

# Low Impact Development

The Ultimate Best Management Practice for Storm Water!



# Sustainability

• FACT: 71% of the earth is covered in water

Only 3% is fresh water



- FACT: 2/3 of water on earth is frozen in the polar ice caps
  - That leaves us 1% of the entire amount of water available on earth for us to use, cleanup, and reuse!
- Due to the amount and nature of the pollutants, it is becoming more difficult to treat the water we have
  - More people = more pollution!
- Non-Point Source pollution is the greatest threat to our water supply
  - Examples include: sediment, litter, yard waste, pet waste, fertilizer, herbicides, pesticides, vehicle and equipment washing, vehicle fluid drips, etc.

### Principles of Storm Water Management

- Plan first
- Prevent, then mitigate
- Minimize the disturbance
- Manage storm water as a resource, not as a waste
- Mimic the natural water cycle
- Disconnect, decentralize, distribute
- Integrate natural systems
- Maximize multiple benefits
- Make maintenance a priority



# Green Lawn Care Management Techniques



- Landscape with native trees, plants, grasses, and flower species.
  - A native lawn reduces or eliminates the need for lawn chemicals.
- Test the soil for nutrient deficiencies before using fertilizers.
- Read labels on lawn chemicals carefully and always apply products sparingly.
  - Using extra product does not provide extra benefit.
  - Allow proper drying time for liquid chemicals, and never use lawn chemicals before a heavy rainfall is expected.

### Low Impact Development

- Modeled after nature
- Manage rainfall at the source
- Allows for greater development potential, while creating fewer environmental impacts
- Use multiple methods for a multi-layered approach

Helps to achieve a better balance between nature and

development



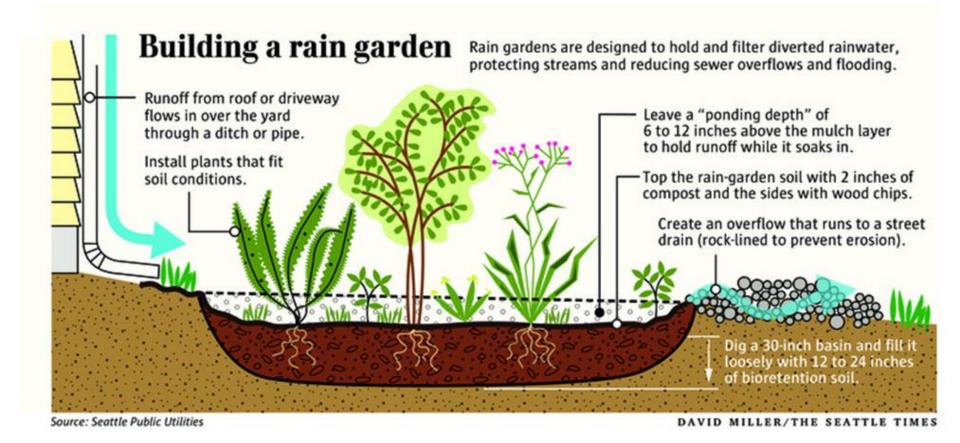


#### Rain Garden

- Rain gardens can be an inexpensive, simple, and environmentally sound solution to urban storm water runoff.
- Properly designed, rain gardens can provide many potential benefits:
  - Increase beneficial insects that eliminate pest insects
  - Filter runoff pollution
  - Recharge local groundwater
  - Conserve water
  - Improve water quality
  - Protect rivers and streams
  - Remove standing water in your lawn
  - Reduce mosquito breeding
  - Reduce potential of home flooding
  - Create habitat for birds & butterflies
  - Survive drought seasons
  - Reduce garden maintenance
  - Enhance sidewalk appeal
  - Increase garden enjoyment



# Rain Garden design



#### Rain Barrel/Cistern

- Connect rain gutter downspouts to device
- Utilize collected water for irrigation
  - Can save up to 40% of average water bill expense for irrigation







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#### Rain Barrel Event

Recycle the Rain



Central Oklahoma Storm Water Alliance

Member Organizations

City of Bethany
City of Choctaw
City of Del City
City of Edmond
Town of Jones
City of Midwest City
City of Moore
City of Mustang
City of Norman
City of Oklahoma City
City of Yukon

A rain barrel promotes conservation and saves you money on water bills by harvesting rain water for your garden

#### **Using Rain Barrel Water**

- Water your flowers, trees, shrubs, and lawn
- Wash your car
- Rinse tools or muddy boots
- Wash house windows

#### Advantages

- Saves money
- Helps reduce stormwater pollution
- Conserves water resources
- Better for plants and gardens

Online orders must be received by the Sunday prior to the pickup date

#### **2019 Pickup Events and Locations**

Bring Order Confirmation to Pickup Event

Yukon (405) 354-6676 1035 Industrial Drive, Yukon March 8<sup>th</sup>

Edmond (405) 359-4763 2012 Old Timbers Drive, Edmond March 9<sup>th</sup>

Norman (405) 329-2524 668 E. Lindsey Street, Norman April 5<sup>th</sup> and April 6<sup>th</sup>

Midwest City (405) 739-1040 8726 SE 15th Street, Midwest City April 26<sup>th</sup> and April 27<sup>th</sup>

Oklahoma City (405) 297-1797 1621 S. Portland, Oklahoma City May 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>

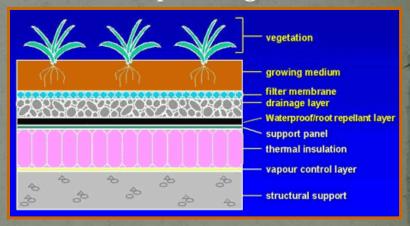
For online orders and additional information www.upcycle-products.com



#### Green Roof

- Reduces impervious surfaces
- Multilayered construction:
  - Vegetative layer
    - Utilize drought-tolerant, low-maintenance plantings
  - Growth media
  - Geotextile layer (waterproof)
  - Synthetic drain (overflow)
  - Support structure
- Extends roof life
- Reduces building's energy costs



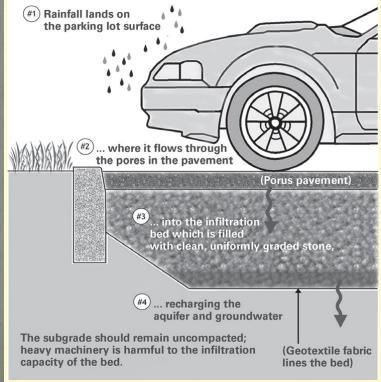




#### Porous Pavement

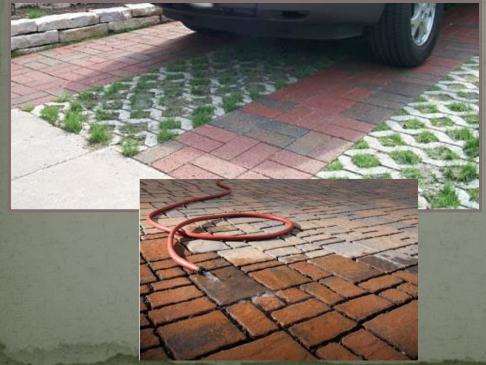
- Concrete or Asphalt, designed for water to drain through with up to 25% porosity
- Reduces the volume of runoff





# Permeable Pavers/Paving Systems

- Space between pavers, allowing rain water to soak in
  - Reduces runoff
  - Reduces pollution
- Support structure for grass/gravel systems





www.invisiblestructures.com www.belgard.com

#### Grass Swale

- Flexible and inexpensive.
- Function to reduce runoff velocity, filter sediment and pollutants, allow for greater infiltration, and reduce erosion potential.





#### Soil Amendment

- Improves infiltration and retention of storm water runoff
- Can use as part of a multilayered approach
- Reduces erosion potential
- Natural, fibrous amendments/additions to soil are
  - most effective:
    - Peat Moss
    - Wood Chips
    - Tree Bark
    - Straw, etc.







# Alternative BMP Options

Nifty Gizmos and Useful Tools That You May Not Have Heard Of Before Today!

#### Storm Drain Inserts

www.inletfilters.com

www.dawginc.com

www.newpig.com

www.absorbentsonline.com

www.suntreetech.com

www.biocleanenvironmental.com

www.unitedstormwater.com

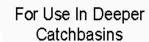
www.thebmpstore.com

www.kristar.com









The Round Basket Optimizes the Fit Through the Manhole

Coarse Sieve Screen

Medium Sieve Screen -Fine Sieve Screen



Water Flow

#### Curb Inlet Screen Covers









www.unitedstormwater.com www.suntreetech.com www.biocleanenvironmental.com

# Hydrodynamic Separator

Hydroguard

- Stormwater quality control trash, debris, sediment, and hydrocarbon removal.
- Inlet and outlet protection.
- Pretreatment for filtration, detention/infiltration, bioretention, rainwater harvesting, and Low Impact Development designs.
- Maintenance can be accomplished using a vacuum truck.

www.forterrabp.com

www.rinkerstormceptor.com

www.contech-cpi.com

www.kristar.com



### Filtration Systems

Jellyfish Filter Manhole



www.imbriumsystems.com

Bioretention Filtration Systems



www.filterra.com www.contech-cpi.com/stormwater/13 www.biocleanenvironmental.com

# Downspout Filtration

- Roof Runoff Filter
  - 10 year warranty
  - In-Line Design
  - High Treatment Flow Rate
  - High Bypass Flow Rate
    - Performance:
      - 93% removal of TSS
      - 87% removal of hydrocarbons
  - Media available to remove:
    - Metals
    - Nutrients
    - Bacteria



www.biocleanenvironmental.com

### Drum Covers











www.grainger.com

www.mscdirect.com

### Drain Covers



Fast protection when a spill is heading right for your drain!

www.newpig.com





### Spill Containment

- Flexible spill berm
- Tank containment
- Pop-up pool
- Drip pan with absorbent media
- Spill deck with oil and grease absorbent media







www.dawginc.com

# Spill Containment

Spill control valve

Existing topography



#### Portable Drum Containment

- Collapsible sidewalls so you can drive your truck or forklift right inside
- Sides stay rigid and upright even in the wind





www.newpig.com

### Filtration Speed Bump

- Heavy duty steel construction
- 4-foot sections
- 80,000 lbs drive over capacity
- Captures runoff contaminants



www.stormwaterremediation.com

Contact Roy Kaufmann for additional information – the website is no longer in use. 562-209-5916



# Valve Wrap





www.newpig.com

# Absorbents and Spill Kits











www.absorbentsonline.com
www.bestvalsup.com
www.EnviroCleanPS.com
http://outpak.com/products.html
www.newpig.com
www.biocleanenvironmental.com

# Specialty Products

- C.I.Agent<sup>®</sup> instantly solidifies hydrocarbons upon contact, turning them into a non-toxic, non-hazardous mass that floats on water.
  - The rubber-like mass can then easily be disposed of or reused in various industrial applications.
  - Oil absorbent material also incorporated into their other products, including booms, fabrics, and water filtration socks.











www.ciagent.com

# Slurry Solution

- Outpak Slurry Solution is "an innovative product that makes your slurry waste cleanup easy and efficient."
- "Just mix Outpak Slurry Solution into the slurry waste, wait a few minutes to solidify and throw away in any standard waste container."
- The material becomes landfill ready in minutes.

http://outpak.com/products.html



#### Concrete Washout Containment





www.outpak.com www.maxokc.com







# Sediment Filtration & Erosion Control

Best Management Practice Options

# Triangular Silt Dike

- Designed as an effective and economical alternative to straw bales, silt fence and rock check dams.
- Aprons on either side of the Dike prevent erosion and failure of the structure. Optional, U-shaped wire staples help secure unit in place and conform to rough terrain.
- Lightweight and durable construction — installs in minutes.
- Multiple units can be installed side-by-side for larger areas.

www.tri-siltdike.com www.spillcontainment.com www.maxokc.com





### Rice Straw Fiber Rolls (Wattles)

- Alternative to traditional silt fencing
- Reduces runoff velocity
- Controls or captures eroded sediment
- Lighter than straw bales
- Easier to install than silt fencing
- Must be trenched in and staked down

www.earth-savers.com www.maxokc.com





#### Erosion Eel

- Geotextile bag filled with filter media consisting of:
  - Wood chips
  - Recycled shredded tire rubber
- Multiple functions:
  - Silt fence alternative
  - Check dam
  - Inlet protection
- Flexible
- Reusable and recyclable

www.erosioneel.com





### Compost for Erosion Control?! YES!

#### SEDIMENT CONTROL

In nature, rainfall is detained and infiltrated into the ground where it can be naturally filtered. SiltSoxx™ Mimic Nature® by replicating this filtration on the surface. Filtrexx® SiltSoxx™ use composted green residuals inside a patented mesh containment system to remove sediment and pollutants through filtration and deposition. SiltSoxx can also be used to slow runoff flow velocities on sloped surfaces, thereby reducing the transport of sediment and soluble pollutants.

#### **APPLICATIONS**



PERIMETER CONTROL View »



INLET PROTECTION
View»



CHECK DAM View»



CONCRETE WASHOUT



SLOPE INTERRUPTION
View »



RUNOFF DIVERSION View»



SEDIMENT TRAP



- Multiple products available
- Filled with compost (think easy disposal)
- Don't need to be trenched in
  - Last 6+ months

www.filtrexx.com www.flextraninc.com

### Flexamat













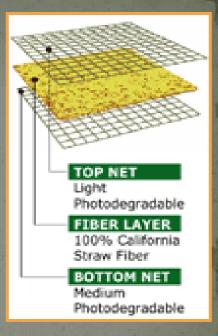
www.flexamat.com www.triangularsiltdike.com

#### Erosion Control Blankets

- Provide erosion protection
- Assist with vegetation establishment
- Installed after grading and seeding have taken place
  - Blankets are securely fastened to the ground
- Seed and soil are protected from wind and rain
- Helps create optimal conditions for seed germination and growth

www.erosioncontrolblanket.com www.maxokc.com







# Hydroseeding

- A planting process utilizing a slurry of seed and mulch
  - Slurry is sprayed over prepared ground in an even layer
  - Indicator dye to minimize overlap
  - Mulch helps retain moisture
- An effective alternative to the traditional process of broadcasting or sowing dry seed
  - Promotes quick germination
  - Inhibits soil erosion

www.turfconnection.com www.homedepot.com



# Dewatering Filtration

- Outlet protection devices
  - Filters sediment from a pump discharge
  - For use when dewatering sediment-laden areas.
- Available in both single-use or multiple-use models.

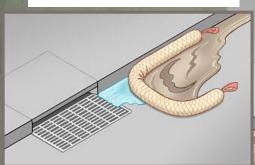
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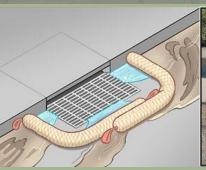
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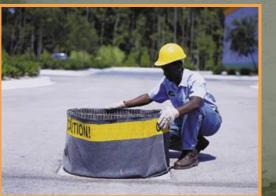














chemtexinc.com
www.suntreetech.com
kristar.com
newpig.com
spillsource.org
spillcontainment.com
www.maxokc.com

#### QUESTIONS?

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#### Green Infrastructure (GI)

EPA Green Infrastructure

www.epa.gov/green-infrastructure

#### Low Impact Development (LID)

Green Country Storm Water Alliance

<u>www.stormwaterok.net</u>

Great Plains LID

www.greatplainslid.org/

Urban Design Tools - Low Impact Development

www.lid-stormwater.net/index.html

EPA Polluted Runoff (Nonpoint Source Pollution), Urban-NPS Categories, LID

www.epa.gov/nps/lid

Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) Water-Smart Cities

www.nrdc.org/issues/water-smart-cities

Low Impact Development Center

www.lowimpactdevelopment.org

Center for Watershed Protection

www.cwp.org

#### Rain Gardens and Bioretention

Rain Garden Network

www.raingardennetwork.com

Rain Gardens of West Michigan

wmeac.org/raingardens/

Soak Up the Rain: Rain Gardens (EPA)

www.epa.gov/soakuptherain/soak-rain-rain-gardens

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#### Alternative Best Management Practices and Products\*

Companies with multiple products available, including: absorbents, spill kits, spill pallets, drain covers, filtration devices, storm drain inserts, spill berms, portable containment, erosion control devices, and/or bioremediation products.

BioClean (A Forterra Company)

www.biocleanenvironmental.com

Chemtex Solutions in Spill Control - Storm Water Management

www.chemtexinc.com/stormwater.html

C.I.Agent Solutions - hydrocarbon management and storm water diversion

www.ciagent.com

DAWG (Doing Away With Grime)

www.dawginc.com

Enviro Clean Services, LLC

www.EnviroCleanPS.com

#### Forterra

www.forterrabp.com

Gator International

www.gatorinternational.com

For more information, this presentation and both resource pages are on the workshop CD!