

# Strides Forward

In 1994, Hedeon joined Mike Fremont and Robin Corathers to found the Mill Creek Restoration Project under the auspices of the conservation group Rivers Unlimited. To educate the public about the stream and its potential to benefit the community, the new organization began by publishing Hedeon's first book, *The Mill Creek: An Unnatural History of an Urban Stream*. Since its inception, the project has focused on the restoration of the Mill Creek and its banks, construction of streamside trails, transformation of derelict properties bordering the waterway, revitalization of Cincinnati's neighborhoods adjacent to the creek, and

