

# Advancing Multiple Municipal Objectives through the Combined Sewer Overflow Permit

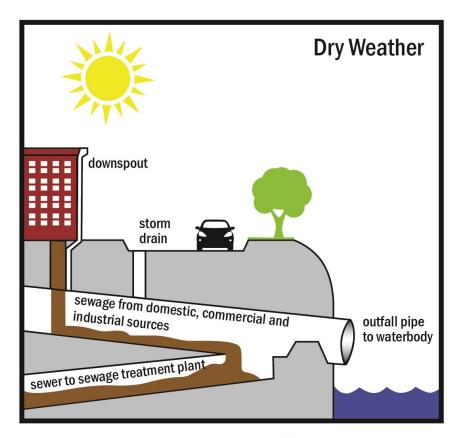
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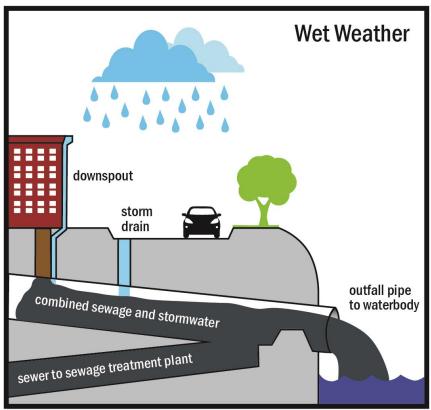
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#### Outline

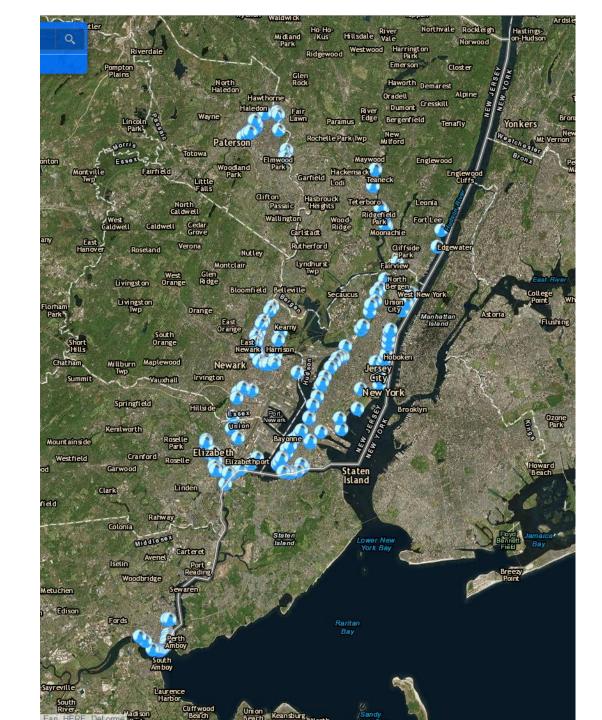
- I. CSO Basics
- II. Highlight of the Permit
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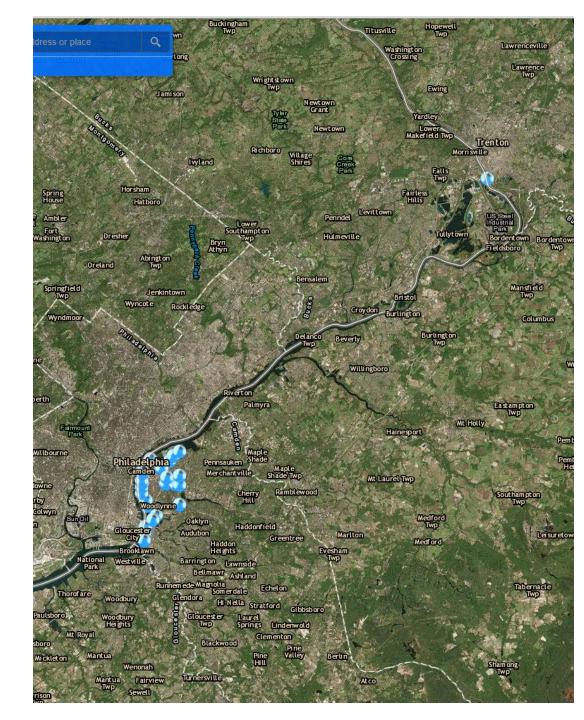
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# "THE ECONOMIC IMPACT AND FINANCING OF INFRASTRUCTURE SPENDING"

College of William & Mary, Thomas Jefferson Program in Public Policy

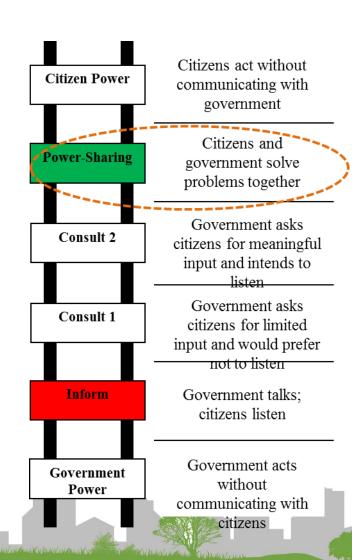
Over a 20 year period, spending \$1 on highways and streets results in \$0.35 in total tax revenue; \$1 spent on sewer and water produced \$2.03 in tax revenue.

"relative scarcity of spending in these areas of late means that future spending will lead to increased economic benefit"



## **Highlights of the Permit: Long Term Control Plan**

- 1. System Characterization
  - System Characterization Work Plan
  - System Characterization Report
  - Public Participation Process Plan
  - Consideration of Sensitive Areas Information
- Development and Evaluation of Alternatives
- Selection and Implementation of Alternatives



## **Highlights of the Permit: Long Term Control Plan**

#### **CSO Control Alternatives**

- 1. Green Infrastructure
- 2. Increased storage capacity in the collection system
- 3. Expansion and/or storage at the sewage treatment plant
- 4. Infiltration and Inflow reduction
- 5. Sewer separation
- 6. Treatment of the CSO discharge
- 7. CSO related bypass of the secondary treatment portion of the Sewage Treatment Plant

## **Highlights of the Permit: Nine Minimum Controls**

**Example of Current Sign** 

**Example of Previous Sign** 





#### **Advancing Multiple Municipal Objectives**

# Leverage what you are already doing & accelerate what you may hope to do

**REUSE OF ABANDONED LOTS** 

REDUCE LOCALIZED FLOODING

**IMPROVING WALKABILITY** 

**PUBLIC OUTREACH** 

**URBAN GARDENING** 

LOCALIZED JOB CREATION

INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADES

WATERERONT ACCESS

TRAFFIC CALMING

PARK DEVELOPMENT

**BIKEABILITY** 

REDEVELOPMENT

**RESILIENCY** 

**PUBLIC ART** 

STREET SCAPES

WATER CONSERVATION

REDUCING HEAT ISLAND EFFECT



### **Upgrading Infrastructure to support Redevelopment**



**Boundaries:** Bounded by Union County College to the west, Amtrak rail line to the south and east, and Westfield Avenue to the north.

#### PURPOSE

Through controlled redevelopment the City will realize the maximum potential for commercial and residential development in this key "center city" area. It may also provide an opportunity to provide senior housing. It will produce jobs especially in the office/service-sector.

Finally, it will create a positive impact on the entire CBD by improving the City's visual image, providing additional amenities for residents, shoppers, and workers and maintaining and enhancing environmental quality.

## **Waterfront Access**



## **Community Greening**



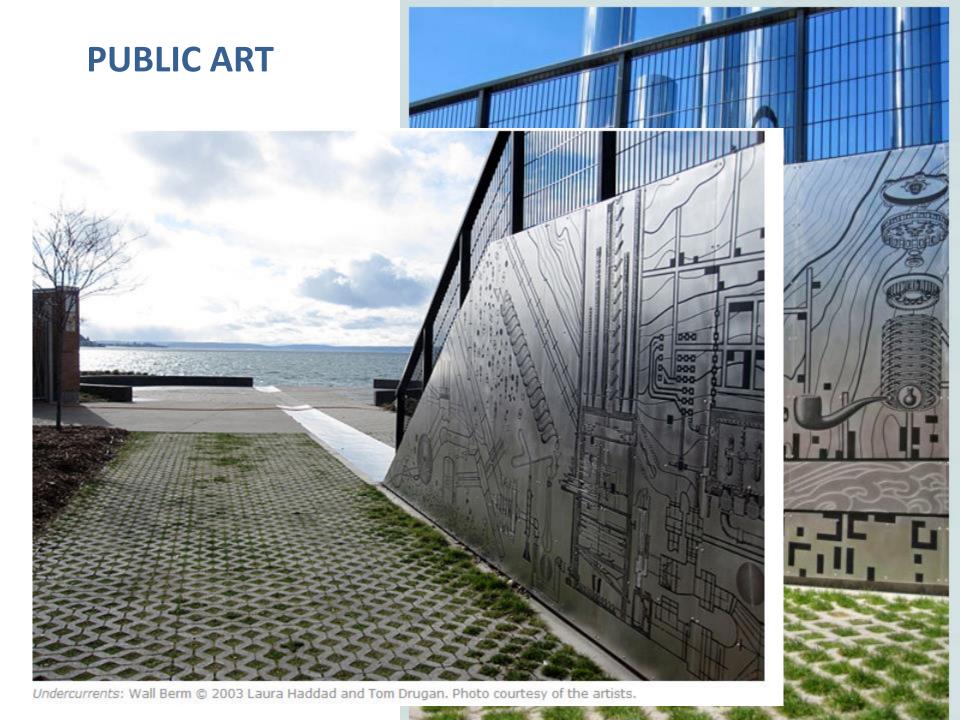
### **Community Gardening**



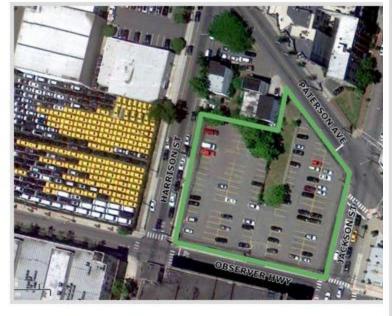
The Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission (PVSC) completed a green infrastructure demonstration project behind School 5 on Monday morning installing a 2,500-gallon cistern that will collect rainwater from a nearby roof for use in watering vegetation at the Elysian Fields Community Garden.

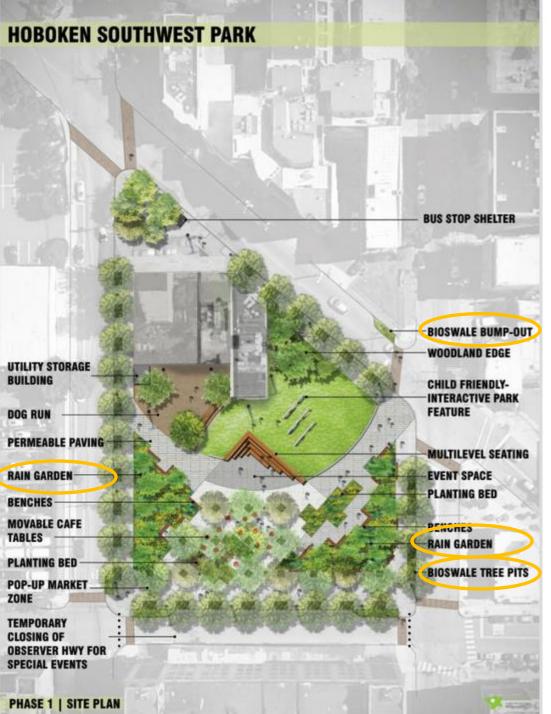
## **Reducing Localized Flooding**





## **Park Development**





**LOCAL JOBS** 

#### **District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority**

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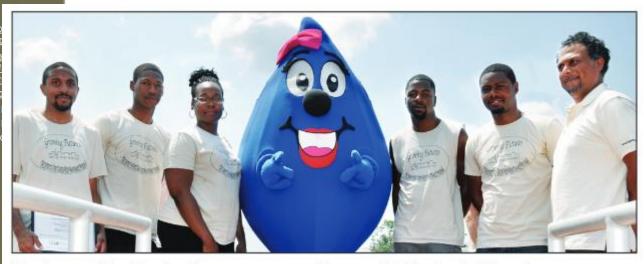
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Graduates of the Growing Futures program celebrate with Wendy the Waterdrop.

#### Program Overview

The objectives of DC Water Works! include:

- A targeted campaign to advertise DC Water jobs to local residents
- ▶ Collaboration with District job training and apprenticeship programs
- Coordinated and incentive-based program to encourage DC Water contractors to interview and hire additional District residents

#### **LOCAL JOBS**



## Philadelphia Water and PowerCorpsPHL: 'Perfect Pipeline' for Green Jobs

Jun 3, 2015 posted in <u>PowerCorpsPHL</u>



Philadelphia Water Commissioner Howard Neukrug and Philadelphia Water Environmental Scientist Alex Warwood with PowerCorpsPHL workers..





#### Lucy Diggs Slov

@LucyTBM

Youngest TBM. Sister to @ and @NannieTBM. #Bloom Locavore.

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**Community Engagement** 



DC Water @dcwater - Oct 12

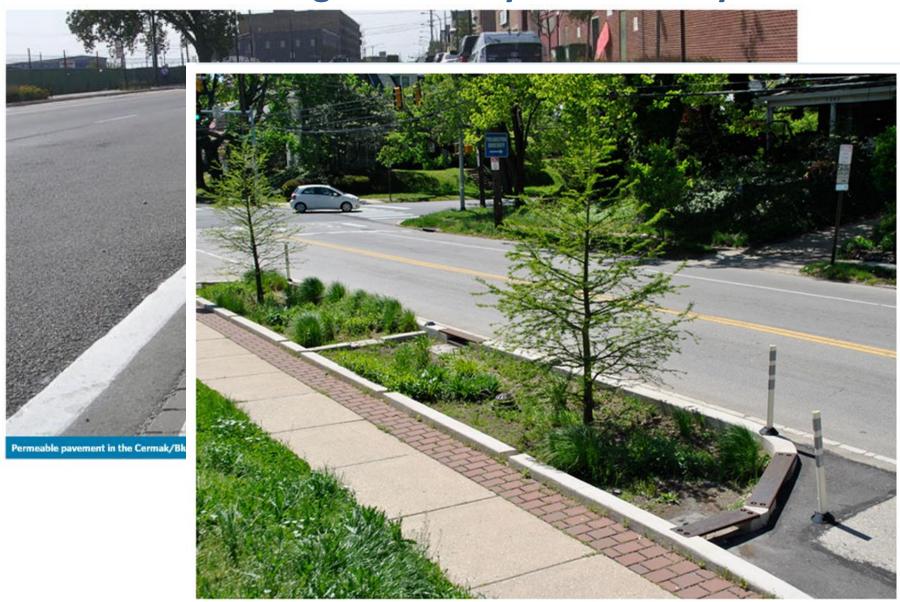
# Come see what the #PoopToPower buzz

DC Water @dcwater - Sep 30

Ahead of the #TSJoaquin, help us mitigate flooding by reporting clogged catch basins. dcwater.com /report\_problem/



## **Increasing Walkability & Bikeability**



#### **TAKE-AWAYS**

Think about what goals your municipality is trying to achieve and how they can support the Long Term Control Plan.

Think about how the Long Term Control Plan can help advance other municipal and community goals.

State and Federal partners are here to support you in linking your goals to the CSO Long Term Control Plan.

