

Handshake Partnership Program Report - FY 2009 Recipients

1. Name of Corps Project/Lake: Jennings Randolph Lake

2. Handshake Project Name: Handicap Pond Project

3. What has been accomplished? Please provide photographs; before, during, and after!:
Access has been provided to an existing pond in the Robert W. Craig Campground that has been made handicap accessible. A handicap fishing pier and restricted handicap parking area has also been constructed.

	Total
Handshake Program Funding Amount	\$5,500
Local Corps Office Funds (total expended on labor, materials, contracts, etc.)?	\$1,400
Partner's Contributions (total value of funds, goods, services, volunteer hours, etc.)	
Partners Name	Total Value of Contributions
1 Kalbaugh Construction Company	\$7,500
2 Carl Belt Paving	\$2,000
3	\$
4	\$
5	\$
6	\$

4. Handshake Program Recipient Feedback

Please take this opportunity to provide feedback on all aspects of the Handshake Program and the Challenge Partnership Agreement authority. Your productive comments are important to the ongoing improvement of the program. Make sure to let us know how the Handshake funds have benefited your efforts to initiate and/or strengthen your partnerships.

A. Comments About Handshake Program: The Handshake Funds provided the additional Corps revenue required to initiate and carry the project through to completion. The Handshake Award represented 38.2% of the total project cost, which is significant and provided the incentive to submit the proposal for consideration. The overwhelming success of this project provides the impetus to attempt another such endeavor in the very near future.

B. Comments About Challenge Partnership Agreement: The agreement though lengthy, forced us to focus more on details and responsibility assignments that helped the project flow very smoothly. The agreement eliminated any miscommunication issues that could have arisen

during the construction. The agreement also provided us with all of the information that we needed when approaching potential contactors.

C. Recommendations: Highly recommend the program continue in it's present form and allow everyone the benefit of taking advantage of it.

Handicap Pond Clearing and Construction



First Thing Was to Find The Pond



Brush and Small Tree Removal



Donated Mulch For Shoreline



Heavier Clearing By Contractor



Surface Remodeling



Heavy Work Is Finished

Pond Dedication and Ribbon Cutting



Opening Comments by OPM



Brief History Of Pond



Ribbon Cutting Ceremony