

Clark County, Illinois Trails & Greenways *Vision Plan 2006*

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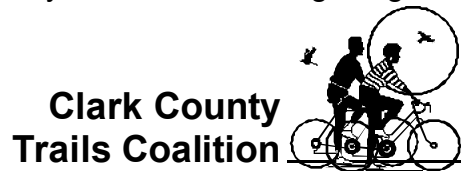
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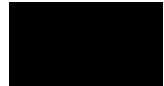
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