

FORESTED RIPARIAN BUFFERS

Forested riparian buffers are the natural areas with trees, shrubs and plants that grow on the land next to streams and rivers. These areas or forested buffers prevent pollution from entering waterways, stabilize the stream banks, provide food and habitat to wildlife and keep streams and rivers cool during hot weather.



Application

These buffers are typically used as preservation areas and vary in size.

Additional Resources

Please see the links below for more information regarding the following:

[Riparian Buffer Minimum Standards](#) 

[Fact Sheet:](#)

[A&M AgriLife Extension: Forested Riparian Buffer](#) 

[Maintenance:](#)

The purpose of these buffers is to maintain natural areas. Any maintenance activities should be limited to allowed activities within conservation easement type areas.

Photos: Forested Riparian Buffers – Image Results (Public Images)/Background: City of Corinth