Preventing Flooding and Improving Water Quality with Automated Stormwater Management

January 10, 2019

"The infrastructure we have today is capable of much more than we realize," states Shively. "By understanding and improving the system that already exists, we can adapt best management practices and begin to utilize existing assets to the maximum extent possible, UEA to the MEP."

— City of Kansas City, MO



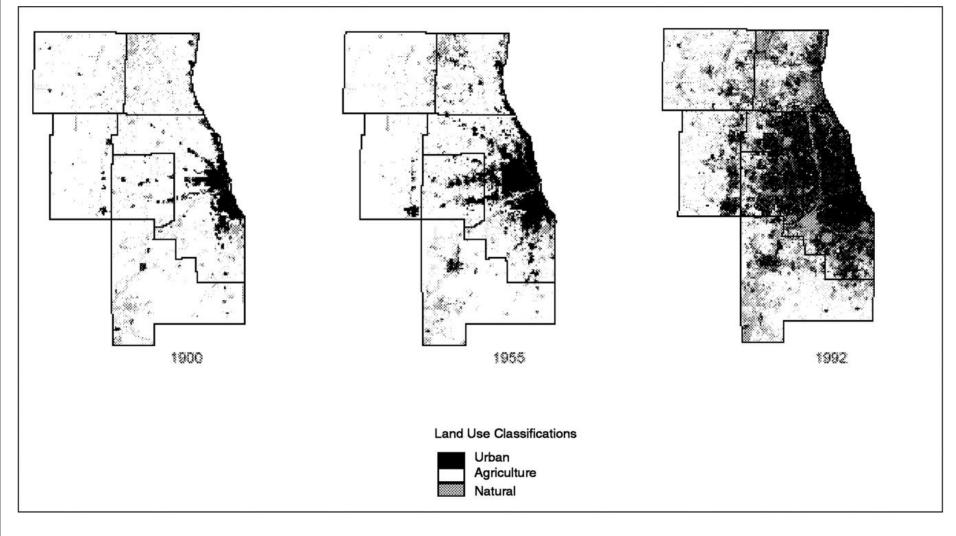
DuPage County residents grapple with flooding after weekend storms





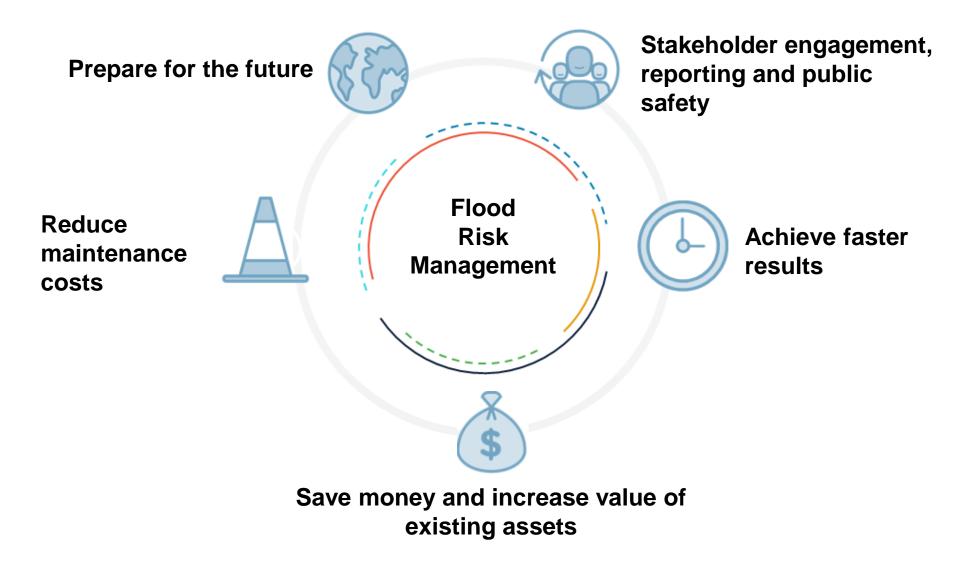
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Watersheds and rainfall patterns are constantly changing



National Research Council. 2001. *Growing Populations, Changing Landscapes: Studies from India, China, and the United States*. Washington, DC: The National Academies Press. https://doi.org/10.17226/10144.

Improved community resilience



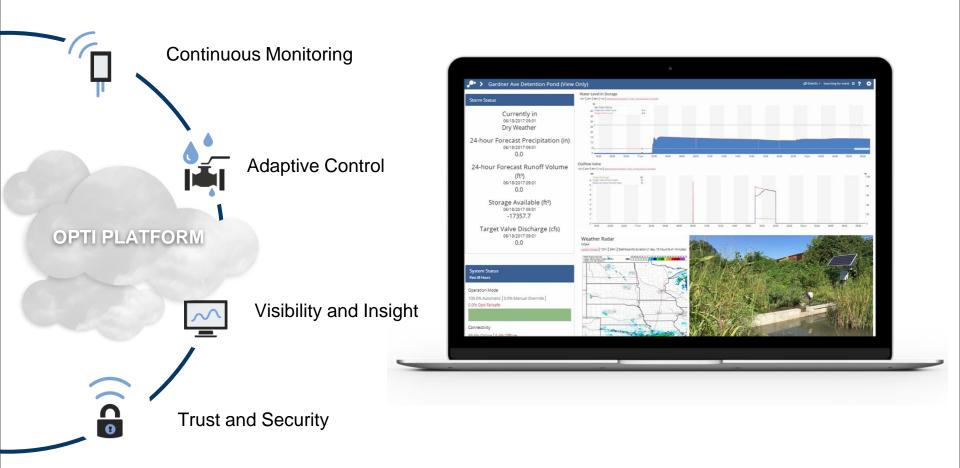
The evolution in stormwater management



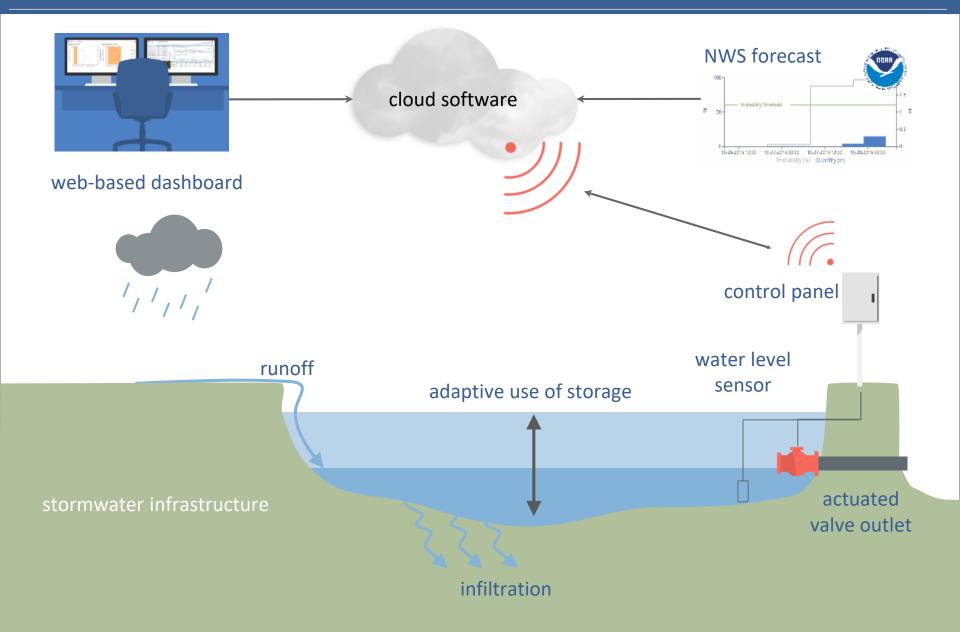
A system that:

- Improves environmental outcomes at the <u>site</u> and <u>watershed</u> level
- Is safer and lowers risk
- Is configurable and adaptive
- Provides direct verification of performance

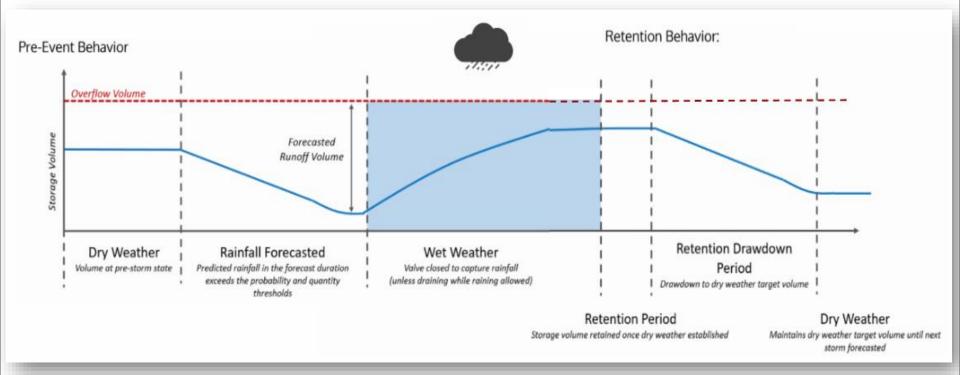
Platform for smart stormwater management



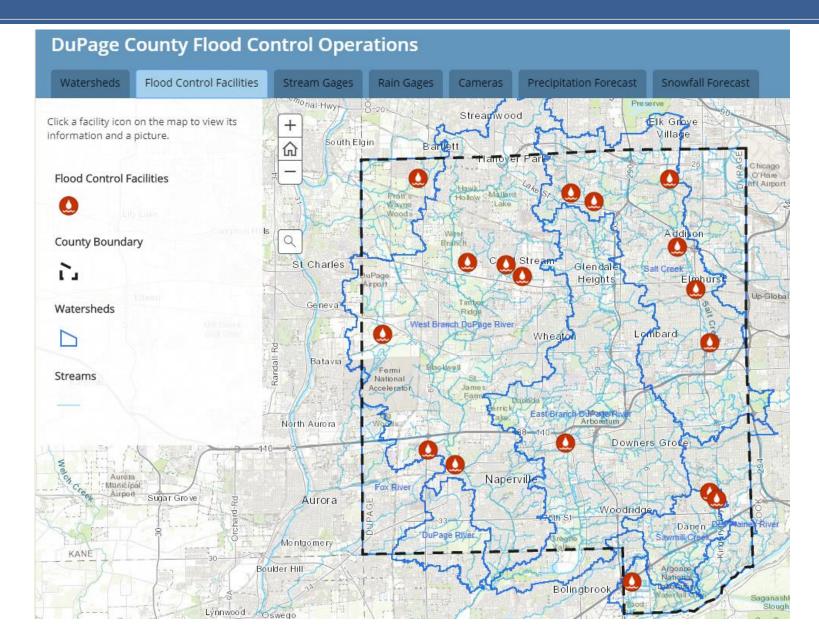
Continuous Monitoring & Adaptive Control (CMAC)



CMAC Behavior Modes



Improving visibility and operations to flood control facilities



CMAC Case Studies



Application

Water Reuse

Application

Water Quality and CSO

Flood Control and CSO

Application

Case Study: Albany NY, Addressing Flooding and CSOs with Coordinated Watershed Controls



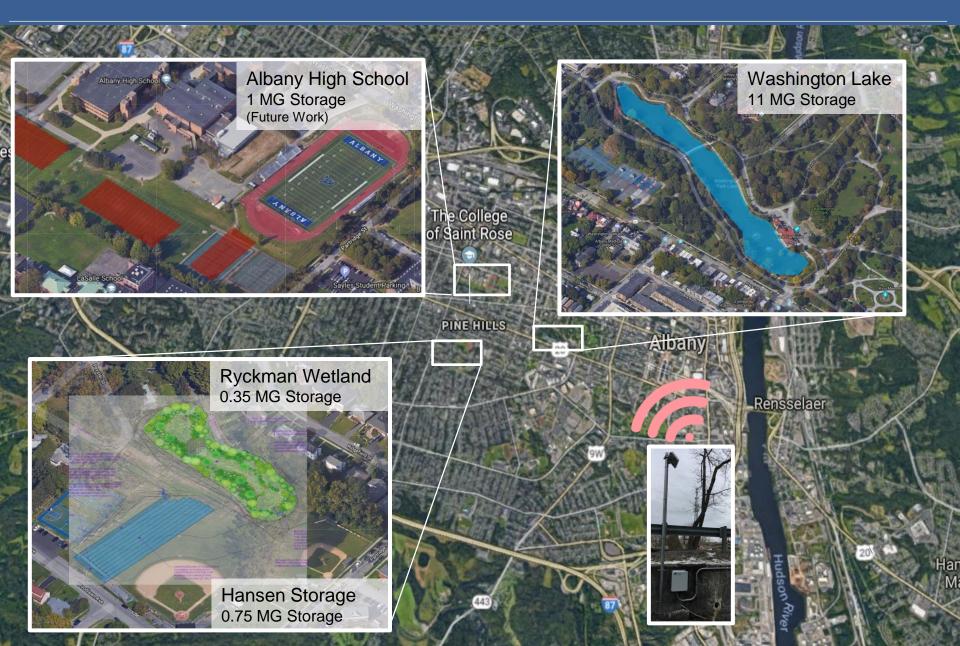


Objectives – Mitigate Flooding and CSOs

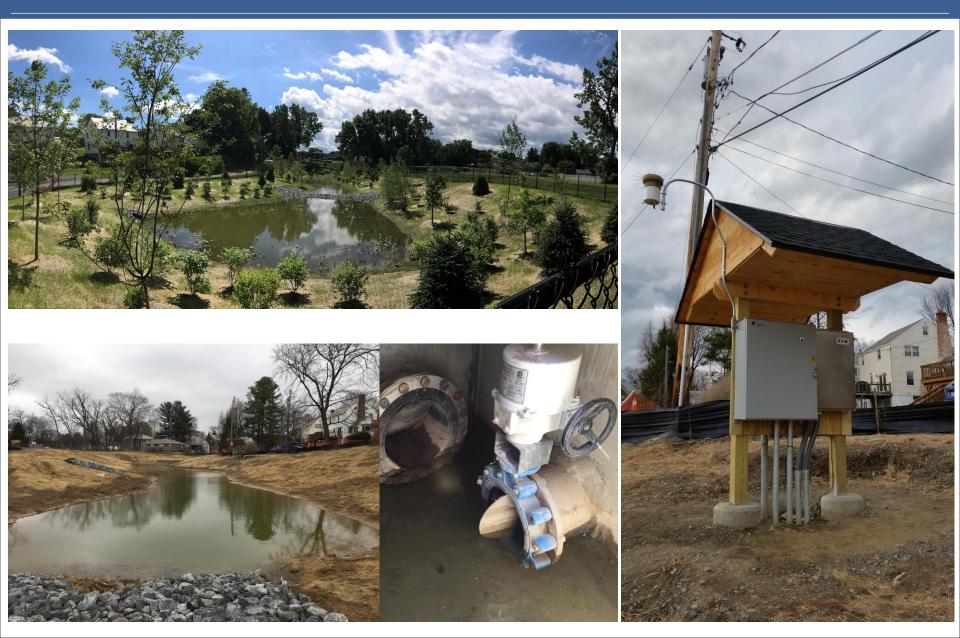


- 532 MG of CSO Annually from Albany (45% at Big C)
- Flooding in Residential Areas of Beaver Creek

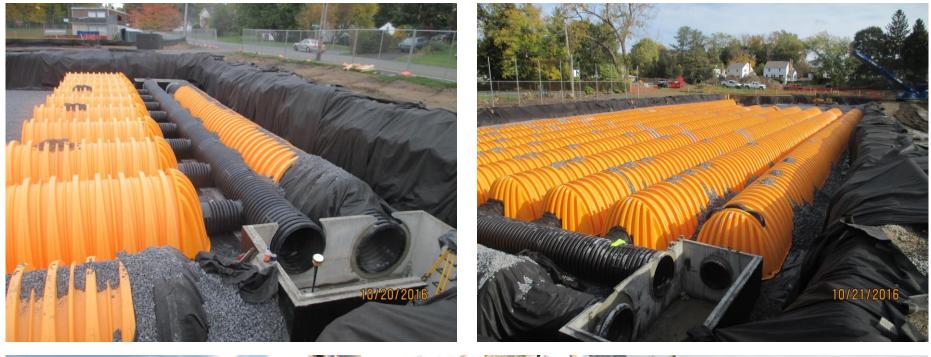
Albany, NY - Coordinated Watershed Controls



Site photos - Hansen & Ryckman



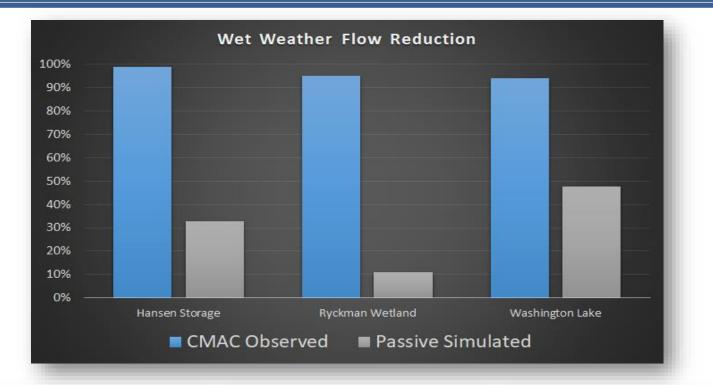
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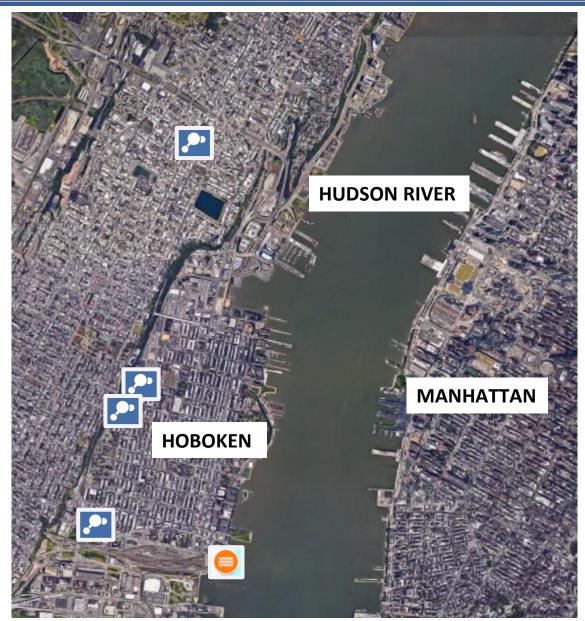


Comparing CMAC to Traditional Passive Infrastructure





Just downstream of Albany, North Hudson Sewerage Authority is changing their redevelopment requirements





Overflow Location

Case Study: Anacostia Watershed Prince George's County, MD *peak flow reduction + water quality*

2 ac-ft

Adaptively Controlled Detention/Retention





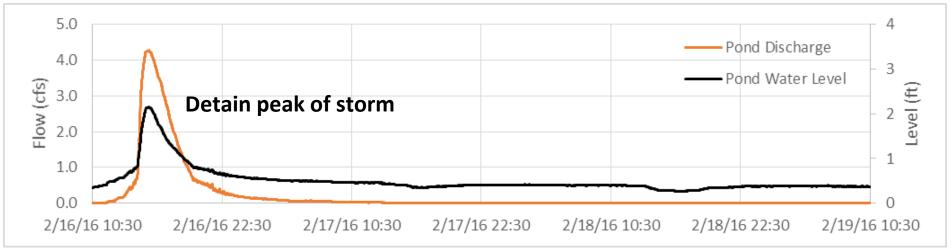


Performance Study – Frost Dry Pond

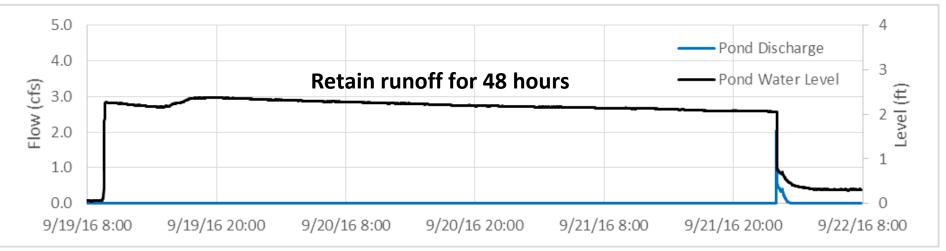


Frost Dry Pond – 1 inch Rainfall Event

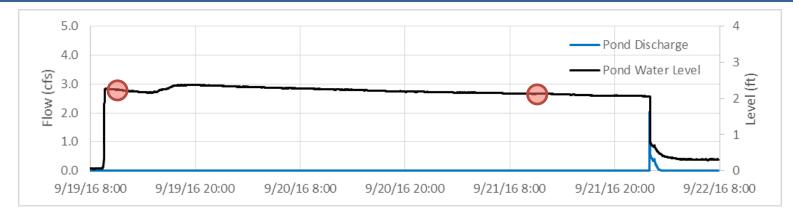
No Outflow Control



CMAC Retrofit



Frost Dry Pond – September 19, 2016 Rainfall Event



9/19/2016 9:35AM



9/21/2016 10:04AM



Case Study: Montgomery County, MD peak flow reduction + water quality

15 ac-ft Adaptively Controlled Detention/Retention







Performance Study – University Blvd Wet Pond





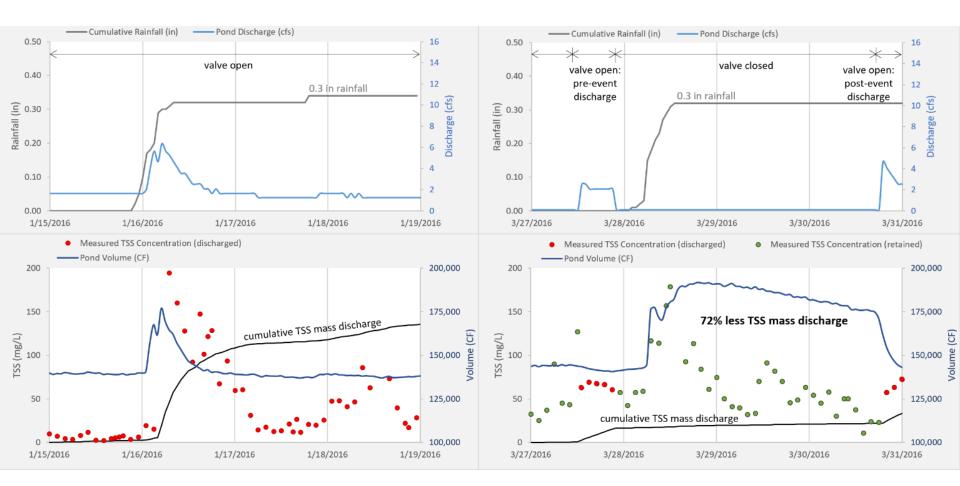




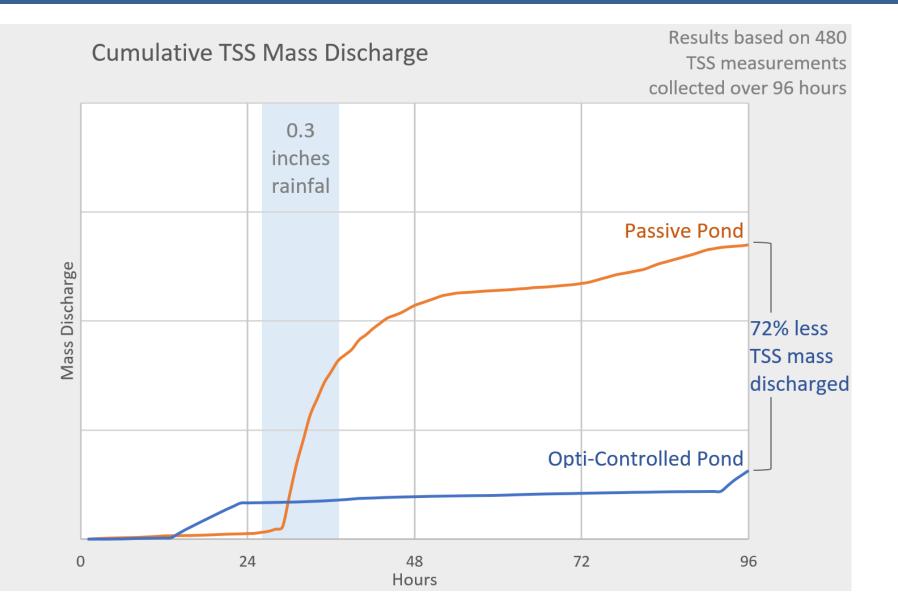
University Blvd Wet Pond – TSS Removal Comparison

Passive Baseline

Active Control



University Blvd Wet Pond – TSS Removal



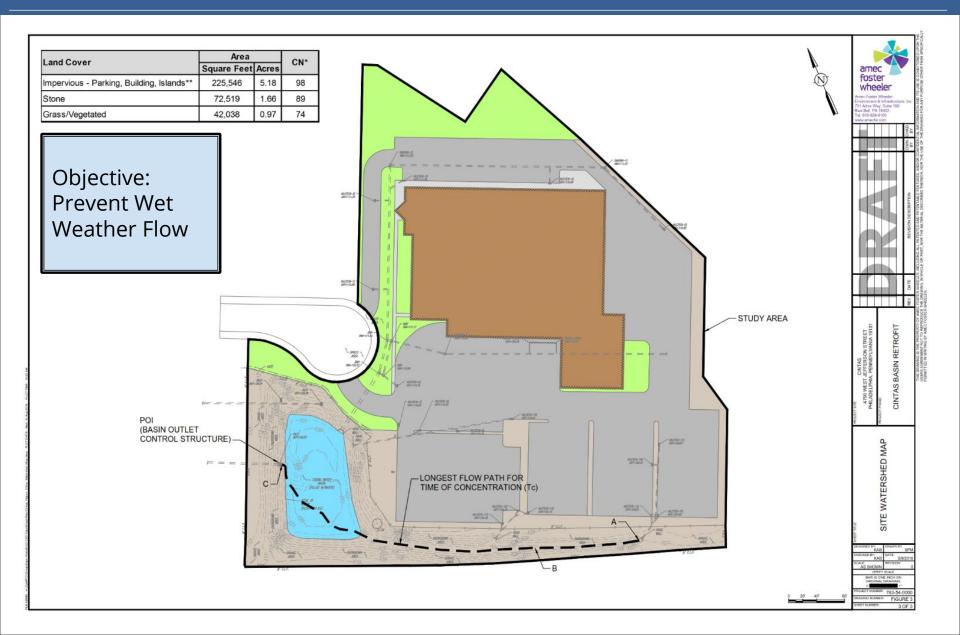
Case Study: CMAC on Cintas Property for CSO Mitigation - Philadelphia

8-acre Drainage Area Adaptively Controlled Retention





Case Study: CMAC Cintas Property - Philadelphia



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Project Timeline (award to run)	6 months
Incremental Benefit	3.3 Green Acres
Capital Cost	\$48,000/GA
Net Savings for Cintas	~\$17,000/yr

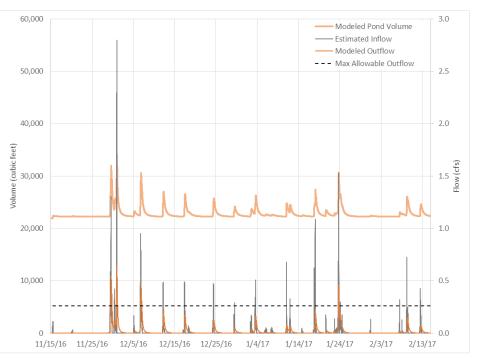




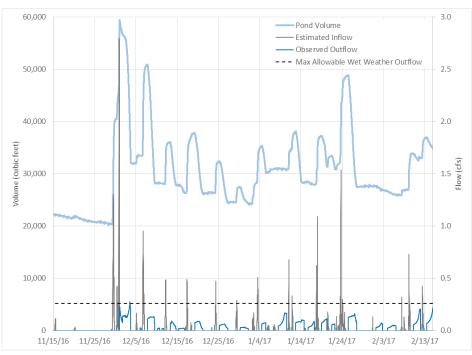


The Opti-enabled pond <u>prevented</u> 0.97 million gallons of wet weather flow during a 3 month period

PASSIVE POND



ACTIVE CONTROL POND



Thank you

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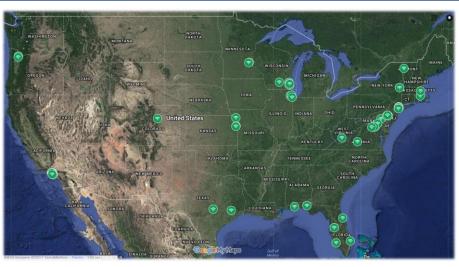
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Appendix

Case Study: Chicago Smart Green Infrastructure Monitoring



Pilot at UILabs' bioswale - Goose Island, Chicago



Mayors Explore Data-Driven Sustainability Solutions with Opti, City Digital Partners

Mayor of London Sadiq Khan tours green technology pilots in Chicago with Mayor Rahm Emanuel

NEW CLOUD-BASED PLATFORM ADDRESSES URBAN FLOODING THROUGH GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE PERFORMANCE MONITORING

December 6, 2016

City Digital has assembled technology to enable citywide sustainable stormwater management

CHICAGO (December 6, 2016) – City Digital today announced the successful deployment of a new solution that combines sensors and cloud-based analytics to evaluate the performance of sustainable stormwater management techniques. Using data collected from green infrastructure sites in Chicago, the platform helps to reduce urban flooding and prevent millions of dollars in property damage.



Opti monitoring platform

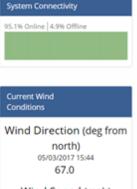
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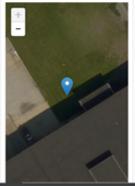
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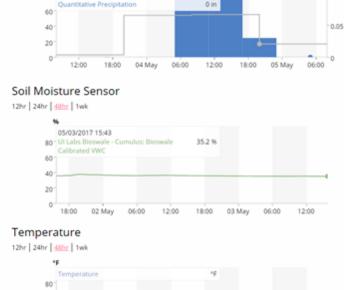
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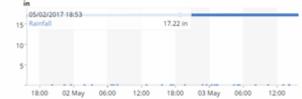
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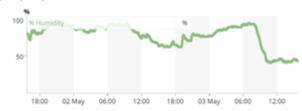


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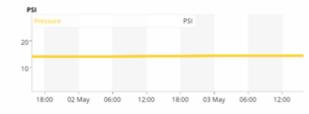
Relative Humidity

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Air Pressure 🗛

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Continential USA Radar

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About this Dataset

Field View of Typical Hardware Components

