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## Survey work is underway in the Woods



Orange survey markings have appeared in the Olmsted Woods

**Have you noticed orange survey markers in the Olmsted Woods?** Lovers of the Woods have been concerned that they indicate a plan to build on this dedicated five-acre urban forest. Quite the contrary! All Hallows Guild's 1998-2008 project of Woods preservation and erosion control was successful in addressing water runoff, soil compaction, and tree degradation, but it must be a continuing effort.





A survey marker near the ravine in the Olmsted Woods

**This current topographical survey will be followed by a tree survey,** identifying and assessing tree conditions and including a plan for long-term care of the trees. We expect to upgrade our water control devices and adopt systems for



tracking water flow.



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**All Hallows Guild is dedicated to preserving this precious woodland** refuge as a habitat for natural flora and fauna and as a peaceful oasis for human visitors.





Another type of orange marker (indicating Autumn) in the Woods