

# BRING ENO RIVER STATE PARK TO DOWNTOWN HILLSBOROUGH



## Eno River Bend parcel

### PROPOSED Archaeological Conservancy

- 20 acres
- Contains remains of four known early settlements dating back to A.D. 1000, including an Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation village
- Contains portion of Riverwalk greenway and N.C. Mountains-to-Sea Trail

## 200+ acre parcel

### PROPOSED Eno River State Park

- Historic Occaneechee Speedway Trail, with the only surviving dirt track from NASCAR's inaugural 1949 season
- James M. Johnston State Dedicated Nature Preserve
- Remaining 6% is zoned Light Industrial, and could become the location for state park facilities



### **Together, these properties contain:**

- 2.8 miles of river and tributary frontage
- 4+ miles of walking trails
- 2 historical features listed on the National Registry of Historical Places: Occaneechee Speedway and Downtown Hillsborough

- Locations of the earliest known settlements along the Eno River
- 14 known rare plant & animal elements including the federally threatened Neuse River Waterdog and the state endangered Yellow Lampmussel and Mottled Duskywing

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