



**Town of Yorkshire, NY - Riverine Erosion
Planning Assistance to States**

Section 22 of the Water Resources Development Act of 1974, as amended
General Investigations

Location

- The town of Yorkshire is located 30 miles south of the city of Buffalo
- Cattaraugus Creek forms the natural boundary between Erie and Cattaraugus Counties

Project Description

- Study would be conducted to evaluate the erosion areas along Cattaraugus Creek
- The goal of the study would be to identify future erosive areas of Cattaraugus Creek to assist the town in formulating future planning and zoning codes
- Study is cost shared on a 50% Federal and 50% non-Federal basis

Importance

- Study request made in response to a home which was on the verge of collapsing into Cattaraugus Creek

Consequences

- Without this report, the town of Yorkshire will not be able to revise zoning and planning codes which could negatively impact future development

Project Phase	Est. Fed. Cost of Phase	Federal Funding Thru FY14	FY15 Requirement	FY15 Budget	FY16 Requirement	FY16 Budget
Planning Assistance	\$100k	\$0	\$100k	\$0	\$100k	\$0

Project Sponsor/Customer

- Town of Yorkshire through a Letter of Request in 2007

Congressional Interests

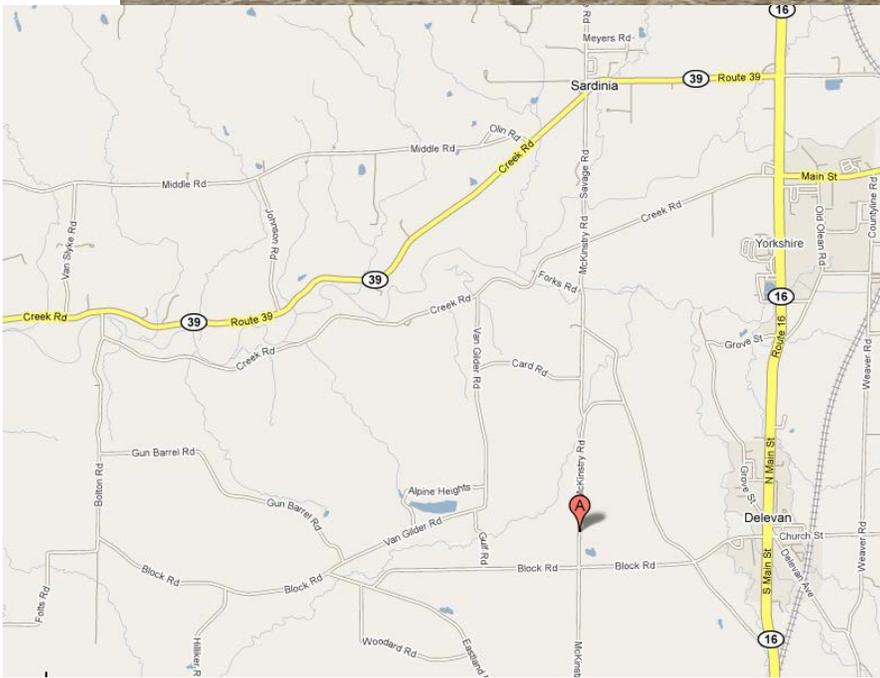
- Representative Chris Collins R-NY-27
- Senator Charles Schumer D-NY
- Senator Kirsten Gillibrand D-NY

Current Status

- This study has not been initiated

Issues

- Limited funding in this program has been inefficient to initiate new projects



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