



**FARMERS
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MEMORANDUM

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To: Municipal Drainage Advisory Committee

From: Public Works

Date: 1/20/2026

Subject: Reach 4 update

Background

In June 2019, Freese and Nichols presented the 2018 Farmers Branch Creek Study project prioritization list to City Council. Based on identified erosion repair needs, City Council directed staff to proceed with design and construction using a "reach" approach, grouping projects within defined sections of the creek.

The Reach 4 project addresses erosion and bank stability along Farmers Branch Creek between N. Sunbeck Circle and Veronica Circle and is associated with project site FC2-Alt2 from the 2018 study.

On January 4, 2022, City Council approved a professional services agreement with Nathan D. Maier Consulting Engineers, Inc. for the design of Reach 4 improvements. Final plans were received on March 14, 2025, allowing the project to proceed to bid.

Stoic Civil Construction was selected as the contractor, with a Notice to Proceed issued on July 28.

Progress so far

This project is currently under construction and is 80-90% complete with substantial completion of the gabion structures on both sides of the creek. Construction is currently expected to be completed by the end of February.