

Why is the lake so shallow?

You may have noticed there is not much water in Wildwood Lake. The sediment filled waters of Paxton Creek slow after they enter Wildwood Lake and the sediment drops to the bottom of the lake. Over the decades, the lake has gone from an average of 4 feet deep to about 3 inches deep.

Dauphin County Parks and Recreation Department owns and manages Wildwood Park. Recently, the Parks Department, with support from Friends of Wildwood, submitted a Growing Greener Plus grant application to obtain funding to help address this problem.

We value your opinion about the future of Wildwood Lake! Please share your thoughts by emailing wwstaff@dauphinc.org

