

Stormwater Management Committee Awards Grants for 2019 Projects

The Will County Stormwater Management Planning Committee awarded the 2019 Project Grants to recipients at their regular meeting on Tuesday June 4, 2019. Eleven projects were selected county wide which included a mix of flood mitigation and water quality improvement projects.

“The Stormwater Committee is grateful that the County Board continues to support and fund this project program” said John Dykstra, Chair of the Committee. “The projects funded this year will benefit the citizens of Will County by improving water quality in our streams, and by mitigating flooding in neighborhoods.”

This is the eleventh year of the program. The Stormwater Project Program awards grant funds of up to 50% for projects that include flood mitigation and water quality improvement. Will County received thirteen applications this year from eleven different local sponsors. The Will County Board budgeted \$150,000 for 2019 and the Stormwater Management Planning Committee was able to award all of it. The selected projects include:

- Raynor Ave Storm Sewer (City of Crest Hill)
- Bio retention basin (City of Joliet)
- Abby Glenn Drainage Improvement (City of Lockport)
- Bristol Park Storm Sewer collapse (New Lenox Park District)
- Main Street Storm Sewer Phase 2 (Village of Monee)
- Birch Drive Drainage Improvement (Village of Shorewood)
- Clow Creek Industrial Park (Wheatland Township)
- Kankakee River Drive Improvements- 3 locations (Wilmington Township)
- Walsh Road Bridge & Ditch Cleaning (Wilton Township)
- County Line & Cedar Road Ditch Cleaning and install pipe (Wilton Township)
- Knollcrest Unit 2 Subdivision Drainage Restoration (New Lenox Township)

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