

# NATURAL AREAS – WINTER MANAGEMENT

Winter management works have begun in the following areas:

Ojibway Park  
Spring Garden Natural Area  
Black Oak Heritage Park  
Tallgrass Prairie Heritage Park

These works include:

- Prescribed burn break creation - This video explains how and why these burn breaks are created:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QpVwVJD8XSk>
- Prescribed burning (as weather permits)
- Invasive woody species removal
- Herbicide treatment of invasive woody species
- Unauthorized trail closures

Please respect fencing, “no access” and “closed for regeneration” signs, and remain on designated trails (By-law 131-2019).

Treefall which is not on a designated trail is intentionally left to decompose and enrich the soil as well as assist in the regeneration of the habitat. Please do not disturb these areas (By-law 131-2019).

Please feel free to call or email with any questions or concerns.

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