## **Bioretention Garden and**

## **Nature Area Project**

We are pleased to announce that Red Hill Borough has received a 2019 Montco 2040 Implementation Grant for the their Bioretention Garden and Nature Area. The grant, aimed at implementing the county comprehensive plan, Montco 2040: A Shared Vision, is one of fifteen recently awarded by the Montgomery County Commissioners.

Red Hill Borough will install a bioretention garden on vacant County land in close proximity to Green Lane Reservoir & Park and its day use area. The project will repair eroded embankments, reduce sediment run-off, re-stabilize soils with deep rooted plantings, improve the quality of stormwater, and serve as an educational demonstration project. The project provides tremendous benefit to the local community in the form of an educational, recreational, and aesthetic amenity. Any future trails constructed through Green Lane Reservoir and Park could utilize the site as a trail-head.

Montco 2040 Grant Award: \$122,740

Visit <u>www.montcopa.org/Montco2040GrantProgram</u> for more on the grant program and to see all of the grant recipients.