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**County of Cook and State of Illinois**

**Wright Biology Class Recognized  
For Service Learning Project**

**THE CHANCELLOR**

**REPORTS** that Environmental Biology students in Professor Kurt Leslie's classes have engaged in an on-going service learning project in the Miami Woods Forest Preserve located along the North Branch of the Chicago River. Participants in this project spend their class laboratory time learning about environmental issues by working in the woods. Their work includes removing dumped waste materials, cutting back brush, and working to restore a six acre prairie site to its natural state.

that for their efforts the students and Professor Leslie were recognized by the North Branch Restoration Project. The award announcement notes that "This work has benefitted not only the Miami Woods Forest Preserve, but the ecosystem of the North Branch watershed and the larger system of natural areas that constitute the Chicago Wilderness bioreserve."

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson  
Chancellor

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