

Silver Creek flows through part of Wayne County and only joins the Huron River at the freshwater estuary near Lake Erie. The estuary provides important fish and wildlife habitat for a diversity of species. The creek has a narrow watershed that begins in New Boston, just south of Detroit Metro Airport and flows through residential and urban areas of Brownstown, Flat Rock and Rockwood, with a lovely section (pictured below) cutting around the Flat Rock Community Center. The Silver Creek watershed only drains about 8 square miles of land that ranges from rural residential and wooded to heavy industrial in the I-75 corridor.



Silver Creek flows into the Huron River at its mouth, near Lake Erie. Silver's Creek watershed is highlighted above.

The creek has been severely altered by channel straightening and the addition of impervious surfaces like roads and roofs. Impervious surface is hard on streams because it prevents rain from being filtered and cleaned through the soil and, instead, delivers it quickly to the stream, carrying pollutants and causing surging flows that damage the stream habitat and biotic community. which causes rapid flows and erosion during rain storms. The erosive flows also undermine and rip out trees and other riparian vegetation.





Silver Creek Ale

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20 lbs of Michigan cherries.....8% ABV..... Cheers!

Head brewer Logan Schaedig has brewed us up a batch of tempting Silver Creek Ale. This slightly tart beverage should be perfect for our shortening summer days!

Logan started working at ABC five years ago and has since worked his way up the ranks to Head Brewer. A year and a half ago Logan built a brewery in Ecuador from scratch. He helped build the kiln, bar, and tanks, while learning to malt his own barley. Noting, "I just want to brew beer all over the world", he is excited to help with ABC's India project– an expansion of Arbor Brewing Company to all the way around the world!



Brewers of Arbor Brewing Company: Logan Schaedig, Head Brewer, Mike Moroney, Senior Brewer; ;
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