



CAMDEN-COLLEGE CORNER ROAD REALIGNMENT & FOUR MILE CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT

The Preble County Engineer's Office has proposed the replacement of the bridge on Camden-College Corner Road (CR 24) over Four Mile Creek within Hueston Woods State Park. The roadway would also be realigned from Hedge-Row Rd. to Buck Paxton Rd. to increase the sight distance in this section of roadway and place the proposed covered bridge on CR 24 over Four Mile Creek. This project is bordered by Hueston Woods State Park, specifically, Quarry Picnic Area, the Group Camping Area, Class B Campground, and a ball field. As part of the project, permanent strip right-of-way will be needed from the park along the north side of CR 24, particularly from the Group Camping Area and Quarry Picnic Area. Temporary right-of-way will also be needed from these areas as well as the south side of the existing roadway for grading and access road extensions. In mitigation for this property acquisition, shoulders will be graded for future paths/walks by others (*shown below in red*). This grading will be on all sides of the project and connect from the Group Camping Area to the Quarry Picnic Area and from the Campground Access Drive to Hedge-Row Rd. Along with this, a new parking lot will be constructed for the Group Camping Area (*shown in blue below*) and the Campground alternative access point will be extended (*shown in green below*). The location of the proposed improvements is highlighted in red in the above Hueston Woods State Park Map, revised October 2009 by the park. Comments concerning the proposed park acquisition may be directed to Mr. Andrew J. Fluegemann, P.E., ODOT District 8 Acting Planning Administrator/DEC at (513) 933-6597 or Mr. Kyle Cross, P.E., Chief Deputy, Preble County Engineer's Office at (937) 456-4600. Comments will be received until **June 7, 2010**.

