence. Expansion to 48 beds is planned for the 2015 gardening season.



Youth & Community Service Projects

Riverside Park Conservancy partnered with youth from Connecticut College, US Coast Guard Academy, Drop-In Learning and local Boy Scouts to implement a variety of projects in Riverside Park.



Riverside Park Conservancy is a community-based non-profit organization and is not part of city government. Recognized as a public charity under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, contributions are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.

Events

Saturday, May 3
MAYDAY! MAYDAY! Community Service Day

Sunday, June 8
Connecticut Trails Day NATURE WALK
exploring Winthrop Cove Park

Saturday, September 13
4th Annual "DOWN BY THE RIVERSIDE" Festival



Saturday, October 18
"SCENES FROM RIVERSIDE PARK"
Reception for Plein Air Paintings

