

Incentivizing Stormwater Management for Older Florida Communities

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Parallels Across Sectors

Is there a potential for municipalities to incorporate efficient space-saving technologies with traditional hardscapes to improve water quality ?





http://www.externalworksindex.co.uk/entry/40407/Polypipe-Civils/StormX4-stormwater-treatment-system/

Diesel Retrofit Experience

Statement of the Problem

- Diesel engines are workhorses, both in mobile and stationary applications
- better mileage, higher torque, cheaper fuel, longer lifetime
- Heavy Duty Trucks and Buses are mostly diesel all around the globe.
- Diesel combustion process emits soot particulates, PM and NOx emissions.
- US EPA, CA CARB, European EPA are among the leading regulatory agencies to limit pollutants from new engines.
- Diesel vehicles with older engines remain major pollutants, while new engines are manufactured via cleaner norms.





EU Emissions Standards

Existing Diesel Fleet Remain as the Concern

- Diesel Engines last long with proper maintenance, could be in use for 20-30 years, especially the Heavy-Duty engines.
- Preferred for the commerce; trucks, buses, off-road vehicles







Major Diesel Retrofit Programs

LEGISLATIVE

2001 Hong Kong Diesel Retrofit 2002 Tokyo, Japan bans trucks w/out filters 2003-08 London, Mexico City, NYC, Milan 2005 US School Bus Retrofit 2008 CA Truck & Bus Rule; CA Air Resources Board

2009 American Recovery & Reinvestment Act

PROGRAMS

Voluntary Retrofit- during annual checkup – incentives Forced truck owners to retrofit NYC Off-road; Milan cars; London buses, Mexico trucks Voluntary filter retrofit Reduce PM by 85%; retrofit or repower on-road vehicles Provide funds to fleet owners



Criteria for Retrofit Programs

Legislative Authority	US/CARB, EU VERT, United Nations
Emissions Performance	PM/NOx Emissions
No Adverse Effect	No Secondary Emission
Durability	1000 – 2000 hours in-service
Solution Classification	Various Retrofit Strategies
In-Use Monitoring	Sensors
In-use Performance Evaluation	System testing while in use
Warranty	In-Use Hours; Mileage based
Recall Authority	Authority revokes certification and license

User's Success Criteria

- Choice of Technology
- Applications Engineering
- ✤ Maintenance
- Materials Quality
- Management

The 1950's through late 70's was a busy time in Southwest Florida.

- State Population went from just over 2.77 million to 9.75 million in 1980. <u>s. Smith. June 2005</u>
- Most growth was centered along and west of the "trail"
- Environmental regulations were not strong in most regions of the State





Stormwater Concerns in older communities:

Nuisance Flooding Water Quality







LEGEND

Private Land Not Served by BMP Private Land Served by BMP

Sarasota County Owned Properties

Sarasota County Boundary

Municipality

City of North Port

City of Sarasota

City of Venice

Sarasota County

Town of Longboat Key

Total Acreage- Privately Owned Land Not Served by BMP 52,405.566735 ac

Total Acreage- Privately Owned Land Served by BMP 31,582.286597 ac

Total Acreage of All Privately Owned Land 86,282,981636 ac

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Water Quality

There are cost share programs which incentivize BMPs to help improve water quality:

Rain gardens – <u>East Multnomah SWCD</u> – Portland, Oregon Rain Barrels – Sarasota County Rain Barrel Program Pervious replacement - <u>RiverSmart</u> – Washington DC





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Alligator Creek Baffle Box and treatment Wetland February 2013





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Redevelopment of Residential Lots











Water Quality

Cost Pervious	Cost Impervious	Cost Share Dollars Spent at 75% of TPC of Pervious	Cost Share Dollars Difference of TPC (P/IMP plus incentive	C/B Per Pound Removal (20 yrs) at 75% cost share	C/B Per Pound Removal (20 yrs) Diff + incentive
\$10,710.00	\$ 7,140.00	\$ 8,032.50	\$ 4,570.00	\$ 626	\$ 356
\$ 4,230.00	\$ 2,820.00	\$ 3,172.50	\$ 2,410.00	\$ 227	\$ 172
\$ 6,165.00	\$ 4,110.00	\$ 4,623.75	\$ 3,055.00	\$ 303	\$ 200
\$13,500.00	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 10,125.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 360	\$ 196
\$ 6,075.00	\$ 4,050.00	\$ 4,556.25	\$ 3,025.00	\$ 239	\$ 159

The incentive is \$1,000.00!

Water Quality Projects (cost/lb of pollutant removed)						
Project Type	High	Medium	Low			
Total Nitrogen (cost/lb)	<\$176	≥\$176 ≤ \$475	>\$475			
Total Phosphorus (cost/lb)	<\$1498	≥\$1498 ≤ \$4152	>\$4152			
Septic Conversion Total Nitrogen (cost/lb)	<\$100	≥\$100 ≤ \$176	>\$176			

Top 10 reasons to bring LID into a Community From <u>Planners Web</u>:

- 1. Increases Property Values
- 2. Cost Effective
- 3. Improves Community Resilience to Climate Change
- 4. Promotes Economic Competitiveness
- 5. Increases Quality of Life
- 6. Provides Multiple Ecological Benefits
- 7. Reduces Flood Risk
- 8. Provides Aesthetic Benefits
- 9. Mimics the Natural System
- 10. Blends into the Landscape







Future of Water Quality

The NEST Program is seeking approval of operating a cost share program that will bring LID to the individual level, and forge partnerships with residents to help improve water quality.



Neighborhood Environmental Stewardship Team

NEST Program Applicant Handbook Water Quality/Quantity Improvement Best Management Practices Cost Share Program 23



Additional technologies and methodologies from the private sector

Sarasota County

Recognition from the State and above as an additional water quality improvement action plan