

An aerial photograph of Los Angeles, California, showing the city's grid pattern, the coastline, and the ocean. The image is partially obscured by a teal overlay on the left side where the text is located.

LA River Green Infrastructure Project

Funding Program

Fiscal Year 2024 – 2025

Upper Los Angeles River Watershed

Project Lead: Los Angeles Sanitation and Environment

Presenting: Valeria Arteaga, LASAN

Previously Awarded TRP – No



Project Overview

The Project will install three dry weather diversions to remove pollutants from runoff, improve water quality, and increase water supply.

- Primary: 100% bacteria
- Project Status: Feasibility
- SCW funding requested for Planning, Design, Construction, O&M
- Total Funding Requested \$17,053,812



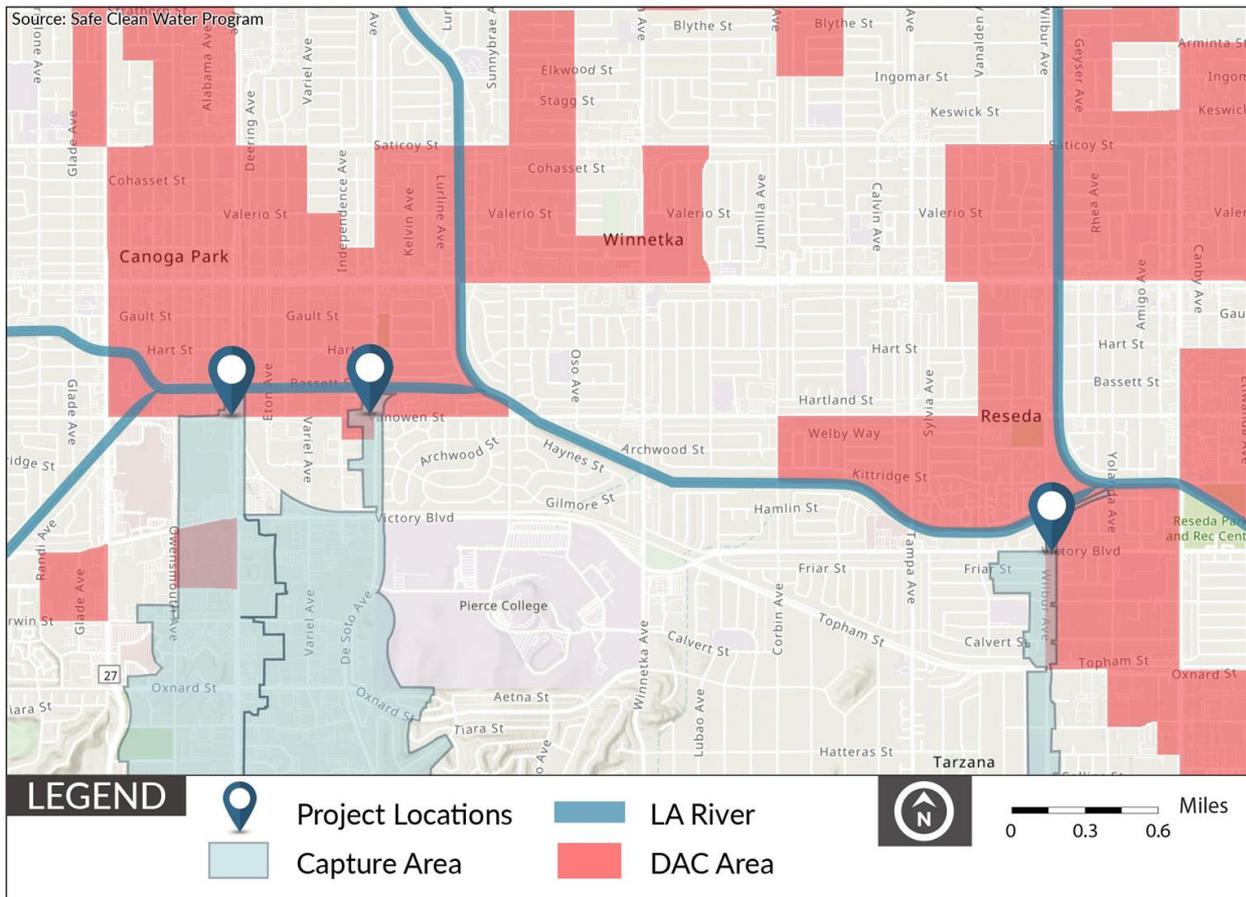


Project Location





Disadvantaged Community (DAC)





Project Background

Project location was selected due to:

- Located within a Disadvantaged Community (DAC)
- Greatest need and highest potential for cost-effective implementation of BMPs

Development of the project took place with the following items in mind:

- Originally submitted in Round 3
- Project reduced size and focused on optimizing water quality and cost benefit effectiveness based on feedback from the WASC
- Community input on needs in the project area

Project area is included in the Upper LA River Watershed Management Plan





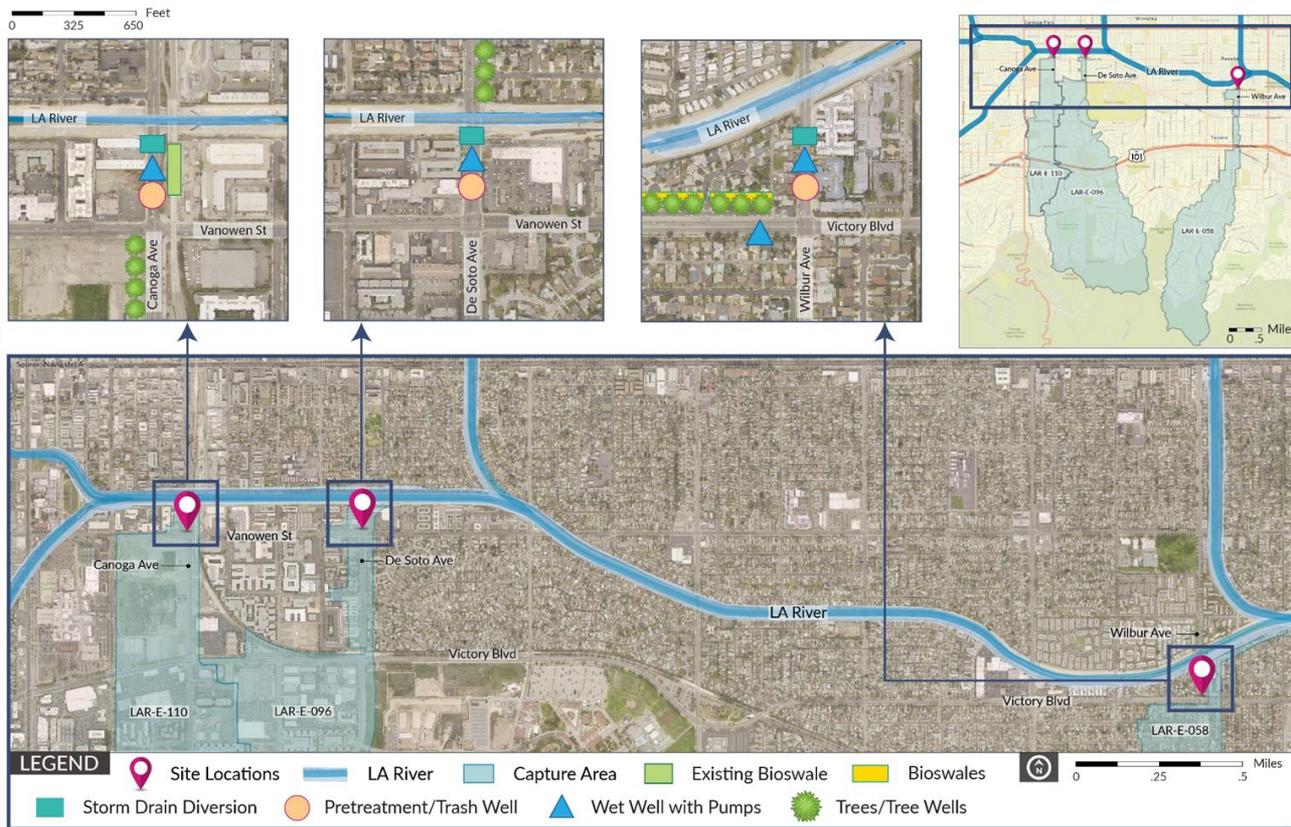
Partners

- Support for the Project
 - Approximately 65 local residents from the City of Los Angeles
 - Friends of the LA River
 - LA River Watchers & Walkers
 - Los Angeles Department of Water and Power
 - Council District 3
 - Winnetka Neighborhood Council
 - Reseda Neighborhood Council (voted to provide a support letter at October 16th meeting - signed letter pending)
- Vector Control District will be contacted during the pre-design phase





Site Plan

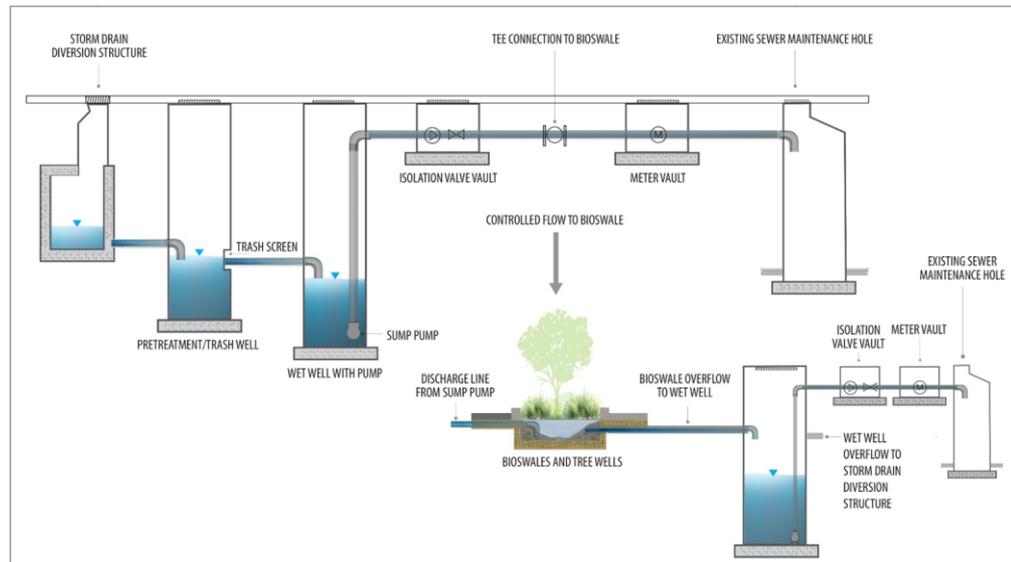




Project Details

Project Details

- Capture approx. 210.3 ac-ft (AF) of dry weather runoff annually
- 4,247 ac drainage area
- Add approx. 3,528 SF of bioswales
- 50 new street trees
- Runoff diverted from existing LA County storm drain system routed to Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant to provide additional recycled water
- Alternative 1 - proposed underground storage at the Randal D. Simmons Park along Wilbur Ave.
 - Not chosen due to high construction costs





Municipality Benefits

Disadvantaged Community (DAC) & Municipality Benefits

- Trees and greening will create additional shade, improved air quality, and reduce heat island effect.
- Educational displays about SCWP and LA River will foster interest in the environment and the long-term sustainability of the LA River.
- Greening along streets going to the LA River will enhance aesthetics and encourage the community to use the LA River for recreational activities like walking, jogging, and bicycling
- Improvements to water quality in the LA River and downstream recreational areas
- Decreasing municipal water demand with added recycled water
- Pollutant removal





Cost & Schedule

Phase	Description	Cost	Completion Date
Planning	Concept report, feasibility study, public engagement, project planning, permitting, and preliminary design	\$1,156,930	06/2025
Design	Engineering, design, CM	\$4,959,128	12/2028
Bid/Award	Bid/Award	\$1,072,244	04/2027
Construction	Construction Contract	\$12,330,806	12/2028
Construction	Three (3) years post-construction monitoring as required in the project transfer agreement and O&M	\$702,091	06/2029
TOTAL		\$20,221,200	
Leveraged Funds	City Services	\$3,167,388	YR1-YR5



Funding Request

Project Schedule Based 5-Yr Cost						
Task Name	YR1-FY24/25	YR2-FY25/26	YR3-FY26/27	YR4-FY27/28	YR5-FY28/29	Total
Project Cost						
Planning ¹	\$1,156,930.50					\$1,156,930.50
Design & CM ²		\$1,608,366.00	\$1,206,274.50	\$1,072,244.00	\$1,072,244.00	\$4,959,128.50
Construction			\$4,110,268.67	\$4,110,268.67	\$4,110,268.67	\$12,330,806.00
Bid and Award			\$1,072,244.00			\$1,072,244.00
O&M					\$402,091.00	\$402,091.00
Monitoring					\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
Total Cost:	\$1,156,930.50	\$1,608,366.00	\$6,388,787.17	\$5,182,512.67	\$5,884,603.67	\$20,221,200.00
Total Match:	\$218,717.00	\$737,167.75	\$737,167.75	\$737,167.75	\$737,167.75	\$3,167,388.00
Funding Request:	\$938,214	\$871,198	\$5,651,619	\$4,445,345	\$5,147,436	\$17,053,812

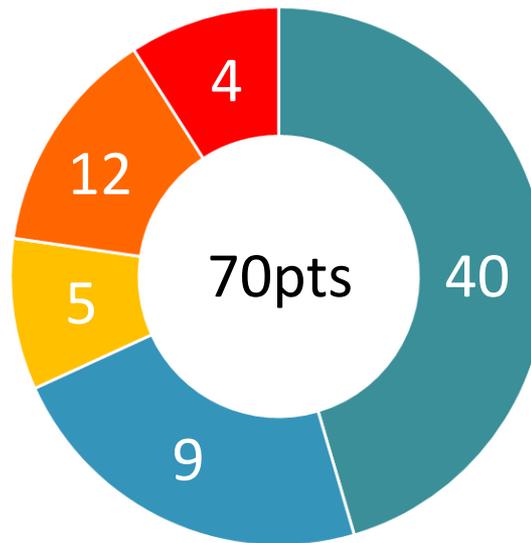
- 15.7% of funding matched (City Services)



Score as confirmed by the Scoring Committee

The Scoring Committee confirmed this score on 11/2/2023

- Water Quality
- Water Supply
- Community Investment Benefits
- Nature Based Solutions
- Leveraged Funds and Community Support





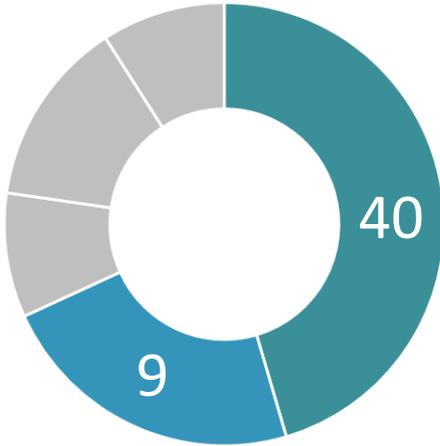
Water Quality & Water Supply Benefits

Water Quality

- Bioswales, street trees and LFDs
- Tributary area: 4,247 acres
- 100% Dry Weather Capture
- Pollutant Reduction: 100% bacteria, 100% trash

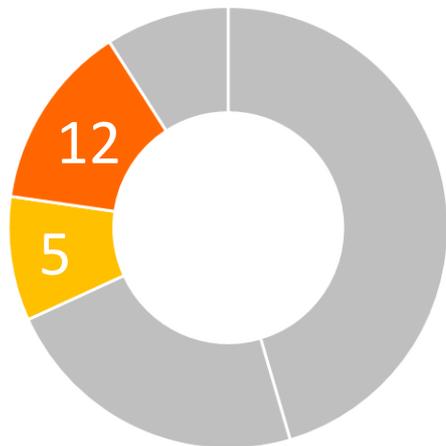
Water Supply

- Annual Water Supply Volume: 210.3 AF/yr
- Water Supply Use: Recycled water at Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant
- Water Supply Cost-Effectiveness: \$5,840/AF





Community Investment Benefits and Nature-Based Solutions



Community Investment Benefits

- Creation/enhancement of habitat
- Improved access to LA River
- Enhanced recreational and learning opportunities
- Increased shade and reduction of Heat Island Effects
- Increased trees and vegetation

Nature-Based Solutions

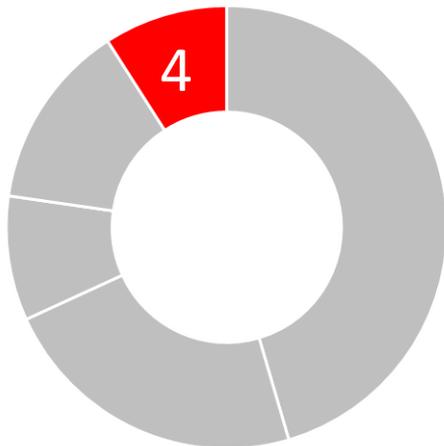
- Mimics natural processes in trees and bioswales
- Utilizes natural materials in bioswales
- Replaces impermeable surface with green space



Leveraging Funds and Community Support

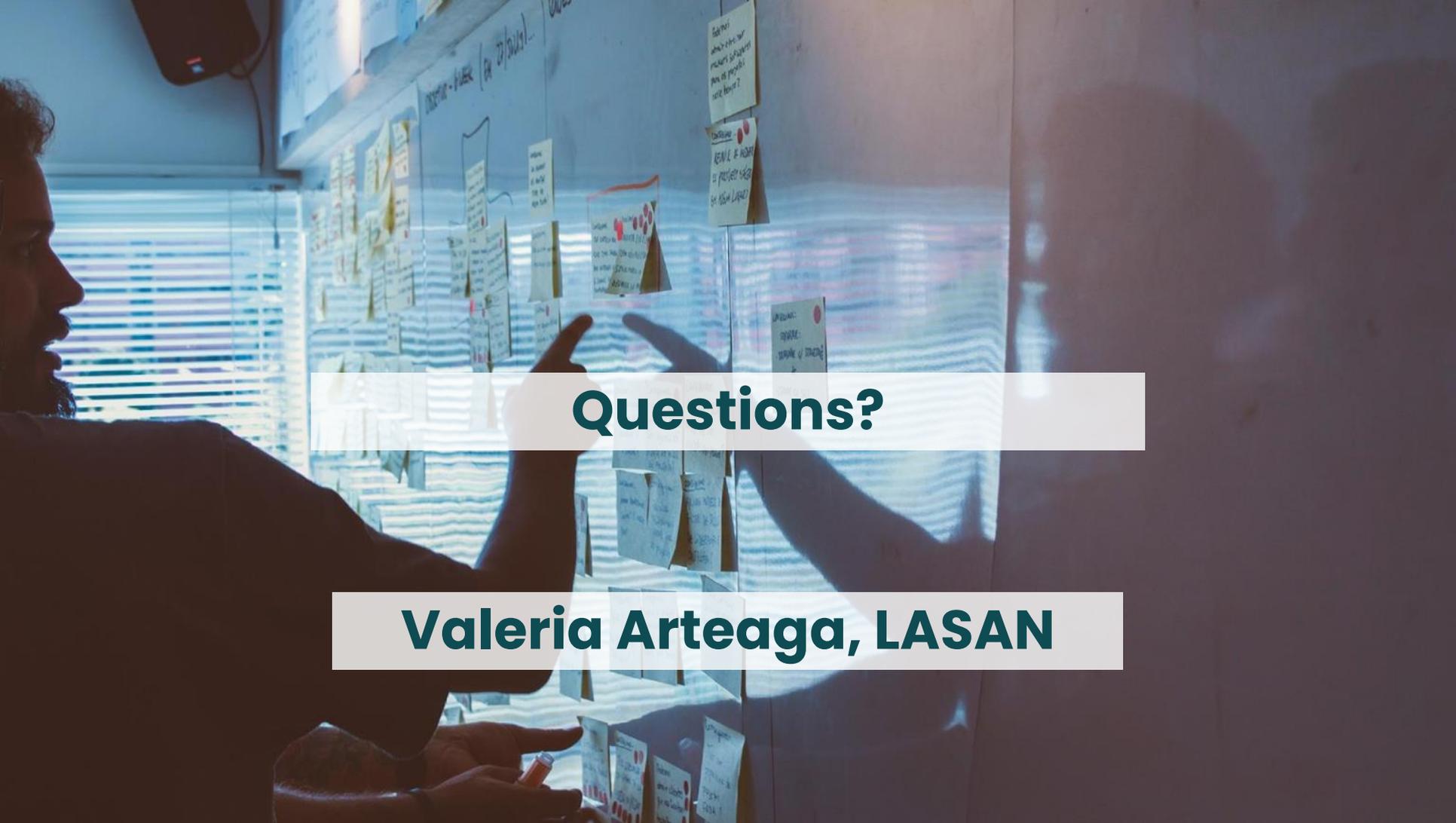
Leveraging Funds

- This project has 16% leveraged funds



Community Support

- This Project has received strong community support from:
 - LA Department of Water and Power,
 - Council District 3,
 - Friends of the LA River,
 - LA River Watchers & Walkers,
 - Winnetka Neighborhood Council, and
 - approximately 60 local residents from the City of Los Angeles.

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Questions?

Valeria Arteaga, LASAN

An aerial photograph of a coastal city, likely Los Angeles, showing a dense urban grid, a large body of water (the ocean) in the foreground, and a prominent bridge crossing a bay. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

Sun Valley Green Neighborhood Infrastructure Project

Funding Program (Infrastructure Program)

Fiscal Year 2024-2025

ULAR Watershed

LA Sanitation & Environment

Kevin Ho

Previously Awarded TRP – No



Project Overview

This Project proposes the implementation of green street elements such as dry wells, to increase water supply, improve water quality, and mitigate flood risk

- Primary Objective: Increase water supply, improve water quality, and mitigate localized flooding by constructing nature-based stormwater capture and infiltration features.
- Secondary Objectives: Enhance safety and recreational opportunities for the neighborhood
- Project Status – Funding Request for: Planning, Design, O&M, Monitoring, & Construction
- Total Funding Requested: \$13,771,475





Project Location



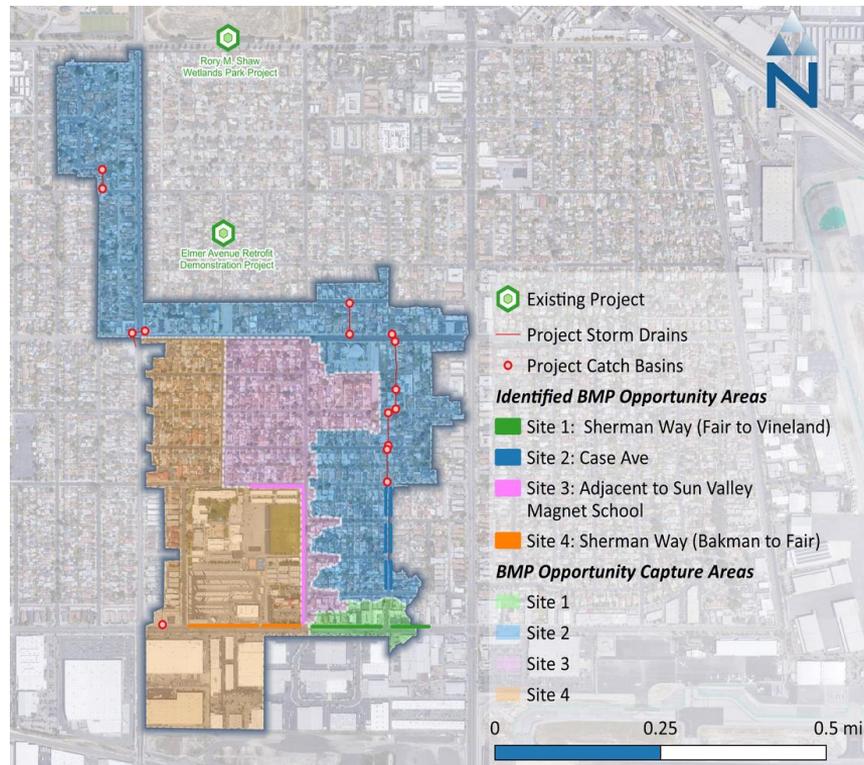
Project Location



DAC Location Map (shown in orange)



Project Location



Drainage Area and Project BMP Opportunity Areas



Project Background

- Project location selected because the Sun Valley Neighborhood has:
 - Historically experienced flooding
 - Minimal existing stormwater and green infrastructure
 - Located within a Disadvantaged Community (DAC)
- The project was developed taking into account the water quality and supply needs of area, in addition to community needs
- The project area is included in the Upper Los Angeles River (ULAR) Enhanced Watershed Management Program (EWMP), identified as Subwatershed No. 664249



Localized flooding at Case Avenue and Sherman Way



Localized flooding Case Avenue and Valerio St



Partners

- Communities/groups that have expressed support for the project:
 - Council District 2
 - Sun Valley Area Neighborhood Council
- 19 total Letters of Support received from community members
- Letter of Support received from the ULARA Watermaster
- Vector Control District will be contacted during design phase

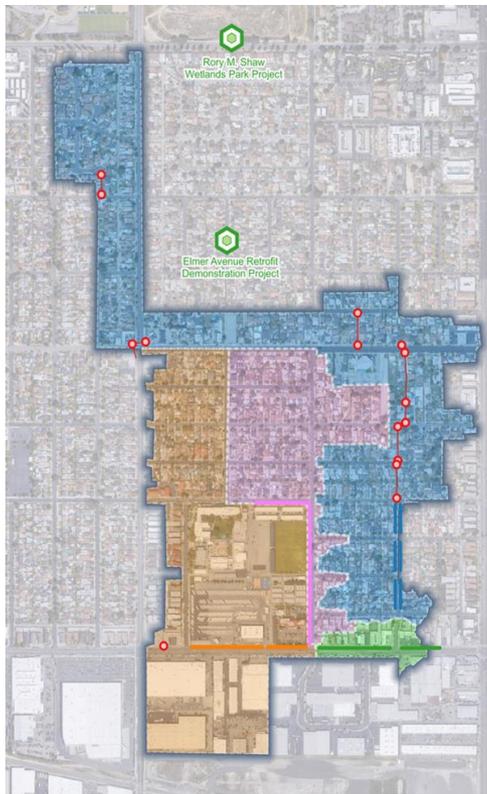


LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
PAUL KREKORIAN
COUNCILMEMBER, SECOND DISTRICT





Project Details



Project Layout

Preliminary geotechnical investigation was completed to determine:

- Soil Type: Interbedded sand and silty sand
- Groundwater Depth: Not Encountered
- Design Infiltration Rate: 4.5 in/hr

The following alternative concepts were considered:

- **Alternative 1** - Including County storm drain diversions along Vineland Avenue
 - Not chosen due to high cost
- **Alternative 2** - Excluding a portion of the capture area and County storm drain diversions along Vineland Avenue
 - Not chosen due to exclusion of improvements near school



Project Details



Project Layout

Project to include:

- 40 drywells
- 2,000 square ft of bioswales
- Approximately 35 trees
- Native, drought-resistant vegetation
- Stormwater educational signages



Project Benefits

- **Benefits to municipality/municipalities:**
 - Capable of capturing 189.9 AF of runoff annually (76.1 AF/yr of wet weather runoff and an additional 113.8 AF/yr of dry weather runoff)
 - Captures 8.9 AF (91% of the 85th Percentile storm volume)
 - Removal of 81% of zinc and 85% of trash from captured runoff.
- **Disadvantaged Community (DAC) Benefits:**
 - Improved flood management and flood risk mitigation.
 - Additional trees (35) and greening to provide improved air quality, reduction of heat island effect, and increased carbon sequestration.
 - Reduction in pollutants from local runoff.
 - Increased educational opportunities about stormwater and water resources.



Cost & Schedule

Phase	Description	Cost	Completion Date
Planning	Project Planning, Permitting, Preliminary Design	\$963,363	YR1-FY24/25
Design & CM	Design and CM	\$4,034,917	YR5-FY28/29
Bid & Award	Bid & Award	\$87,241	YR4-FY27/28
Construction	Construction	\$10,817,940	YR5-FY28/29
Monitoring and O&M	Three (3) years post-construction monitoring	\$467,154	Continued After Project Construction
TOTAL		\$16,370,615	
Leveraged Funds	City Services	\$2,599,140	YR1-YR5



Funding Request

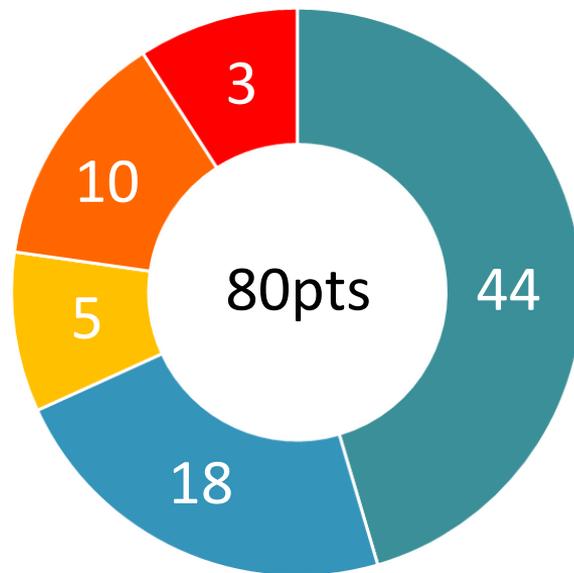
5-Yr Cash Flow						
0	YR1-FY24/25	YR2-FY25/26	YR3-FY26/27	YR4-FY27/28	YR5-FY28/29	Total
Project Cost						
Planning	\$963,363	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$963,363
Design	\$0	\$1,308,622	\$981,466	\$872,415	\$872,415	\$4,034,917
Construction	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,452,591	\$5,452,590	\$10,905,181
O&M	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$327,154	\$327,154
Monitoring	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$140,000	\$140,000
Total Cost	\$963,363	\$1,308,622	\$981,466	\$6,325,006	\$6,792,159	\$16,370,615
Total Leverage	\$200,000	\$599,785	\$599,785	\$599,785	\$599,785	\$2,599,140
Funding Request	\$763,363	\$708,837	\$381,681	\$5,725,221	\$6,192,374	\$13,771,475

- 15.9% of funding matched (City Services)



Scoring

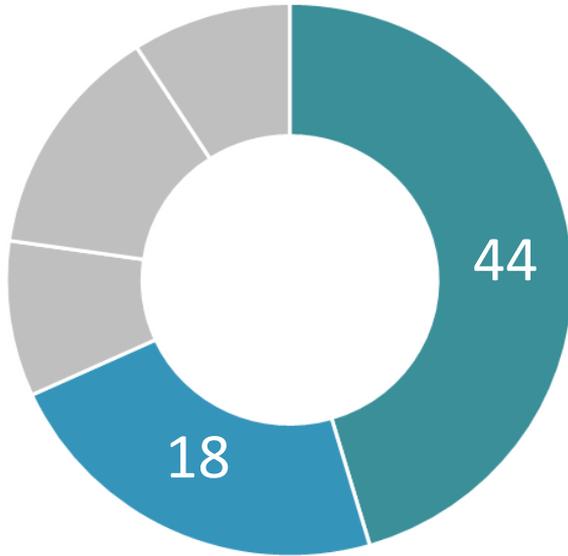
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*Scored in Scoring Committee Meeting on November 2, 2023



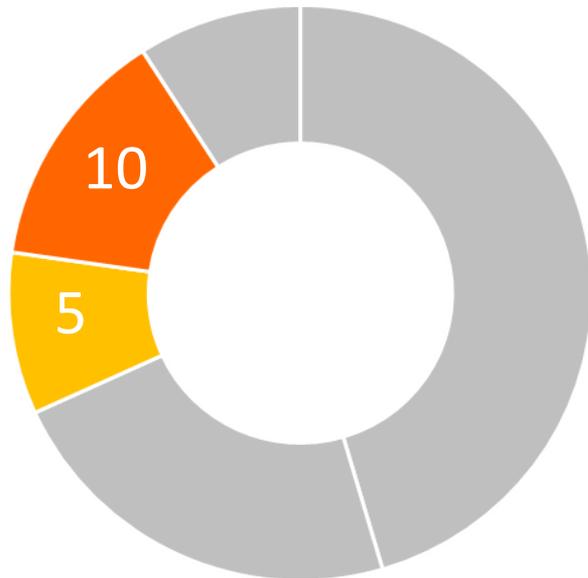
Water Quality & Water Supply Benefits



- Water Quality
 - Water quality effectiveness 0.82 AF/\$-Million
 - 81% Primary Load (zinc) reduction
 - 85% Secondary Load (trash) reduction
- Water Supply
 - Water supply cost effectiveness of \$5,244/AF
 - 189.9 AF/yr of stormwater capture



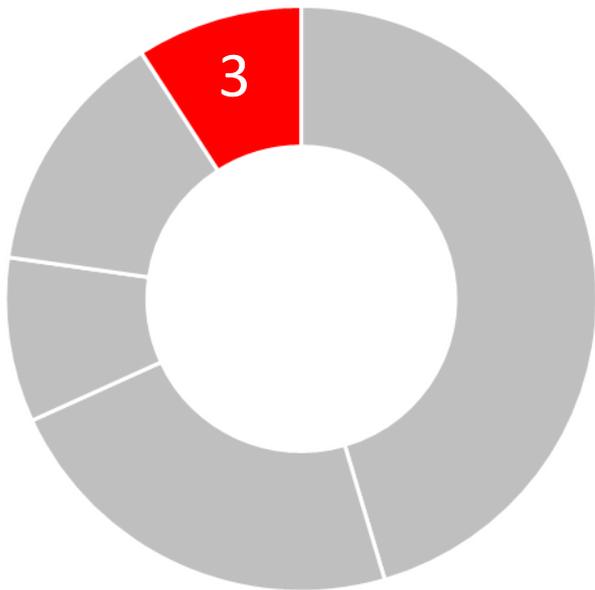
Community Investment Benefits and Nature Based Solutions



- (6) Community Investment Benefits
 - Improved flood mitigation
 - Enhancement and Restoration of Habitat
 - Enhanced recreational opportunities
 - Increased shade and reduced heat island effect
 - Increased carbon sequestration and air quality improvements
- Nature Based Solutions
 - Implements natural processes in stormwater runoff infiltration
 - Use of natural materials and California-native vegetation



Leveraging Funds and Community Support



- **Leveraging Funds**
 - The City is exploring potential leveraged funding opportunities
 - 15.9% of funding will be matched
- **Community Support**
 - The project has been embraced by the local community
 - 19 Letters of Support received from community members and local community organizations



Questions?

Kevin Ho



Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project

Infrastructure Program – Fiscal Year 2024-2025

Upper Los Angeles River Watershed

City of Los Angeles, Bureau of Street Services (StreetsLA)

Previously Awarded TRP – No

Presenters:

Mark Prieto-Ines, StreetsLA

Curtis Fang, Geosyntec Consultants



Project Overview



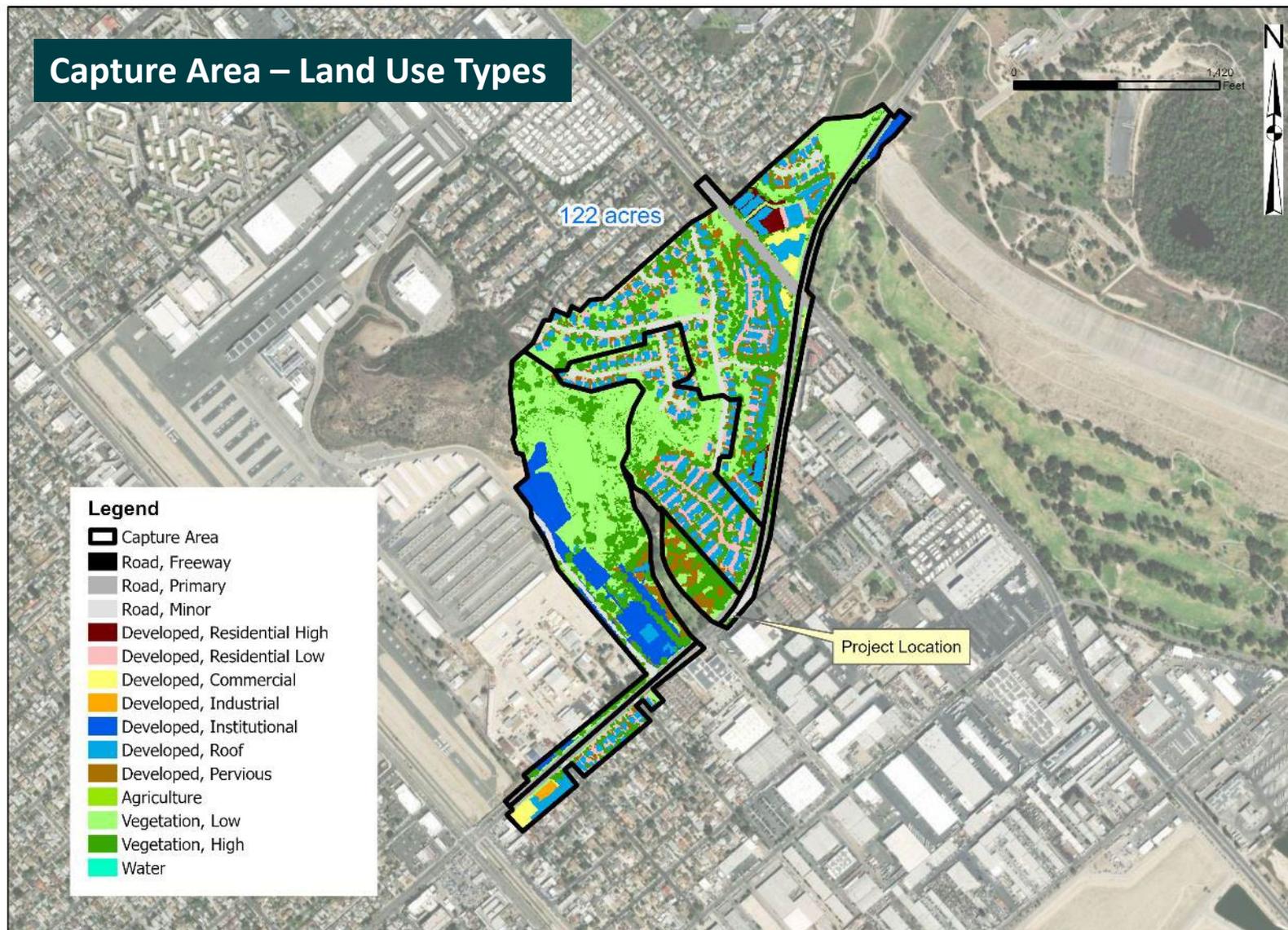
Regional stormwater capture and infiltration located along 1.7-mile stretch of Osborne Street to enhance active transportation improvements

- Project Lead: **StreetsLA**
- Primary Objective: **Use nature-based solutions to provide 5.1 ac-ft water quality management capacity.**
- Secondary Objectives: **Recharge groundwater, promote active transportation, reduce local urban heat island effect**
- Phases for which SCW funding is being requested: **Planning, Design, and Construction**
- Total Funding Request: **\$9,500,000**





Project Location



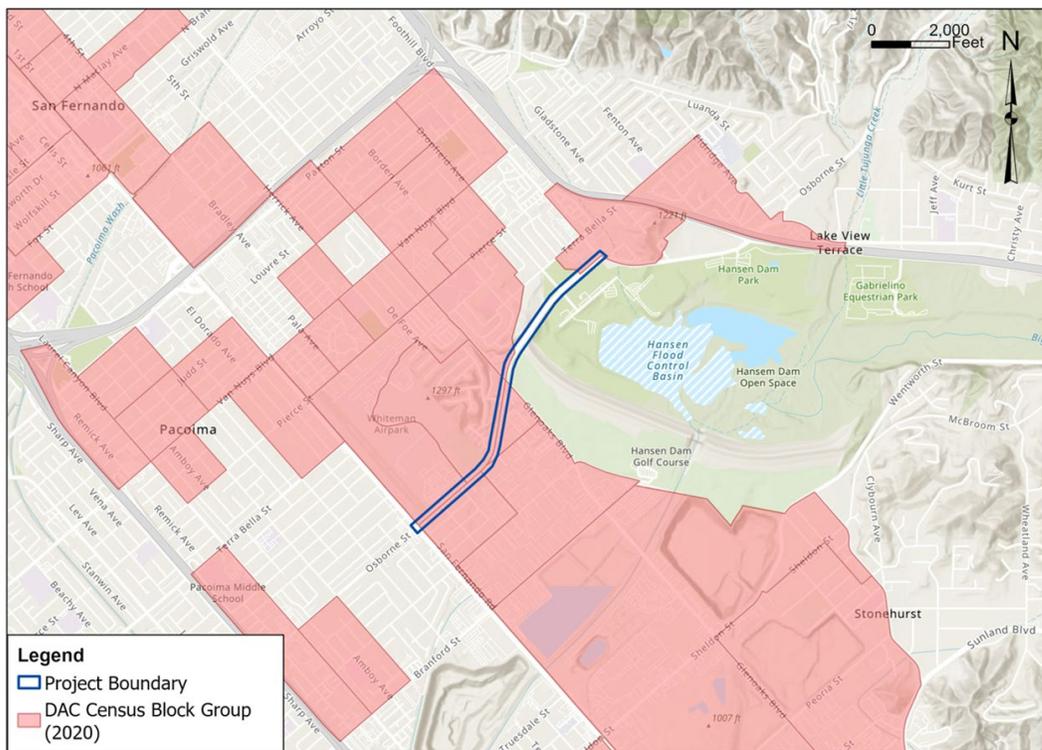
The Project will capture 122-acres of drainage area in the City of Los Angeles portion of the Upper Los Angeles River Watershed Management Program Area.



Project Location



Disadvantaged Communities



City of LA Equity Tool showing Cooling Center Need



The Project encompasses five DAC census block groups that are in great need for shade improvement within the City of Los Angeles, Council District 7.

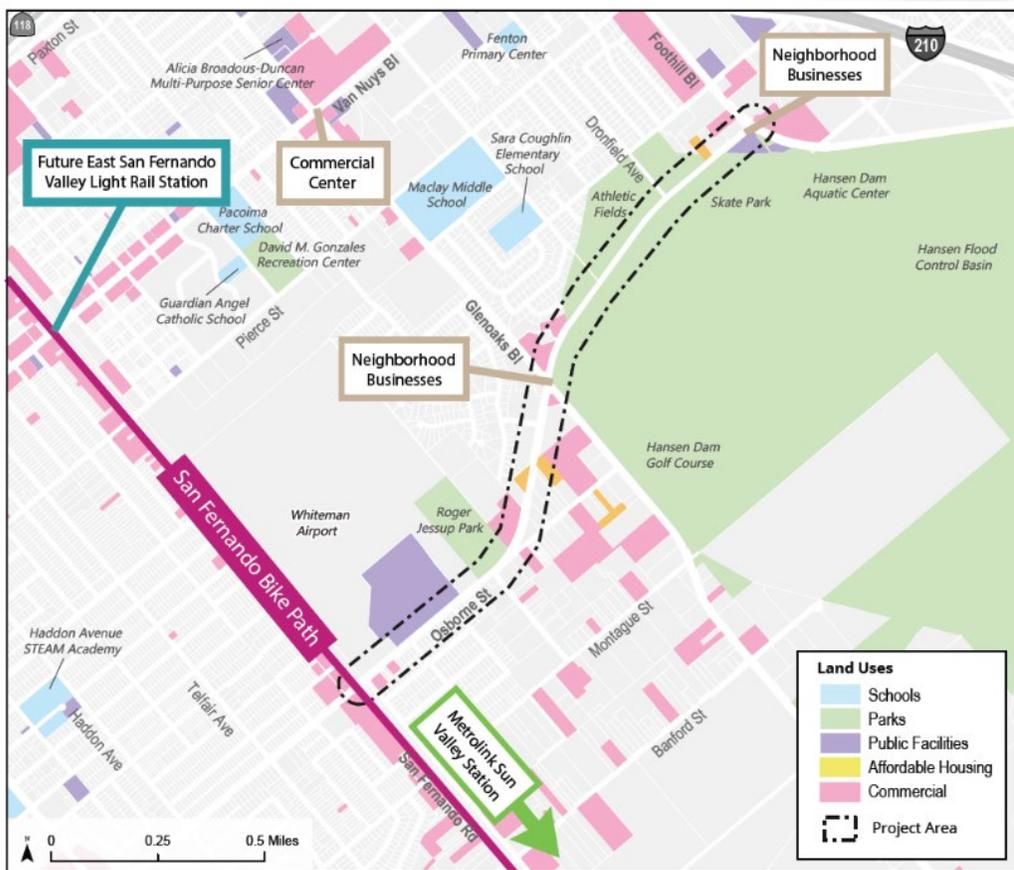


Project Background



The Osborne Street Path to Park Access Project was selected and developed to:

- prioritize livability and safety within a disadvantaged community, and
- creates a complete street between transportation options, neighborhood destinations, open spaces, waterways, and trails.





Project Background



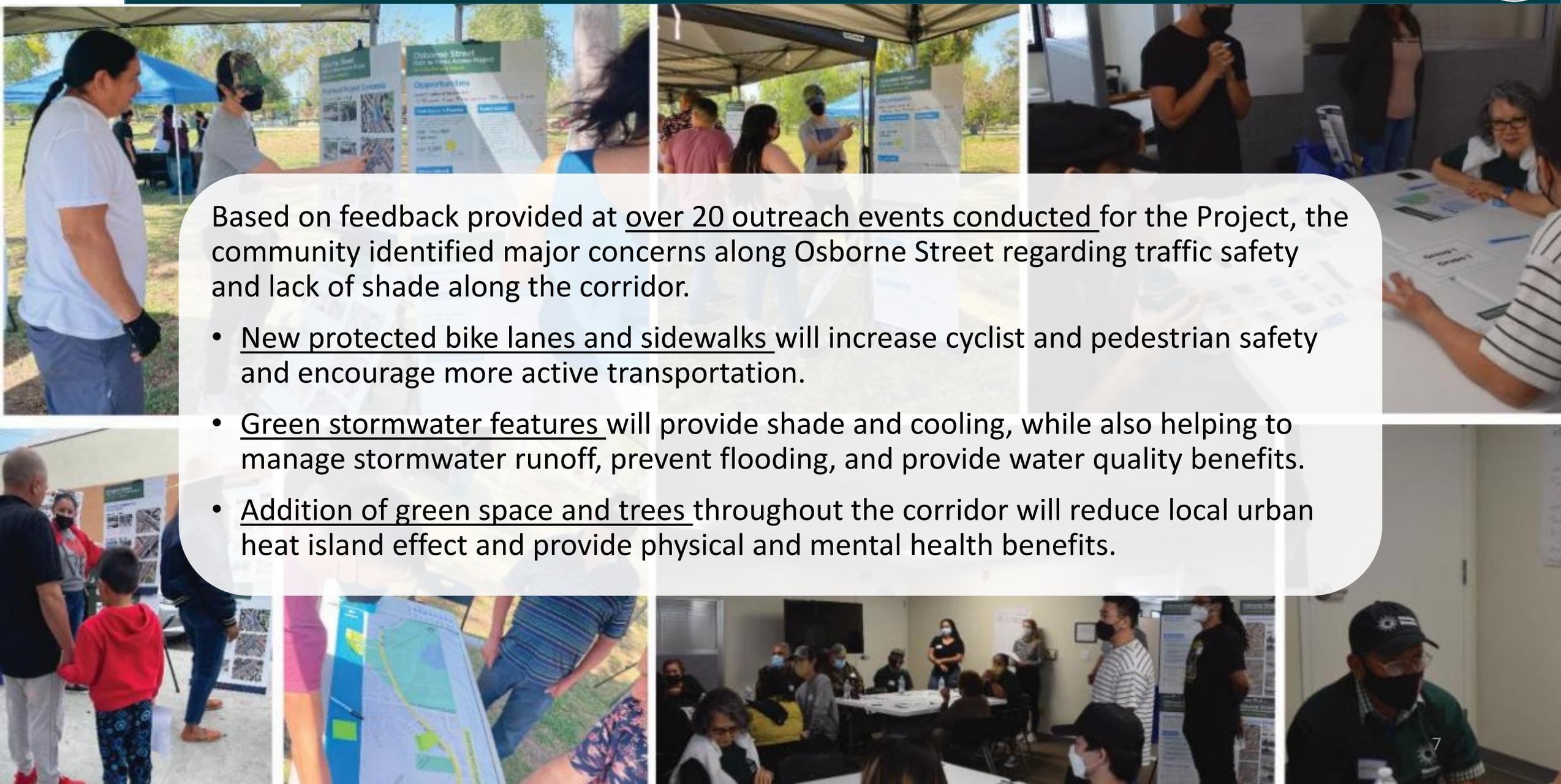
The stormwater capture component is integrated to provide additional water quality, water supply and community investment benefits to the municipality and disadvantaged community:

- ULAR WMP Implementation: Contribute 5.1 ac-ft of 24-hr stormwater management capacity to ULAR EWMP subwatershed 668649
- Groundwater recharge: Infiltrate 95.5 ac-ft/year of water into the underlying San Fernando Valley Groundwater Basin.
- Improved flood management
- Creation, enhancement, and restoration of open space
- Recreational enhancements (protected bike lanes and walkways)
- Heat island effect reduction
- Increased shade with 250 new trees
- Accessible, safe route to Hansen Dam Recreation Area and other community destinations





Project Background



Based on feedback provided at over 20 outreach events conducted for the Project, the community identified major concerns along Osborne Street regarding traffic safety and lack of shade along the corridor.

- New protected bike lanes and sidewalks will increase cyclist and pedestrian safety and encourage more active transportation.
- Green stormwater features will provide shade and cooling, while also helping to manage stormwater runoff, prevent flooding, and provide water quality benefits.
- Addition of green space and trees throughout the corridor will reduce local urban heat island effect and provide physical and mental health benefits.



Partners – Strong Community and Elected Official Support



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June 13, 2023

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Scoring Committee
Regional Oversight Committee

Subject: Safe, Clean Water (SCW) Regional Program Round 5 Letter of Support for the Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project



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June 19, 2023

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Letter of Support for the Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project



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June 13, 2023

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Subject: Safe, Clean Water (SCW) Regional Program Round 5 Letter of Support for the Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project



Ongoing Correspondence with Vector Control District

From: Mark Hall <mhall@glacvcd.org>
Sent: Thursday, July 20, 2023 1:02 PM
To: Kimberly Goins
Cc: Alyssa Yu; Phil Reidy; Curtis Fang; mark.prieto-ines@lacity.org; gina.liang@lacity.org
Subject: RE: Vector Control District Contact - Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project

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Hi Kimberly,

Thank you for the additional documents. After reviewing the proposed project, I only have a few items of concern that will need to be verified. Also, I understand the drawing supplied are not construction specific and any comments related should be considered for inclusion into the final construction plans.

- Diversion structure – The secondary side of the structure to slope to the invert of the discharge so there is no standing water in the absence of flow. Maintenance hole covers must be sealed (void of any through or pick holes), or have a mosquito exclusion insert installed beneath each cover to eliminate mosquito access into or out of the system.
- Pretreatment (CDS) units – Devices must be from the State Water Board list of certified full trash capture devices. Access covers must be sealed (void of any through or pick holes), or have mosquito exclusion inserts installed beneath each cover.
- Drywells – Many drywells are designed with a solid bottom and the wall perforations do not allow for complete draining of the unit. The floor of each drywell must be pervious to allow for complete draining of the unit. Additionally, maintenance or access covers must be sealed (void of any through or pick holes), or have mosquito exclusion inserts installed beneath each cover.
- Catch basins – Basin must slope to discharge pipe invert. No standing water.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns with the above comments or other aspects of the project.

Thanks again,
Mark

Mark Hall
 Environmental Program Manager
 Greater Los Angeles County Vector Control District
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Letter of Support from ULARA Watermaster



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July 19, 2023

To: SCWP Regional Oversight Committee Members
 SCWP Scoring Committee Members
 SCWP ULAR Watershed Area Steering Committee Members
 City of Los Angeles Bureau of Street Services (Streets LA)

Re: Letter of Support for Streets LA
 For Osborne Street Stormwater Capture
 Green Street Project, San Fernando Basin

Dear Committee Members:

The undersigned, as the Court-appointed Watermaster for the adjudicated region known as the Upper Los Angeles River Area (ULARA), wishes to express my direct support for the Streets LA grant funding application for its Osborne Street Stormwater Capture Green Street Project (the Project). The Project is located along Osborne Street, between San Fernando Road on the southwest and Foothill Blvd on the northeast, and along the northwesterly side of the Hansen Dam Golf Course; as such, the Project overlies a portion of the San Fernando Groundwater Basin (Basin), the largest of the four adjudicated groundwater basins in ULARA.

This Watermaster recognizes that various local agencies are applying for Regional Project Funds under the Los Angeles County Flood Control District's Safe Clean Water Program (SCWP). I also understand that I have been contacted by Streets LA, as the local Watermaster for this adjudicated Basin, to provide my concurrence and support of the proposed goals of the Project.

From information provided to my office by Streets LA, the Project is to consist of a series of dry wells and linear bioretention features designed to capture local stormwater, and dry-weather and wet-weather flows, and to help permit the captured flows to deep percolate (infiltrate) into the ground. Water supply benefits could include improving the quality of the runoff flows, reducing local street flooding, and potentially increasing the local water supply by inducing recharge to the local groundwater in this portion of the Basin.



Engineering analysis completed during the Feasibility Study phase:

- ✓ As-built review
- ✓ Utility mapping
- ✓ H&H analysis
- ✓ In-situ geotechnical exploration
- ✓ Conceptual design
- ✓ Cost estimate

Subsurface BMP alternative evaluated:

- ~~✗ Infiltration trench~~
- ~~✗ Diversion to sewer~~
- ~~✗ Cistern~~
- ✓ Drywell

Drywell is selected due to cost effectiveness, O&M procedure familiarity, and favorable deep infiltration condition at the Project site

Surface BMP alternative evaluated:

- ✓ Tree well filter
- ✓ Rain garden
- ✓ Bioswale
- ✓ Bioretention planter
- ~~✗ Engineered wetland~~
- ~~✗ Pervious pavement~~

Selected surface BMPs are compatible with the landscape plan of the Osborne Street: Path to Park Access Project



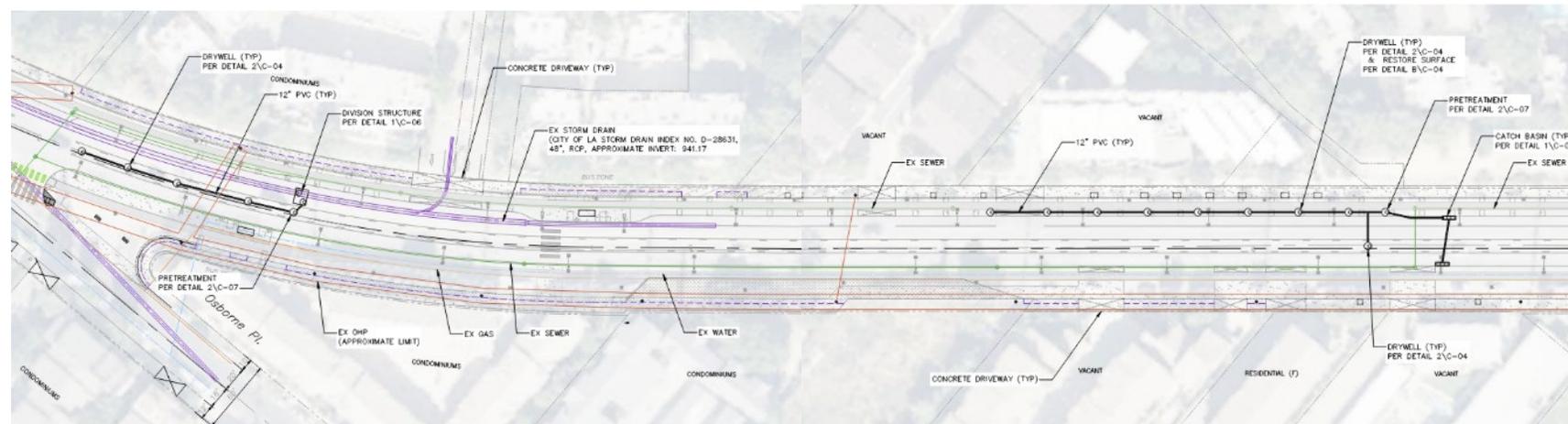
Project Details (Plan View)



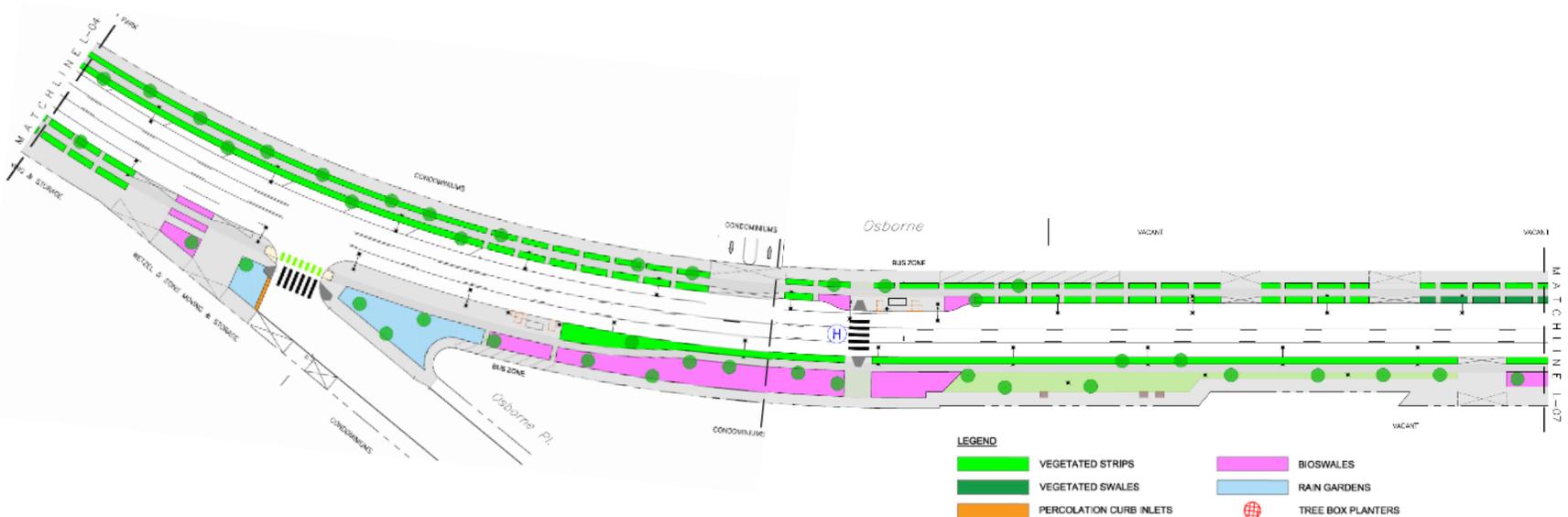
BMP quantities and locations are optimized based on H&H modeling output to fully capture the design storm.

- ✓ 19 drywells
- ✓ 1 storm drain diversion
- ✓ 131,000 sq-ft of vegetated bioswale, bioretention planters, rain gardens, and tree box infiltration planters
- ✓ 250 new trees

Partial Site Layout - Subsurface Infiltration Features



Partial Site Layout - Green Street Surface Features

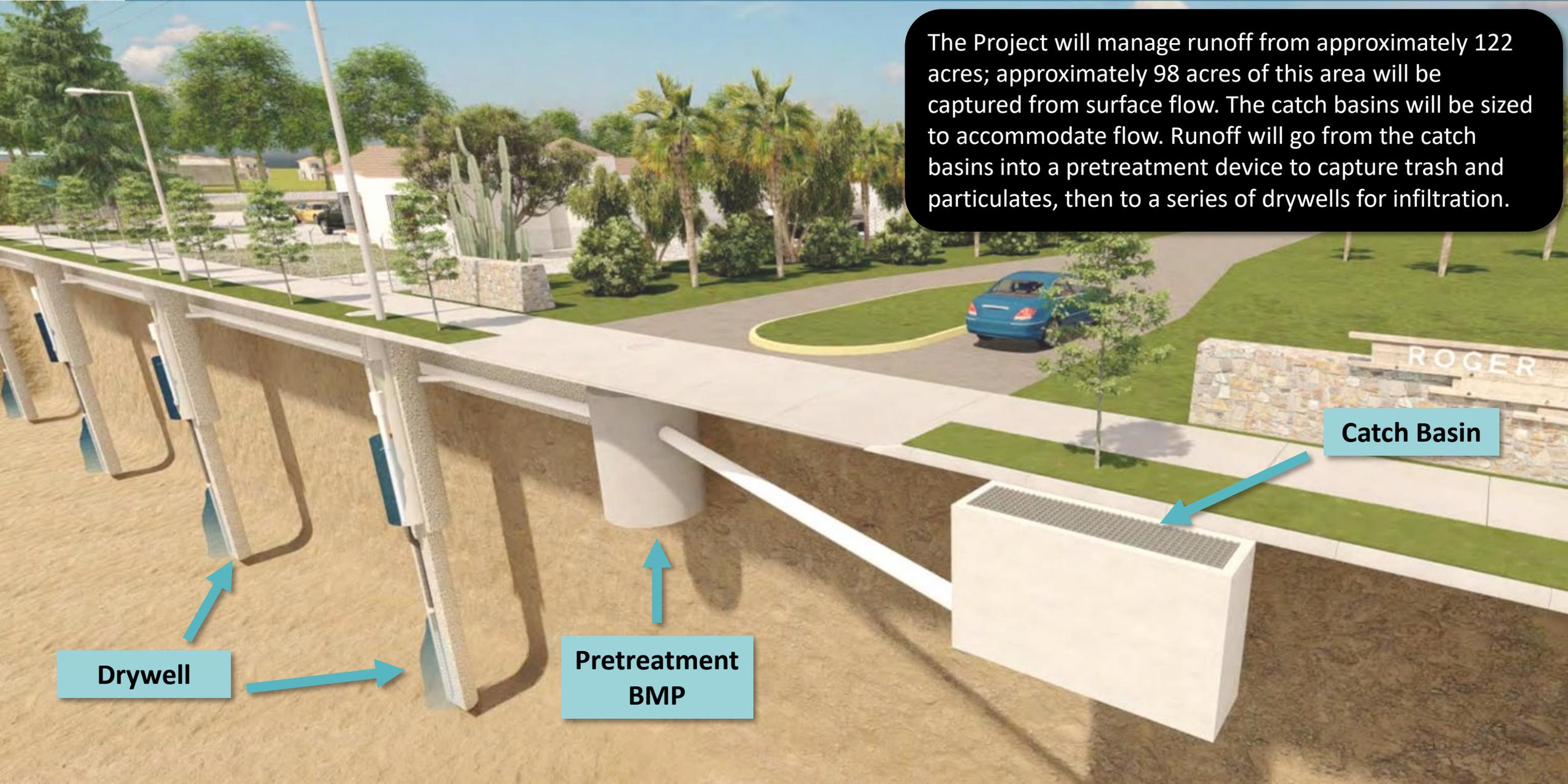




Project Details (Surface Capture Illustration)



The Project will manage runoff from approximately 122 acres; approximately 98 acres of this area will be captured from surface flow. The catch basins will be sized to accommodate flow. Runoff will go from the catch basins into a pretreatment device to capture trash and particulates, then to a series of drywells for infiltration.



Catch Basin

Pretreatment
BMP

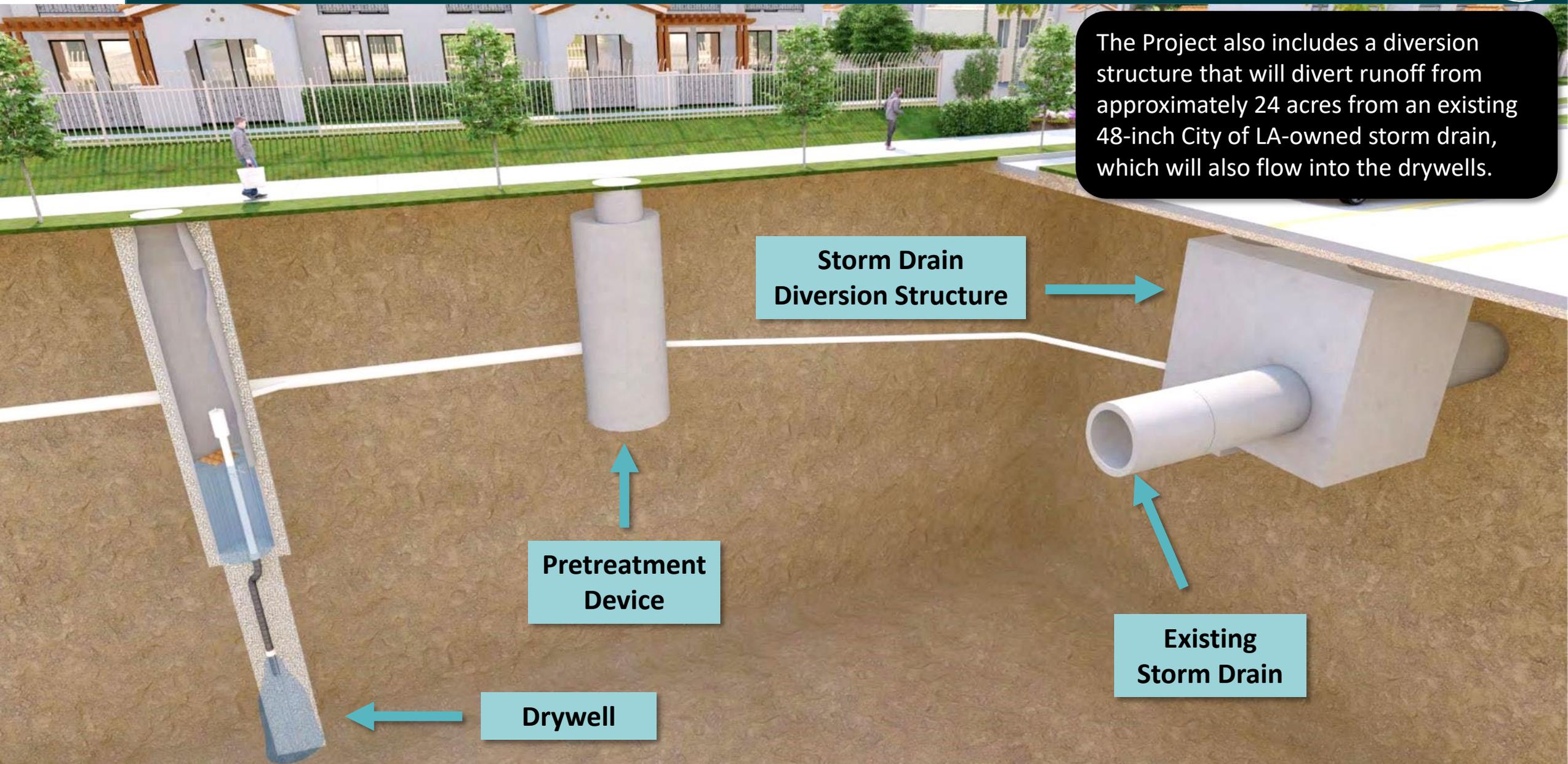
Drywell



Project Details (Storm Drain Diversion Illustration)

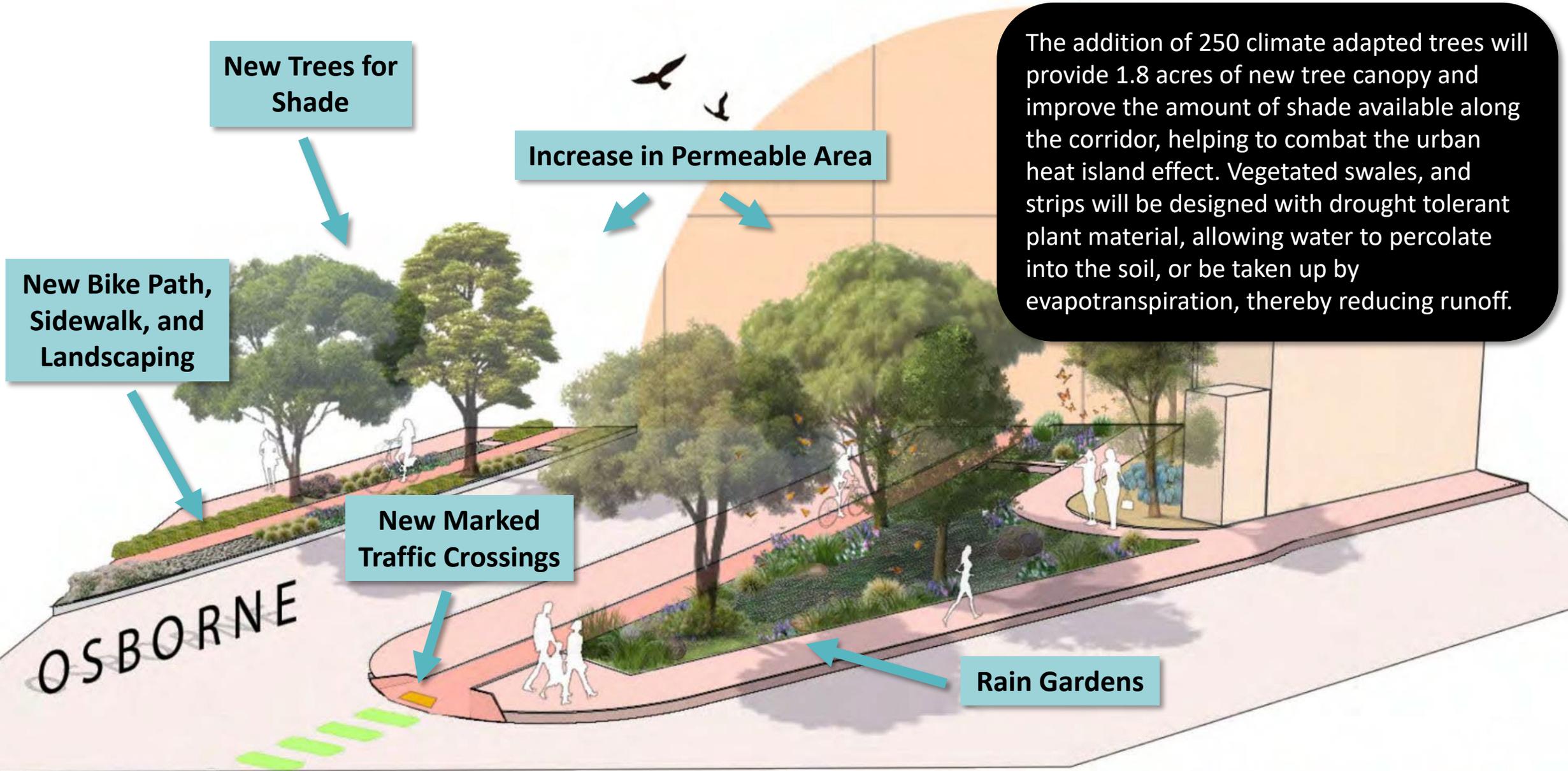


The Project also includes a diversion structure that will divert runoff from approximately 24 acres from an existing 48-inch City of LA-owned storm drain, which will also flow into the drywells.





Project Details (Community Benefits Illustration)



The addition of 250 climate adapted trees will provide 1.8 acres of new tree canopy and improve the amount of shade available along the corridor, helping to combat the urban heat island effect. Vegetated swales, and strips will be designed with drought tolerant plant material, allowing water to percolate into the soil, or be taken up by evapotranspiration, thereby reducing runoff.



Cost & Schedule



Phase	Description	Cost	Completion Date
Planning	Planning includes early concept design, site investigations, and California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and other environmental impact studies and permitting	\$597,400	6/2025
Design	Design includes, pre-project monitoring, site investigations, formal project design, intermediate and final project completion audits.	\$4,659,600	6/2026
Construction	Construction cost includes the cost of labor, equipment, material, plus overhead and contingencies.	\$11,947,800	6/2028
	TOTAL	\$17,205,000	

- Annual O&M: \$169,850 / Annual Monitoring: \$38,800
- Project Lifespan: 30 years
- (Module-generated) Life-Cycle Cost for Project: \$21,103,312.49
- (Module-generated) Annualized Cost for Project: \$1,129,515.95



Funding Request



Year	SCW Funding Requested	Phase	Efforts during Phase and Year
1	\$150,000	Planning	Project planning will be completed during Year 1
2	\$1,194,780	Design	Project design and permitting will be completed during Year 2
3	\$3,262,088	Construction	Project construction will begin in Year 3
4	\$4,893,132	Construction	Project construction will be completed in Year 3
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TOTAL	\$9,500,000		

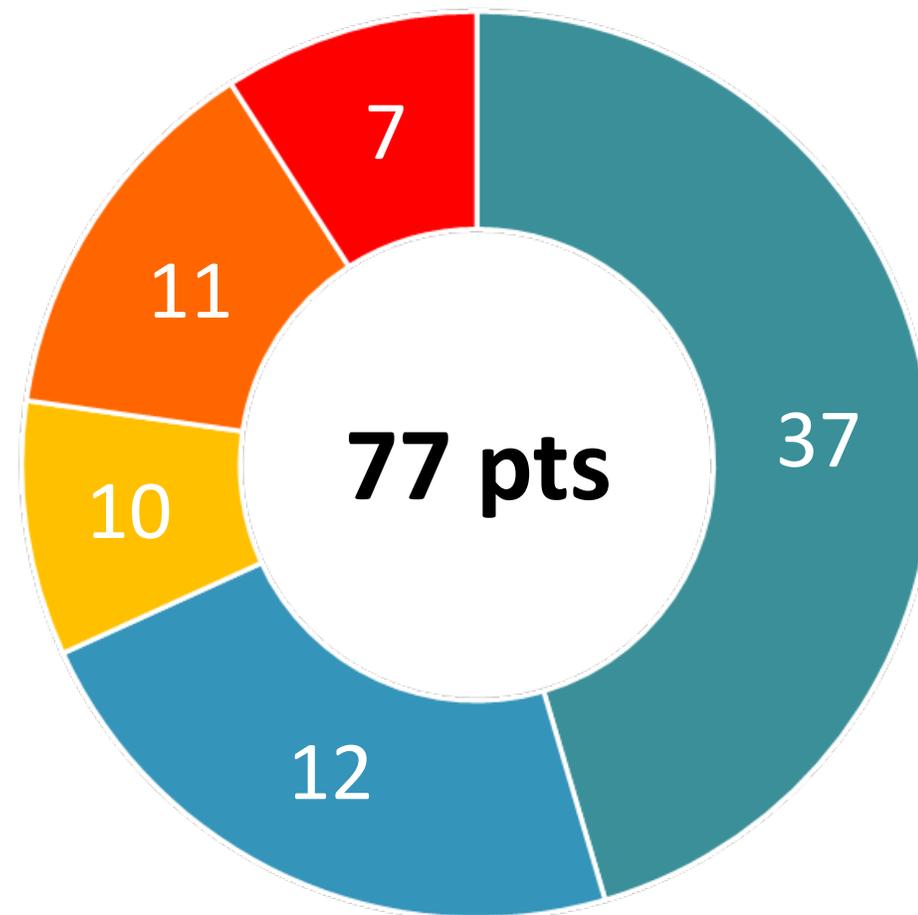
Leveraged Funding: \$7,705,000 (45% Cost Share)



Final Score as confirmed by the Scoring Committee



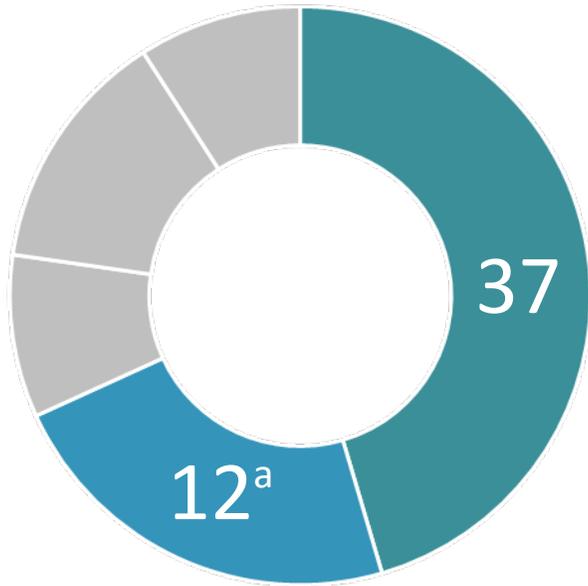
- Water Quality
- Water Supply
- Community Investment Benefits
- Nature Based Solutions
- Leveraged Funds and Community Support



The Scoring Committee confirmed this score on December 7, 2023



Water Quality & Water Supply Benefits



Water Quality Benefits

- ✓ 5.1 ac-ft, 24-hour management of flows from 122-acre drainage area (85th Percentile Storm)
- ✓ 98.4% Zinc Removal / 91.0% Bacteria Removal
- ✓ 0.43 AF / \$ M
- ✓ Contribute to ULAR WMP Implementation Metric

Water Supply Benefits

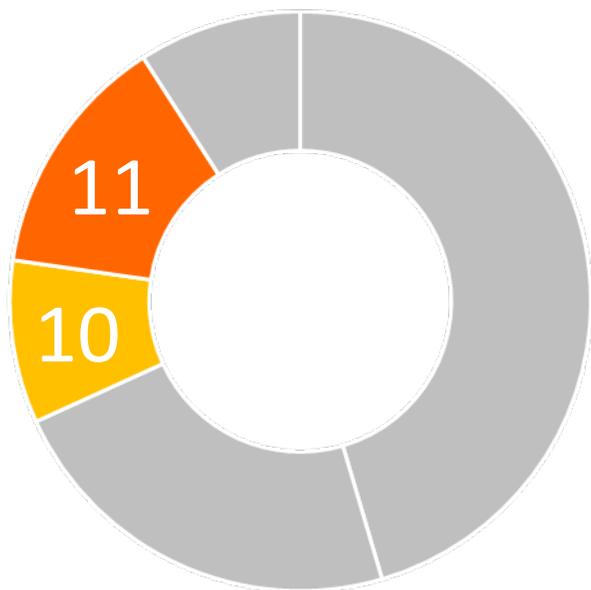
- ✓ 95.5 ac-ft annual average capture for water supply
- ✓ Recharge benefits to the underlying San Fernando Valley Groundwater Basin
- ✓ Capture of first flush flows up to design capacity
- ✓ Cost Effectiveness: \$ 11,825 per ac-ft

^a Calculated using alternative pilot scoring rubric

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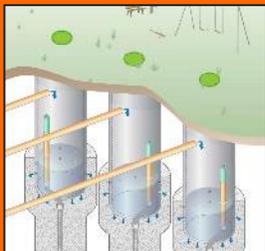
Community Investment Benefits and Nature Based Solutions



Community Investment

- ✓ Improved flood management
- ✓ Creation of habitat and park space
- ✓ Recreational enhancements (protected bike lanes and walkways)
- ✓ Accessible, safe route to Hansen Dam Recreation Area
- ✓ Heat island effect reduction with 131,000 sf of permeable, vegetated areas
- ✓ Increased shade with 250 new trees

Nature-based Solutions



Mimics natural processes



Removes 3 acres of impervious surface

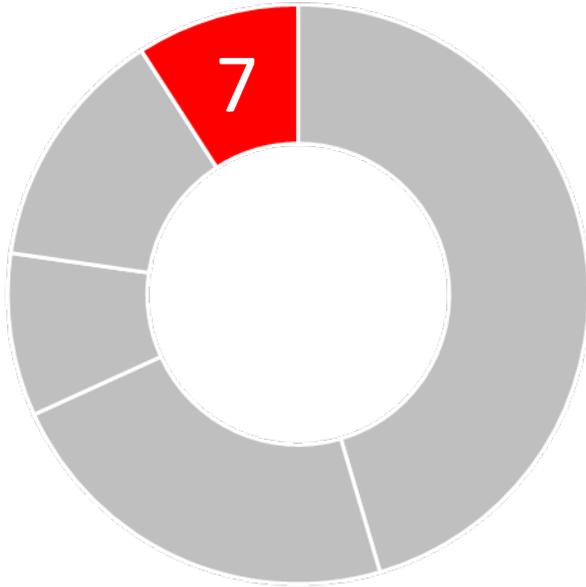


Uses Natural Vegetation

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Leveraging Funds and Community Support



Leveraging Funds and Community Support

- ✓ 45% leveraged funding match using municipal and Active Transportation Program funds
- ✓ Project demonstrates strong, local, community-based support
- ✓ Project has been developed as part of a partnership with local NGOs and CBOs

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Questions?

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