MARK WILCOX

Principal | Registered Landscape Architect, Colorado | ASLA

EDUCATION

B. of Landscape Architecture, Kansas State University, 1994

MOST NOTABLE WORK

Sun Valley Community Park/ Weir Gulch & South Platte River Confluence

DHM Design in partnership with ICON Engineering developed a master plan for park and drainage improvements that looked at improving river access and creating a community amenity for the City of Denver at the confluence of Weir Gulch & the South Platte River. Upon approval of a master plan concept, the design team will continue to develop designs for bidding purposes in seeing the vision for the corridor fully implemented. The master plan improved river access, developed water quality solutions, created a safe environment, promotes outdoor recreation, and developed social gathering areas. The park is to become a restored natural open space park that utilizes low water landscapes and natural materials that engages the community and educates them about the natural world around us. The project is one of 5 major projects along the Platte River identified by the City of Denver and The Greenway Foundation as part of the River Revitalization Improvement Plan.

Sand Creek Trail

2001 CCASLA Merit Award and Land Stewardship Designation

Mark assisted with master plan development that looked at trail alignment alternatives, right-of-way and easement acquisition, implementation strategies. This work continued with the development of the master plan into conceptual designs and construction documents. The Sand Creek Trail corridor is over 6 miles in length.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

National Trails Symposium, Little Rock Arkansas; 2008

Parks & Recreation Experience

Sun Valley Community Park; Denver, CO Sun Valley Children's Play Environment; Denver, CO Vanderbilt/ Johnson-Habitat Parks; Denver, CO South Platte River Vision Corridor Committee: Denver, CO Green Valley Ranch Neighborhood Parks; Denver, CO Mary Carter Greenway Trailhead at South Platte River and Oxford Avenue: Denver, CO Bear Creek Lake Park: Lakewood, CO Christopher Fields, Westminster, CO Reunion Park, Athletic Fields; Commerce City, CO Second Creek Greenway Trails Master Plan; Commerce City, Denver, Brighton, and Aurora, CO Rhyolite Community Park; Castle Rock, CO Matney Neighborhood Park; Castle Rock, CO Central Park at the Farm; Arapahoe County, CO Legacy Pavilion & Community Park Master Plan; Commerce City, CO Creekside Park at the Farm; Arapahoe County, CO Sand Creek Wetland Park and Trailhead; Commerce City, CO Dahlia Trailhead; Commerce City, CO Pioneer Park; Commerce City, CO Adams County Open Space Parks; Adams County, CO Morrison Trail; Morrison, CO Bear Creek Trail; Evergreen, CO

Mark's passion lies in his sketching ability. Through pencil and paper he is able to communicate to clients that the design idea is possible. He has been involved in a variety of projects; planning and designing athletic fields, parks, trails, public facilities and residential communities. Mark's contributions to DHM showcase his many diverse talents from managing projects to creating beautiful color renderings, planning and designing parks, trails and greenways and understanding the technical aspect of implementing these designs. His outstanding abilities have led to DHM's success with the award-winning Sand Creek Greenway.



