

Calumet Stormwater Collaborative

Education & Engagement Work Group

6/3/16 Update

2016 Initiatives

Workshop Series

- RainReady: Summer 2016
- IDNR: Spring 2017

Boilerplate Outreach Materials

Recruiting Stakeholders

- Who are they and how do we “educate and engage” them?

Future

- Speakers’ Bureau
- CSC Hashtag

RainReady Workshops

Developing an Urban Forest Management Plan

Presentation by Morton Arboretum

June 15, 2:00 – 4p

Grantwriting 101

IDNR, the Chicago Park District, Faith in Place, and Friends of the Forest Preserve

July 13, 2:00 – 4p

Floodplain 101

Presentation by Brian Eber, Illinois Department of Natural Resources

August 17, 1:00 – 5p

TOUR of Nature-Based Solutions in the Calumet

Presentation by Eric Neagu, Antero Group

September 14, 1:00 – 5p

RainReady Workshops

Home Resilience and Insurance

RainReady Home and FEMA

September 7, 6:00 – 8 pm

September 13 , 6:00 – 8 pm

Organizing for Resilience

RainReady and Floodlothian Midlothian

TBD

How do we get the word out?

Calumet Stormwater Collaborative

Overview of Mission and Impact

What are the water issues?



Origins: Millennium Reserve

Improve stormwater management through investments in and coordination of green infrastructure solutions.



Calumet Stormwater Collaborative (CSC)

Mission Statement

The Calumet Stormwater Collaborative builds intergovernmental and cross-sector *partnerships to increase the effectiveness of stormwater management initiatives* for the communities and ecosystems of the Calumet region through knowledge sharing, coordination and deployment of interventions at appropriate scales.

Vision Statement

The Calumet Stormwater Collaborative will be a model of coordinated deployment of knowledge, technology and financial resources to minimize the negative impacts of precipitation and maximize the positive to make the Calumet region a better place to live, work and recreate.

CSC Members

Communities



Calumet City



Nonprofits/ Conservation Groups



Planning Agencies

CMAP



Government Agencies



Land owners and managers



Accomplishments in 2015

- Completion of RainReady Plan for the Village of Midlothian
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- Producing a stormwater regional mapping viewer
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- Developing modeling extents data layer
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- Creating data sharing portal
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Accomplishments in 2015

- Logic model completed for GI training and maintenance programs
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- Development and release of design templates for green infrastructure
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Future Initiatives

- New data sharing resources
- Soil data layer
- Tool for optimal tree planting
- Watershed plan updates for community 319 funding eligibility
- Piloting of UIC's stormwater community engagement tool
- Research on dedicated revenue streams and service sharing for stormwater management
- RainReady Workshops on Stormwater Management

Benefits to Municipalities

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Benefits to Communities

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How to get involved with the CSC

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