A Suite Of Stormwater Management Solutions In Anne Arundel County, MD

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Anne Arundel County (AACo)

WHY

- National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)
 Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4)
- Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL)

HOW

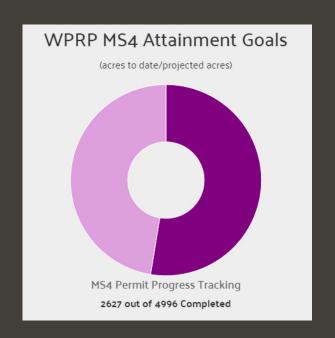
- AACo Watershed Protection & Restoration Program (WPRP)
 - Watershed Assessment & Planning
 - Restoration Implementation
 - Ecological Assessment & Evaluation
 - Education & Outreach





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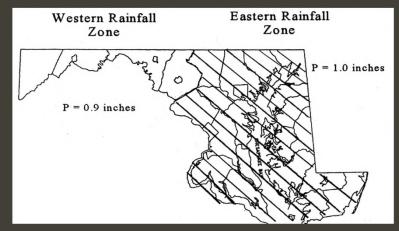
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GOALS

- Water Quality
 - Stormwater Retrofits
 - SWM standards to the maximum extent practicable
 - Chesapeake Bay TMDL (Nitrogen, Phosphorous, TSS)
- Quantity Control & Flood Mitigation
- Stability & Function of Outfalls & Waterways









Estimate Load Reduction

Accounting for Stormwater Wasteload Allocations and **Impervious Acres Treated**

Guidance for **National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Stormwater Permits**

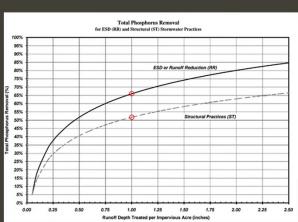
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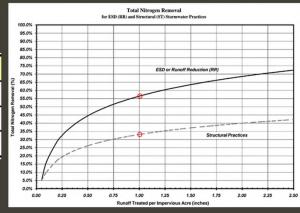


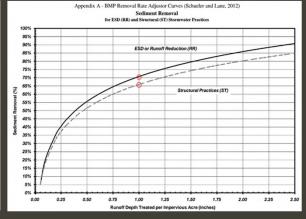
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Parameter	Urban Impervious		
TN (lbs)	15.3		
TP (lbs)	1.69		
TSS (tons)	0.44		





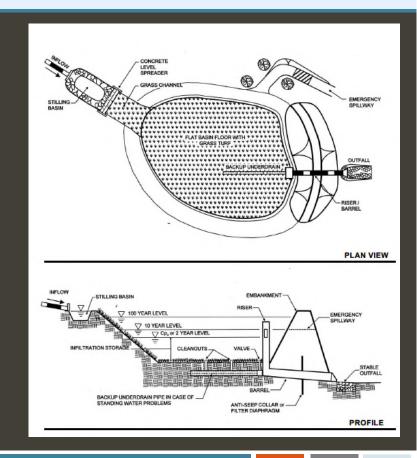






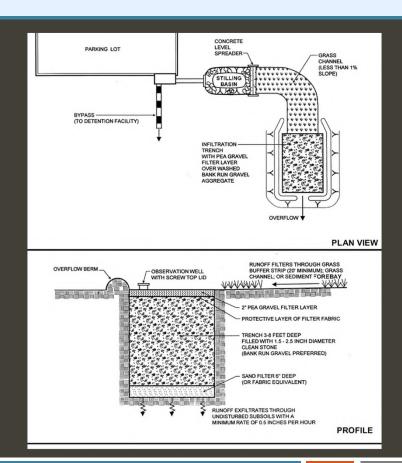
INFILTRATION BASIN

- Depressed area for temporary storage of Water Quality Volume (WQv)
- Facilitate infiltration / recharge
- Channel protection
- Flood protection



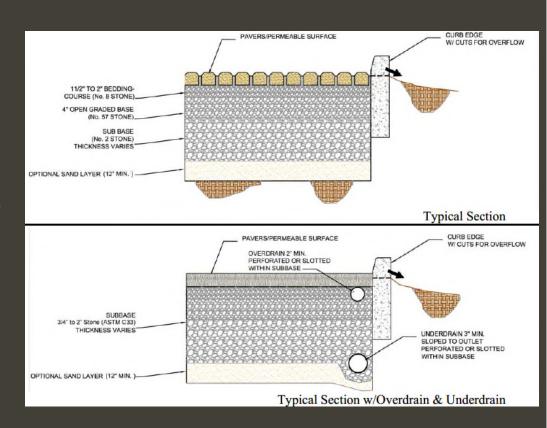
INFILTRATION TRENCH

- Capture and temporarily store WQv within the void space of material
 - Typically stone
- Facilitate infiltration / recharge
- Channel protection
- Flood protection



PERMEABLE PAVEMENT

- Alternative surfacing material
 - Porous asphalt
 - Pervious concrete
 - Interlocking pavers
- Open graded stone base/subbase
- Promote groundwater recharge
- Mitigate temperature increases





STEP POOL STORM CONVEYANCE (SPSC)

Ephemeral or intermittent channels

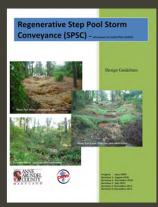
 Surface step pools and subsurface sand seepage filter

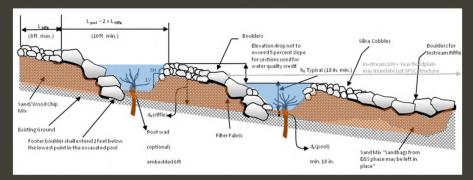
Convert surface flow to shallow

groundwater flow

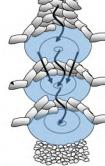
Energy reduction

Habitat benefits









REGENERATIVE STREAM CONVEYANCE (RSC)

- Similar in design to SPSC
- Perennial channels
- Restore ecosystem functions of streams, floodplains, & wetlands
- Network of systems
 - seepage berms
 - pools
 - cobble weirs
 - floodplain & wetland connections









Project Examples

- Patapsco Non-Tidal Untitled Tributary Project
 - Performing Arts Center (PAC)
 - Brooklyn Park (BP)
 - Riverside Park (RP)
- Najoles Road Pond Retrofit & Stream Restoration Project
- General Outline
 - Site Overview
 - Stormwater Management (SWM) Opportunities
 - Site Challenges
 - Design Overview
 - Statistics



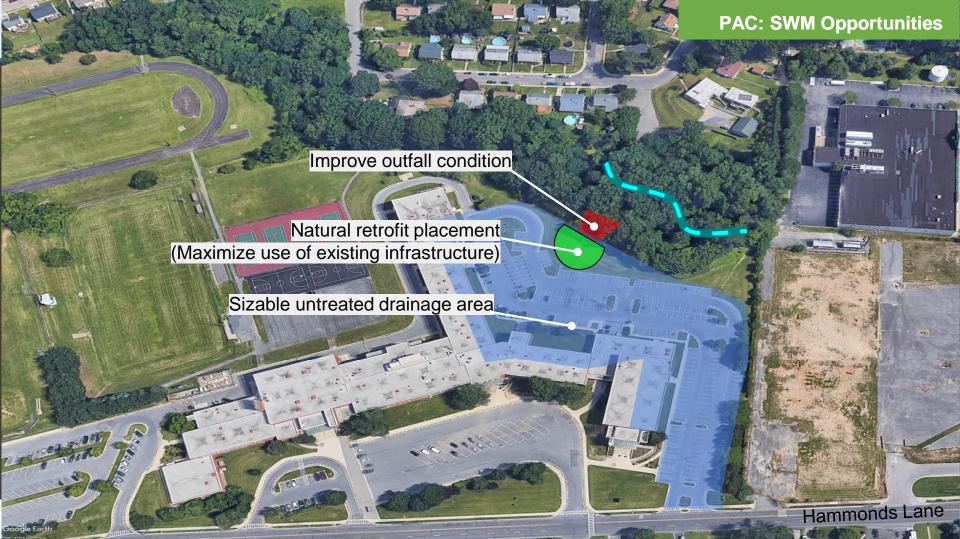
Performing Arts Center











Performing Arts Center

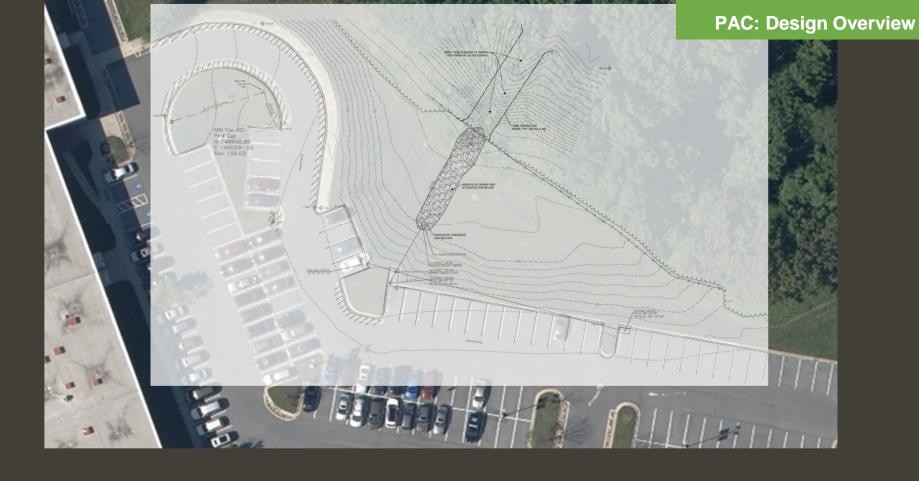
SITE CHALLENGES

- Maintain stability and function of outfall
- Conserve forest resources





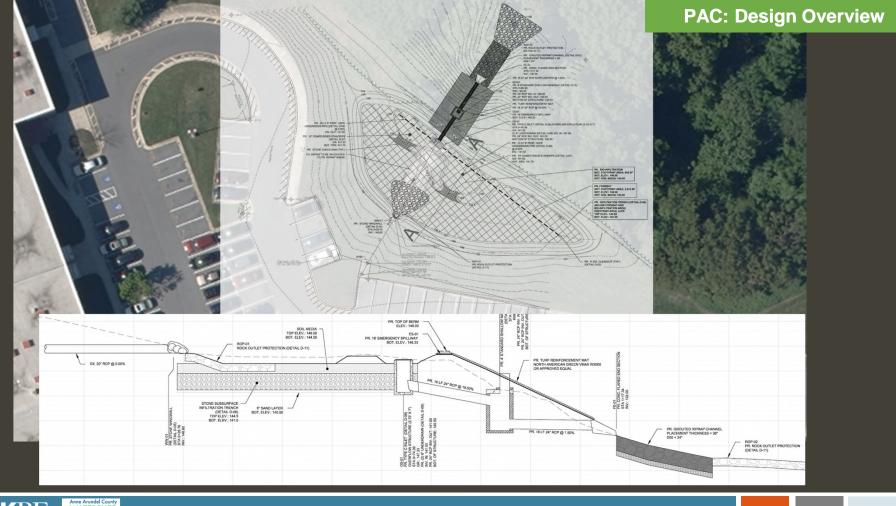




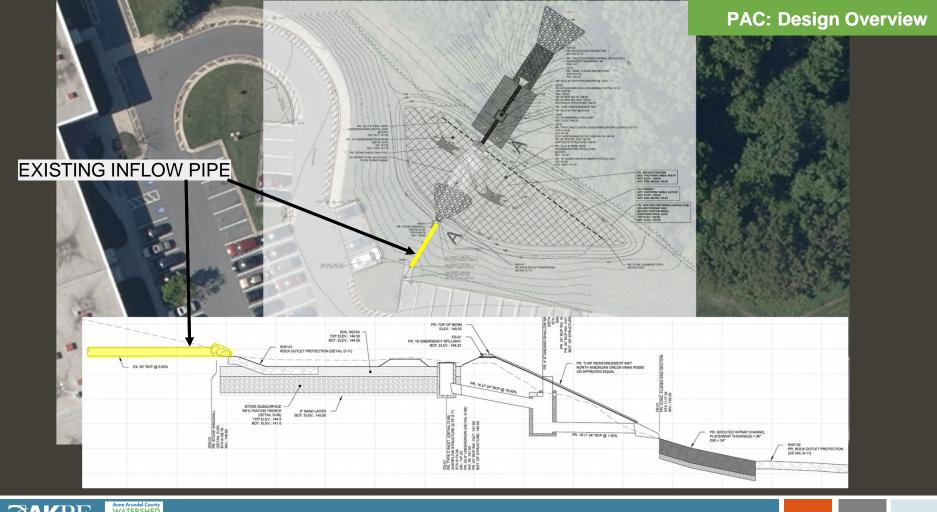




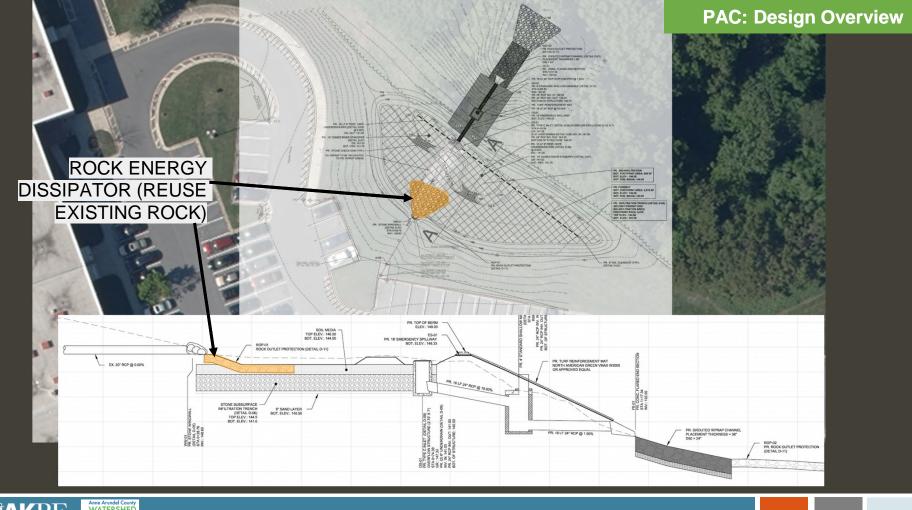




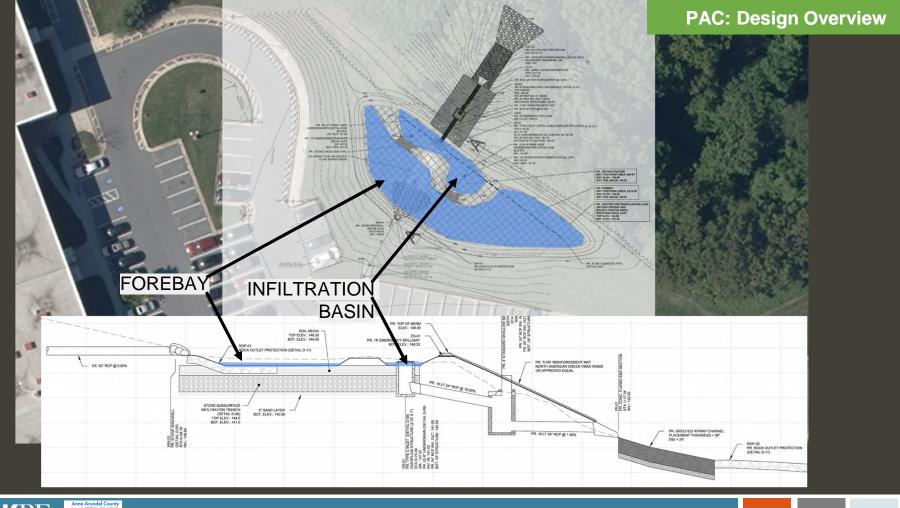




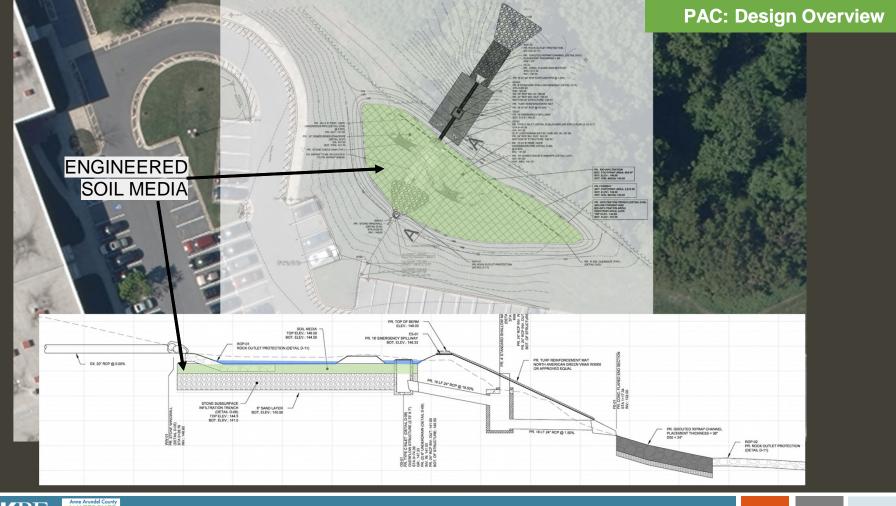




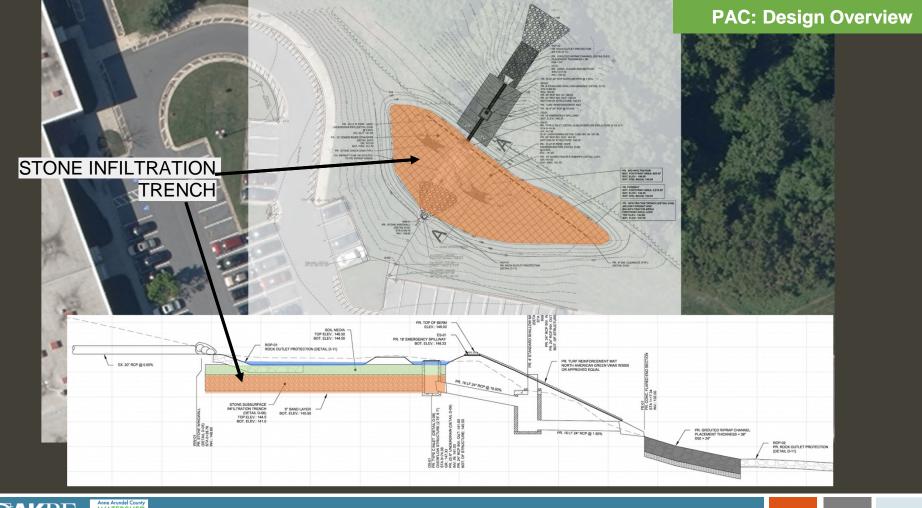




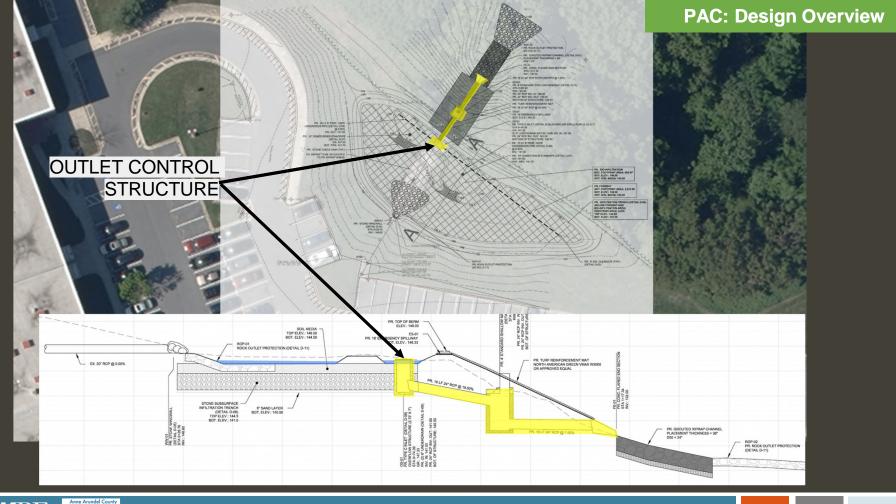




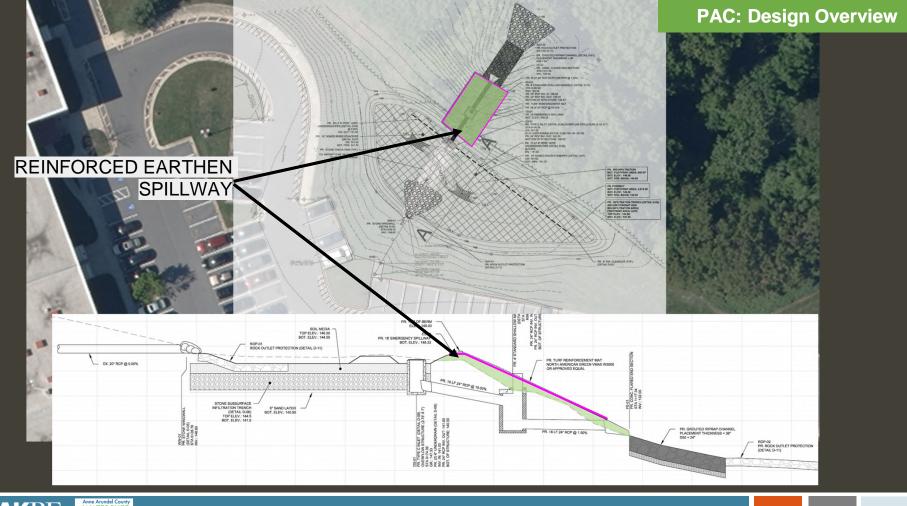




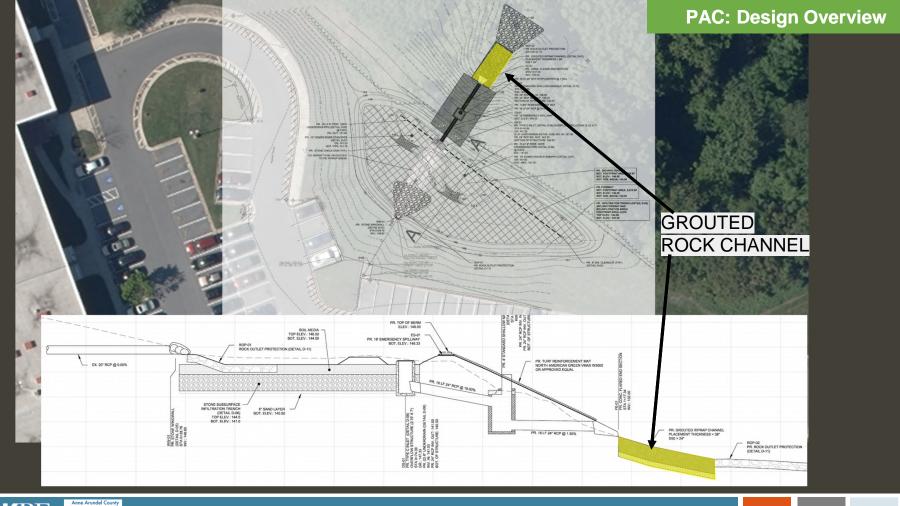




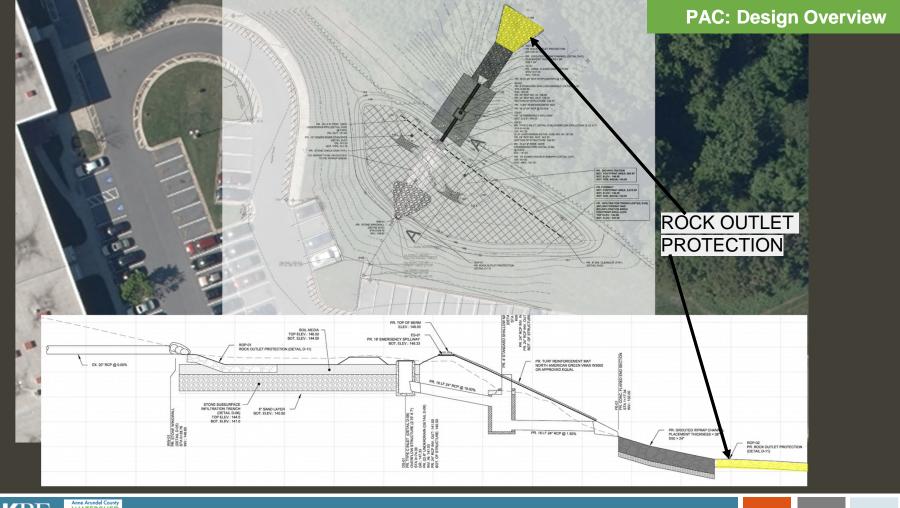


















Total Drainage Area	4.09 AC	
Treated Impervious Area	2.64 AC	
Water Quality Volume	9,367 CF	

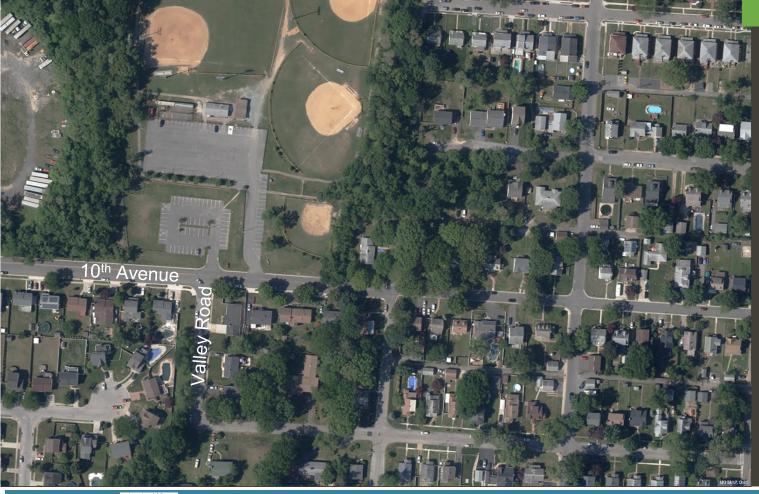
	TN	TP	TSS
Pollutant Removal Efficiencies	58%	67%	73%
Annual Pollutant Load	40 lbs	4 lbs	2,323 lbs
Annual Pollutant Load Removal	23 lbs	3 lbs	1,696 lbs

Brooklyn Park











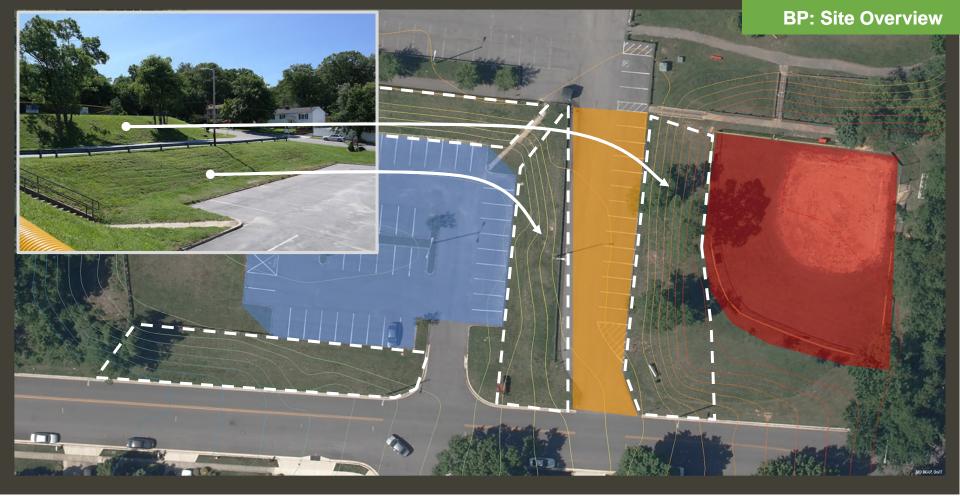
BP: Site Overview













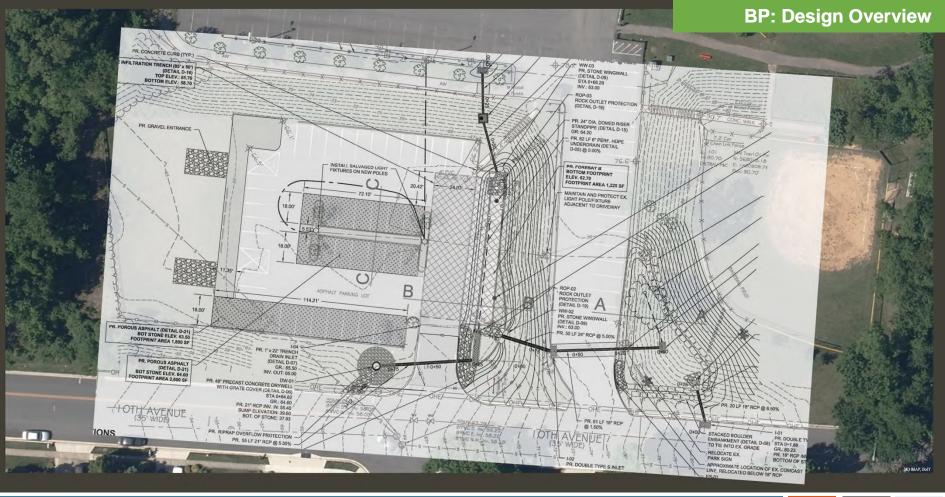
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SWM OPPORTUNITIES

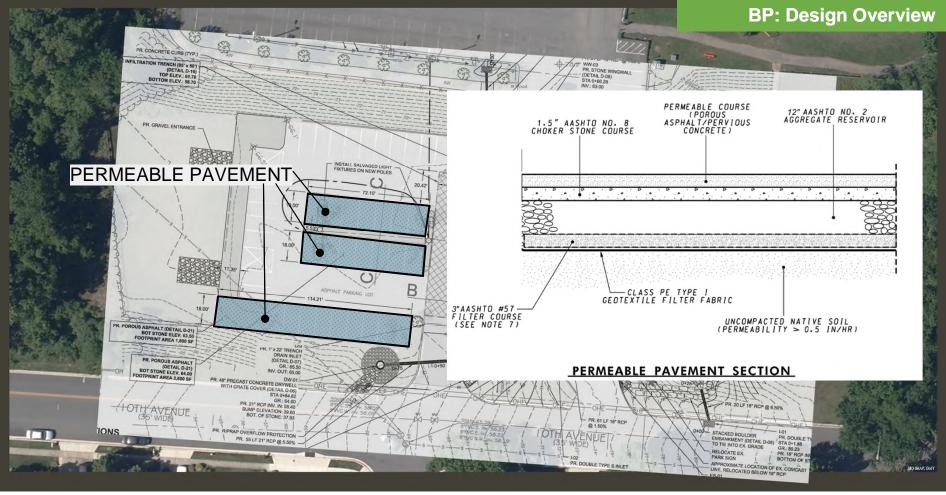
- Manage untreated drainage area
- Mitigate roadway flooding
- Public exposure to County SWM initiatives
- Drywell pilot

SITE CHALLENGES

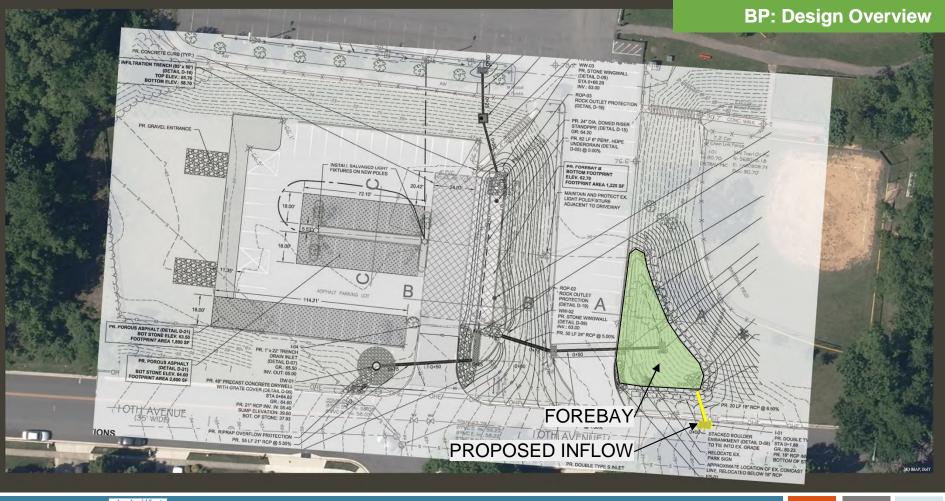
- Site constraints for SMP location
 - Steep grades
- Safe conveyance of overflow (no public storm sewer)
- Construction timing



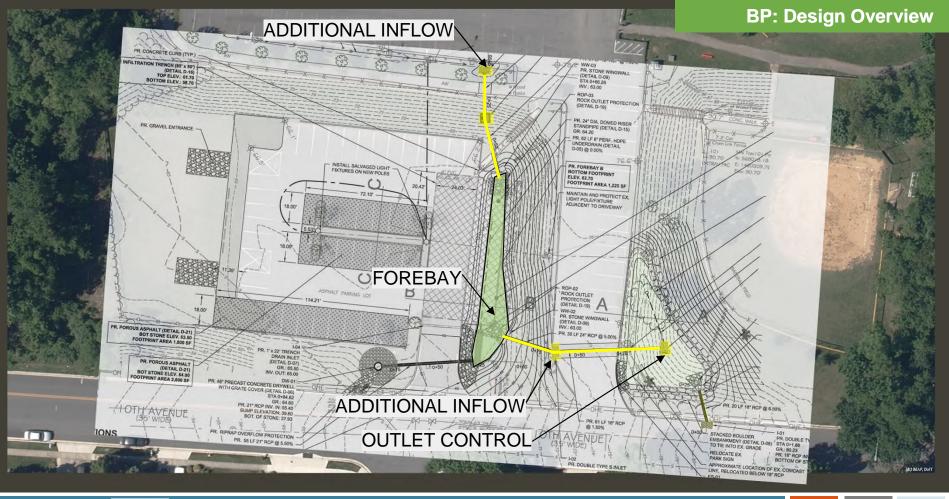




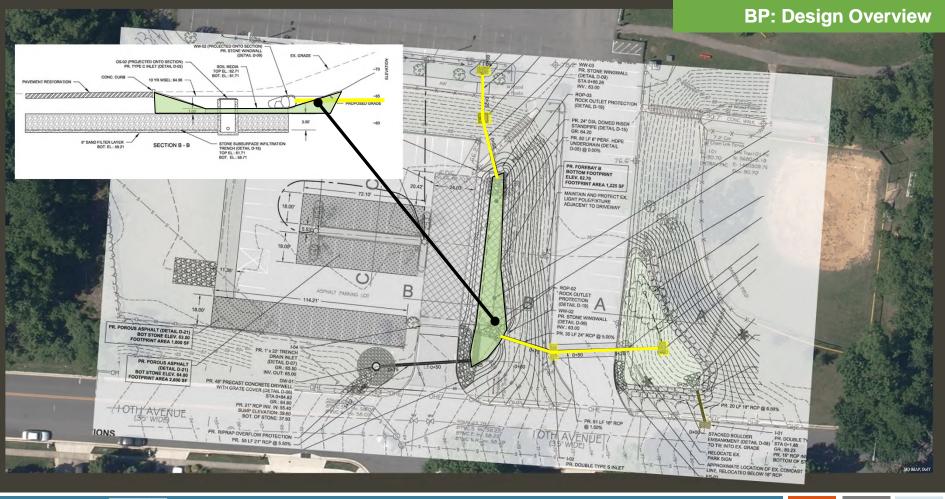




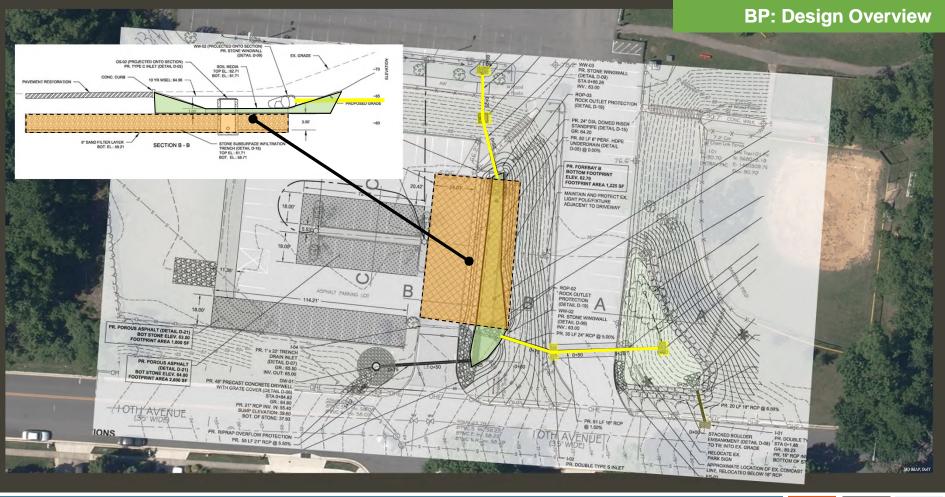




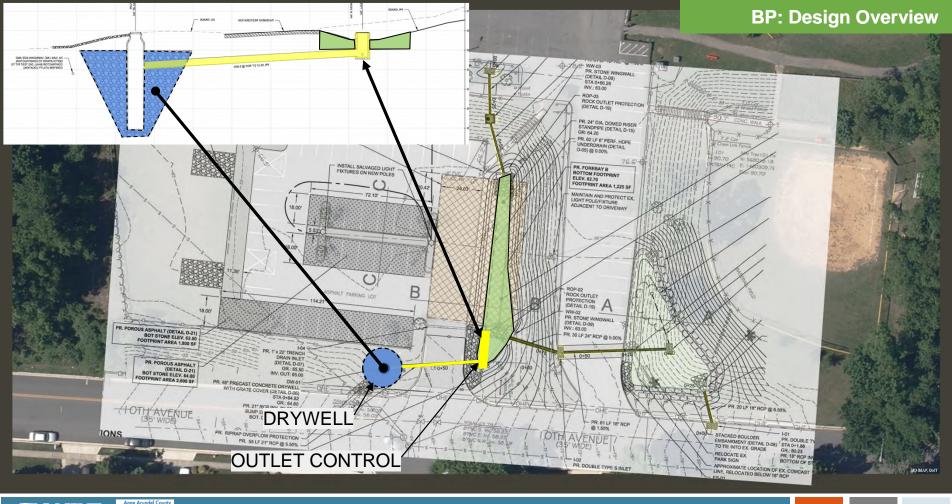










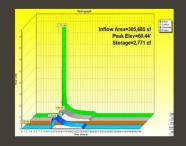


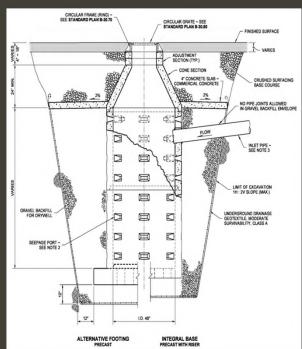


DRYWELL PILOT

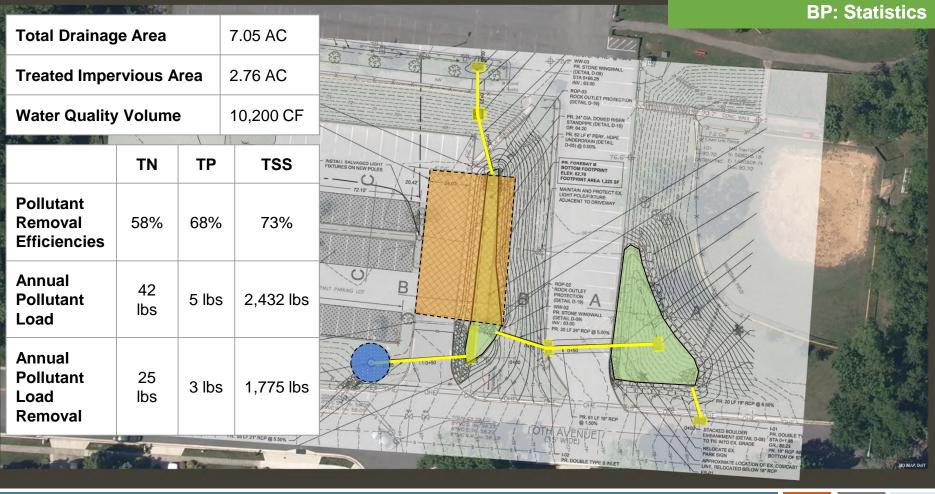
- Washington DOT Drywell Detail
- Manhole embedded in stone
- Typical depth: 10 FT 30 FT
- AACo Drywell Pilot
 - Storage volume for 2-year storm
 - Overflow via surcharge

STORM	RAINFALL DEPTH	REQ. DRYWELL(S)
1YR - 24HR	2.70 IN	(1) 10-FT Drywell
2YR - 24HR	3.30 IN	(1) 20-FT Drywell
10YR - 24HR	5.20 IN	(6) 20-FT Drywells









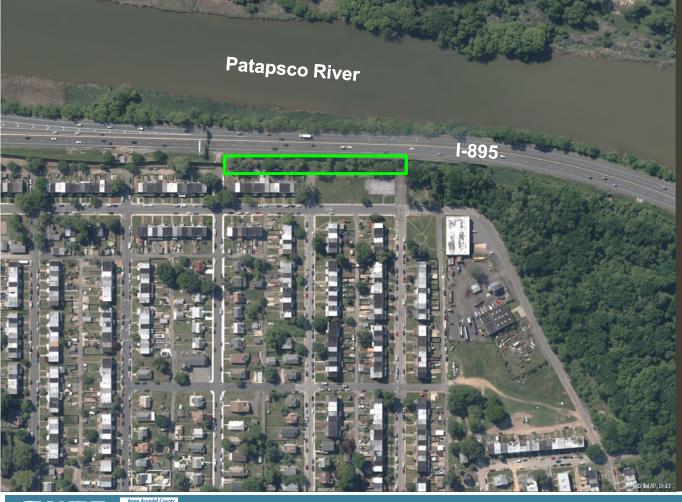


Riverside Park



















Riverside Park

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Ephemeral channel well suited for SPSC
- Convert impervious concrete swale into pervious, naturalized step-pool channel system
- Remove invasive plants and establish native landscaping

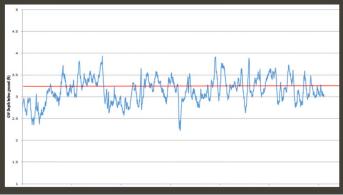


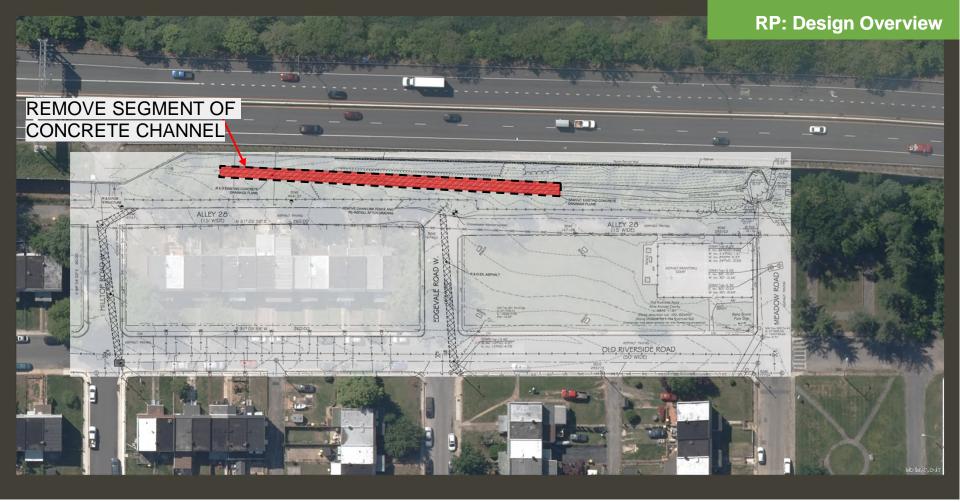
Riverside Park

SITE CHALLENGES

- Physical space
- I-895 noise wall foundation
- Shallow groundwater table







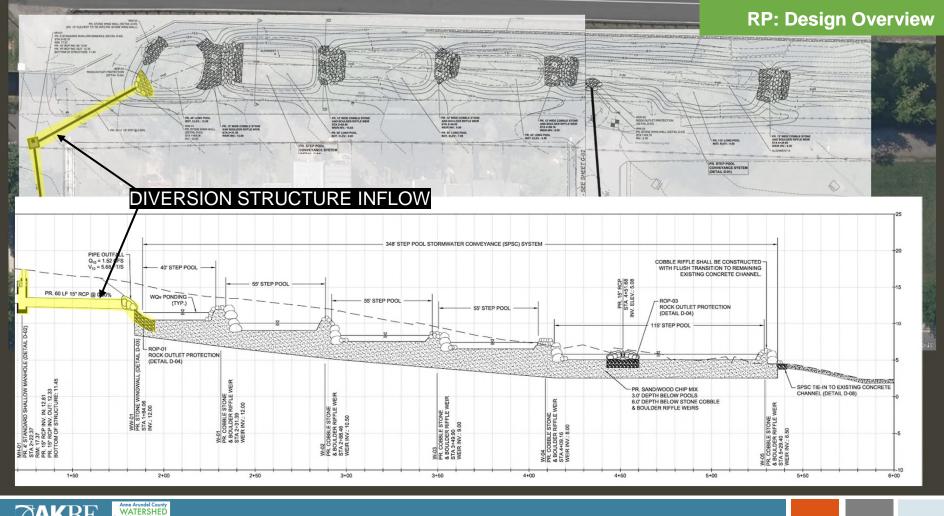




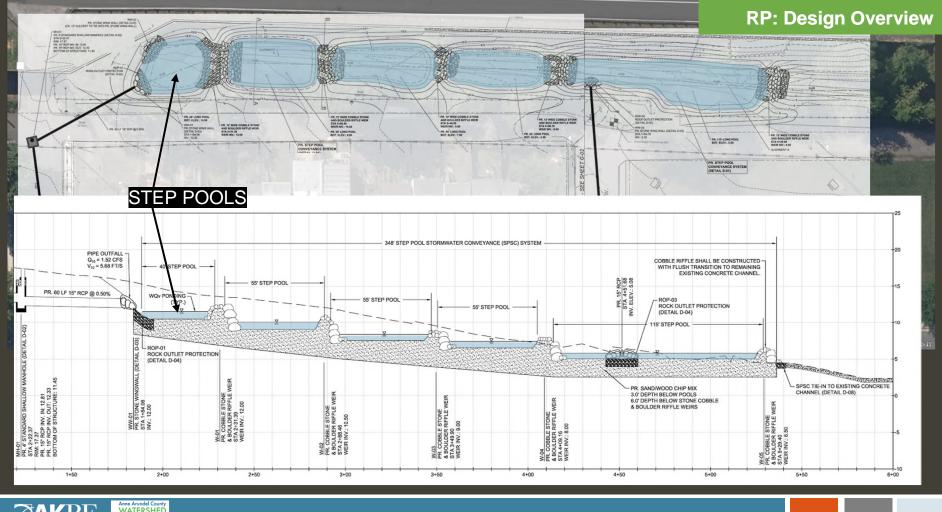




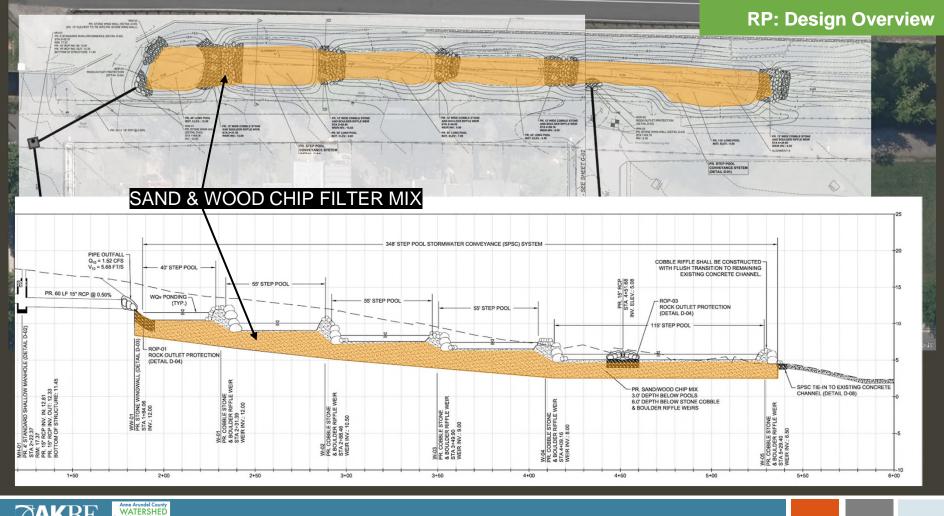




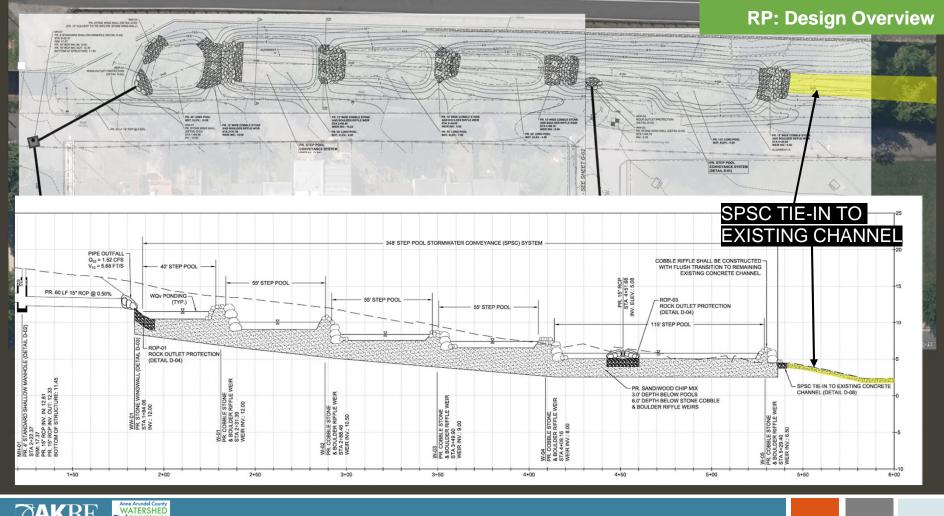










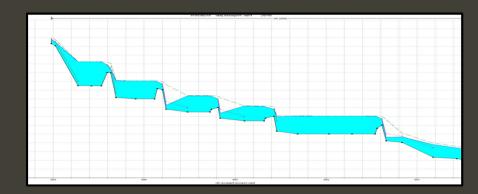


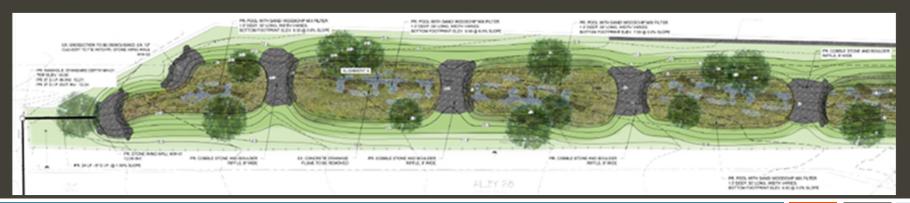


RP: Design Overview

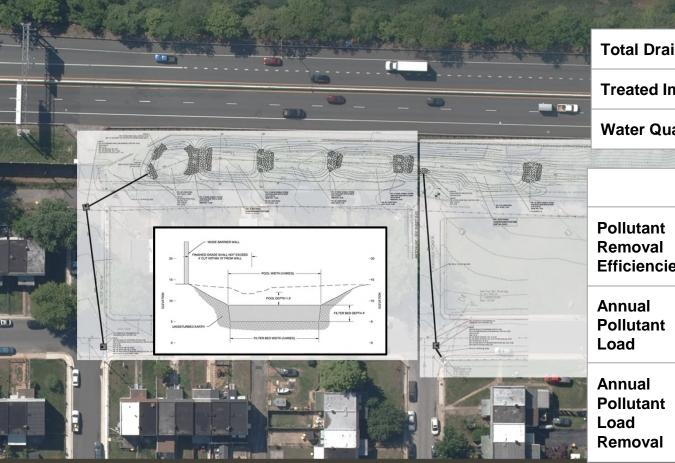
ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS

- 1-D steady state HEC-RAS modeling of SPSC
- Propose to line 5 FT of pool with cobble material











Total Drainage Area	8.72 AC
Treated Impervious Area	4.75 AC
Water Quality Volume	17,060 CF

		TN	TP	TSS	
-	Pollutant Removal Efficiencies	58%	68%	73%	The second second
	Annual Pollutant Load	71 lbs	8 lbs	4,089 lbs	The second second
1	Annual Pollutant Load Removal	41 lbs	5 lbs	2,985 lbs	r, polit



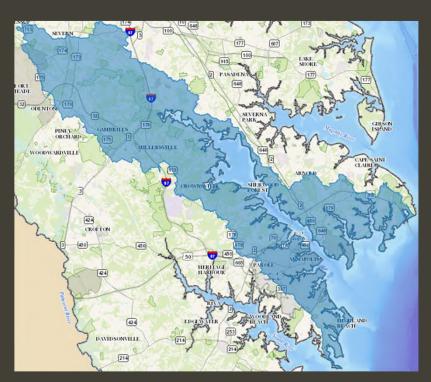


Najoles Road Pond Retrofit and Stream Restoration





Najoles Road: Site Overview



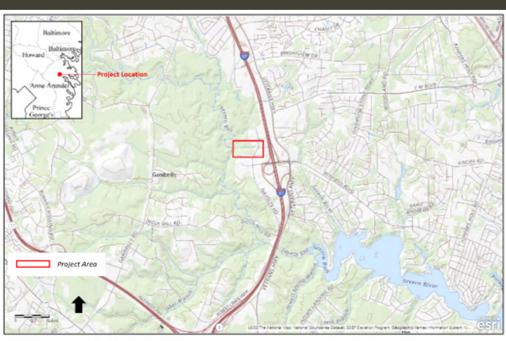


Figure 1: Project Vicinity Map





Najoles Road: Site Overview





- Pond constructed in 1990s for I-97
 - Potentially for sediment control
- Does not provide water quality treatment
- UNT to Severn Run
 - First order stream, Class IV tributary to SR, approx. 1800 LF to SR Floodplain
 - o Tall banks severely eroded, sediment being mobilized to SR Natural Environment Area owned by MD DNR
- Gully from adjacent I-97 Business Park

Najoles Road



SITE CHALLENGES

- Topography; access
- Temporary dewatering of pond and UNT to SR
- Floodplain tie-in to Severn Run (work near delineated wetland)
- Climbing Fern (Lygodium palmatum)
 - G4-S2 State Threatened Plant

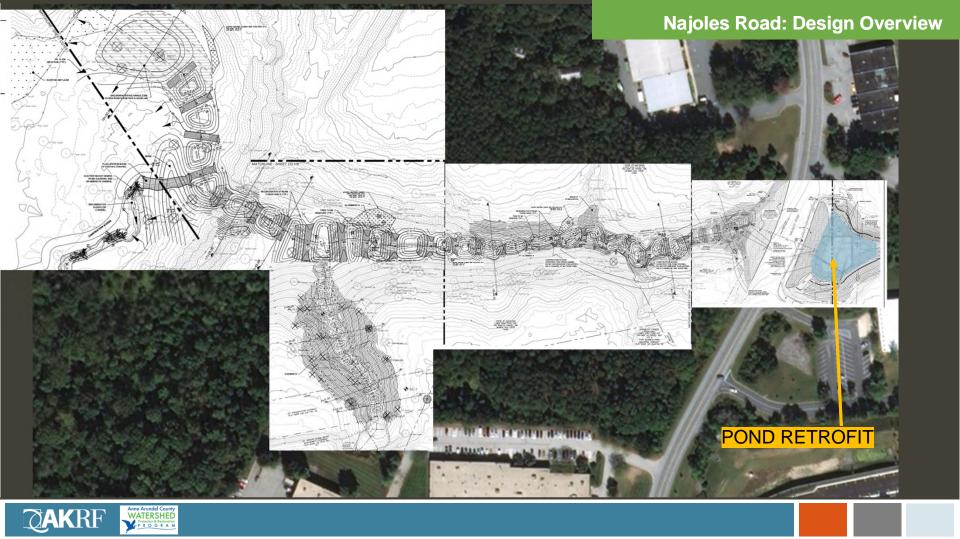
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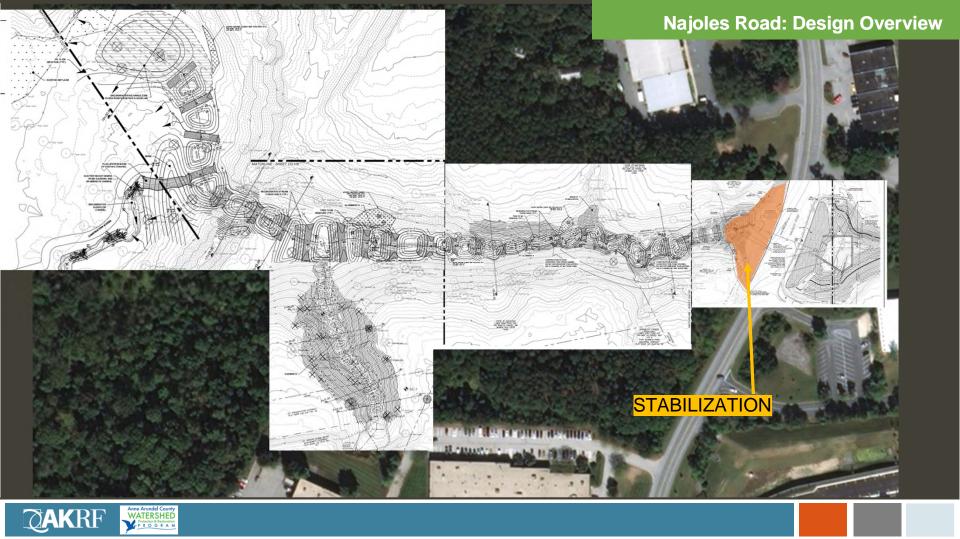


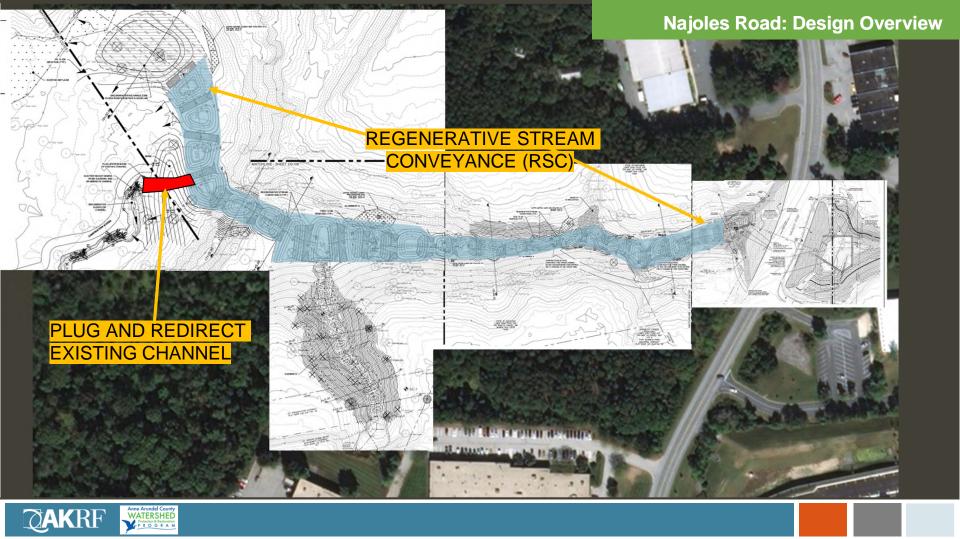
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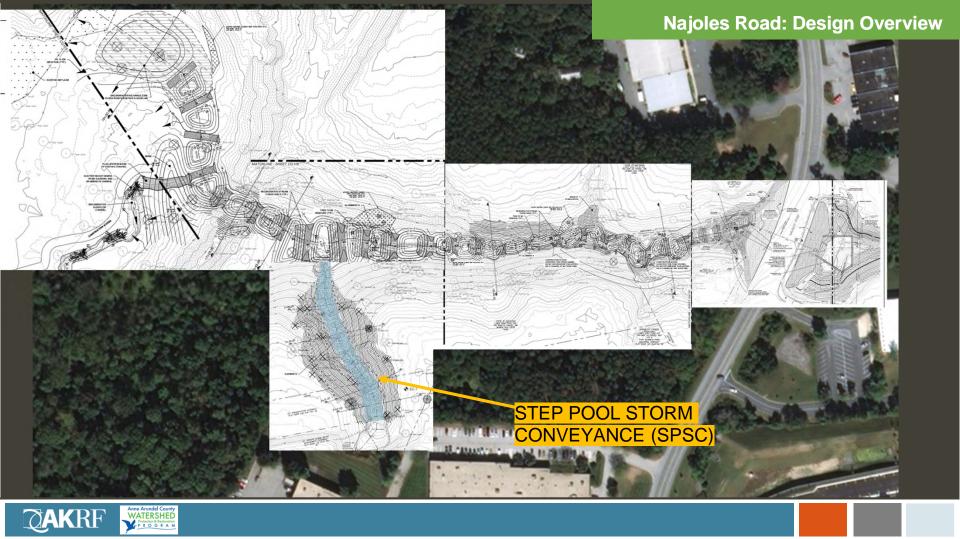
- Retrofit wet pond to current standards for WQv treatment
- Stabilize eroding banks
- Stream restoration using RSC
- Gully stabilization using SPSC
- Groundwater reconnection within Severn Run Floodplain
- Remove transient sediment deposits from upstream bank erosion

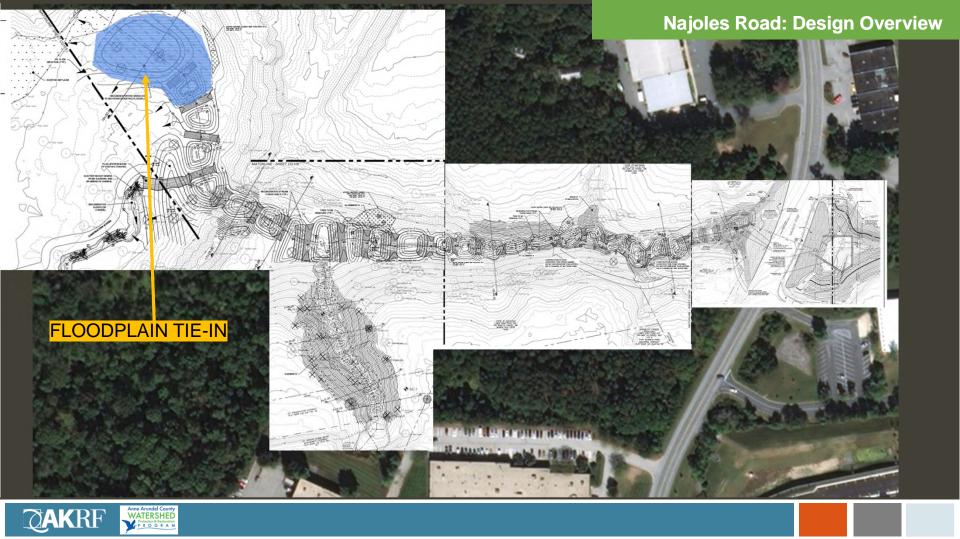


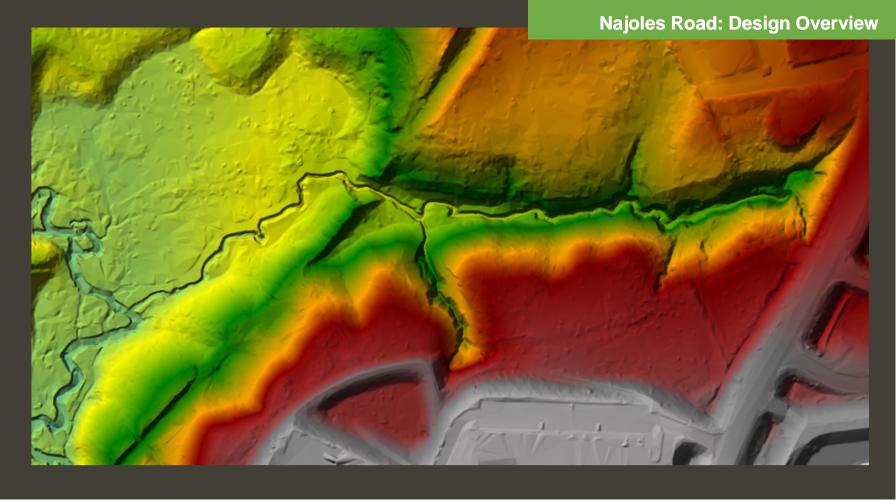






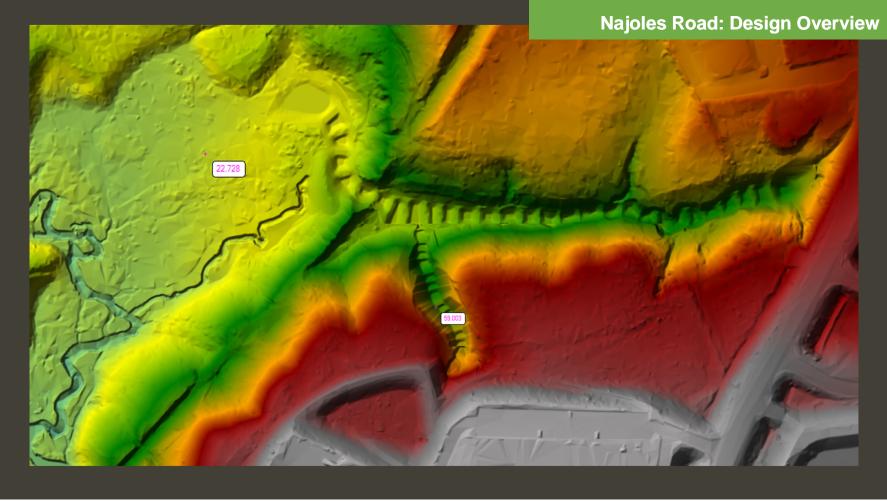












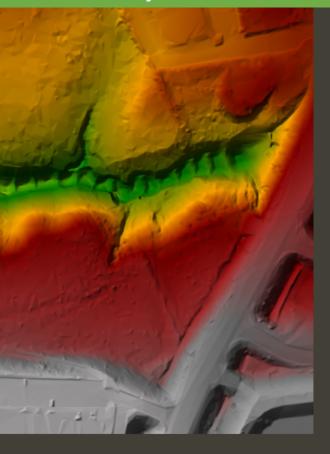


Najoles Road: Statistics

Drainage Area	130 AC
Impervious Area Treated	56.5 AC
Water Quality Volume	176,461 CF

ANNUAL POLLUTANT REMOVAL (LBS)

	TNI	TD	T00
	TN	TP	TSS
Wet Extended Detention Pond Retrofit	234	41	26,960
Regenerative Stream Conveyance	404	129	2,251,700
Step Pool Storm Conveyance	46	6	3,360
TOTAL	685	176	2,282,000





Summary

STORMWATER RETROFITS

- Variety of System Options & Combinations
 - Hybrid BMP configurations
 - Infiltration Basin
 - Infiltration Trench
 - Permeable Pavement
 - Step Pool Storm Conveyance
 - Regenerative Storm Conveyance
- Achieve Improved:
 - Water Quality
 - Quantity Control, Flood Mitigation
 - Waterway and Outfall Stability
 - Functional Uplift
 - Native Vegetation Establishment



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Thank You

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