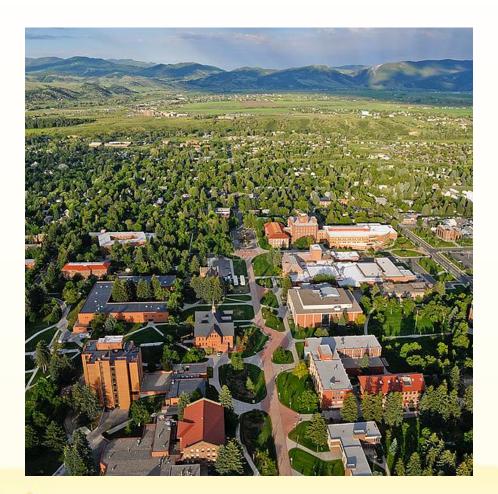
# Storm Water and Sustainable Landscapes

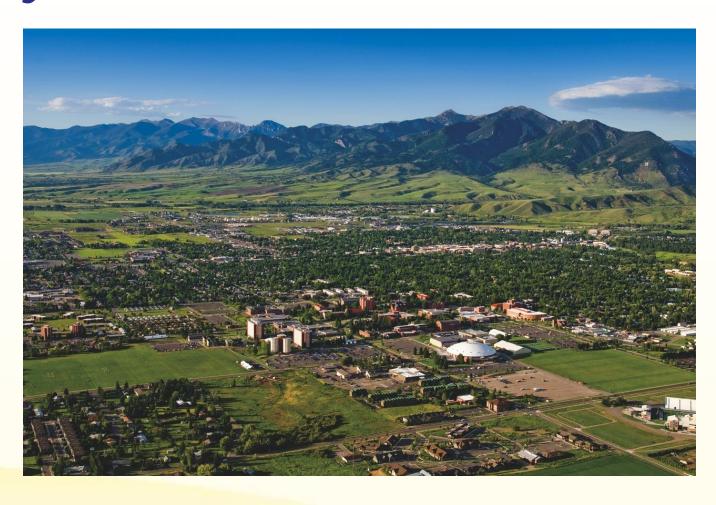
**Green Gardening – October 2016** 

EJ Hook, Environmental Services Manager

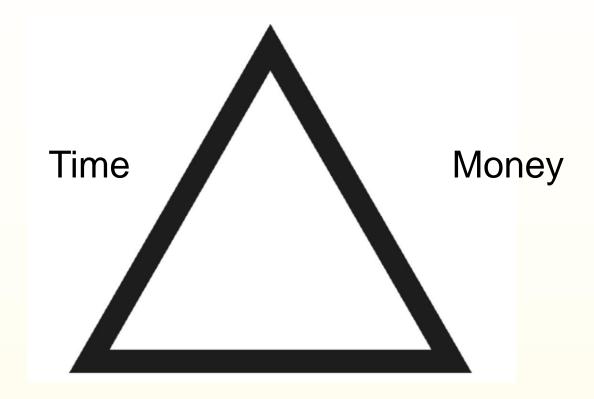


# My World





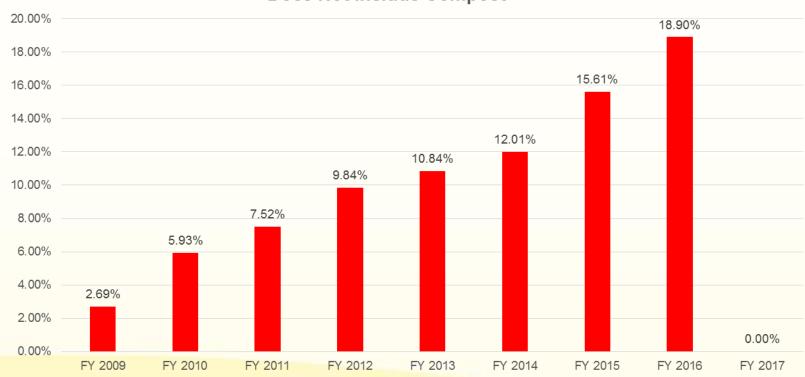




**Awareness** 



#### **Diversion Rate Year to Year Does Not Include Compost**

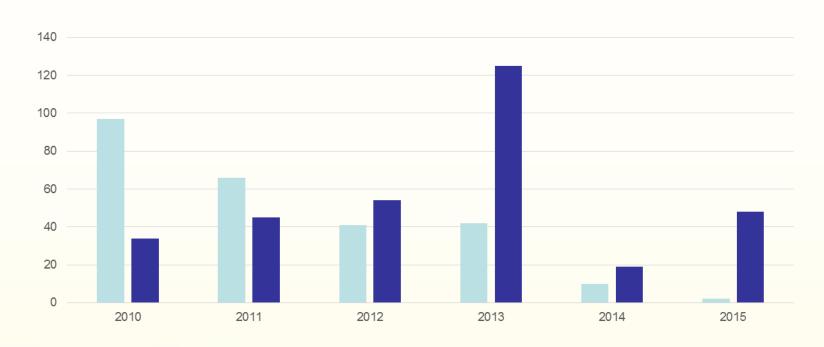








#### Tree Planting



■ Removed ■ Planted

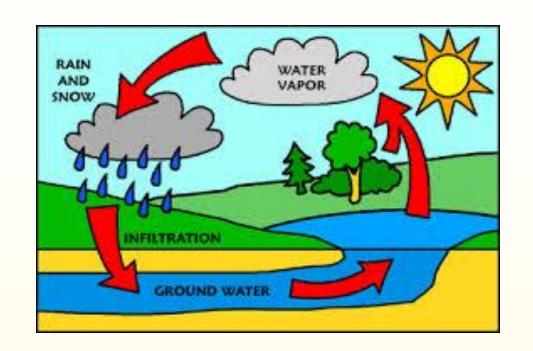


## Introduction

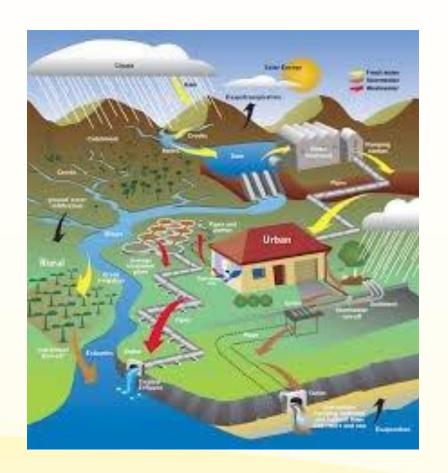
- History
- Clean Water Act
- MS4
- Minimum Control Measures
- What You can do Yourself
- What You can do with a little help from your friends



## The Water Cycle



# The Water Cycle



# How and Why we got Here





## Clean Water Act









# MS4





# MS4-Minimum Control Measures

- Public Education and Outreach
- Public Involvement and Participation
- Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination (IDDE)
- Construction Site Runoff Control
- Post Construction Storm Water Management
- Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping

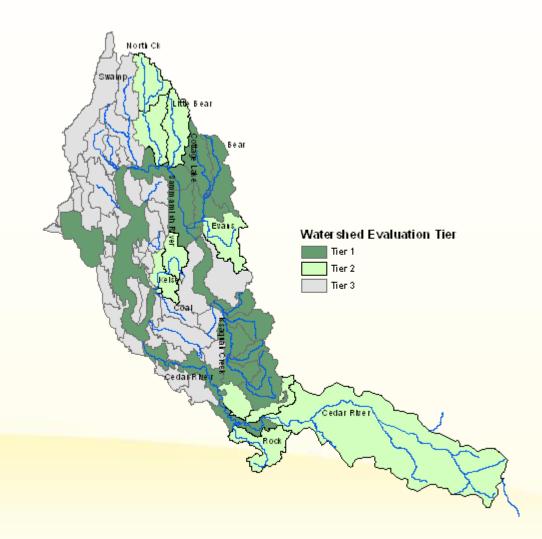


# MS4-Minimum Control Measures

- Quality
- Quantity
- Education



# Why Should you care?





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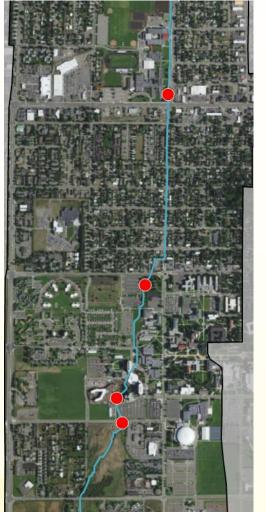






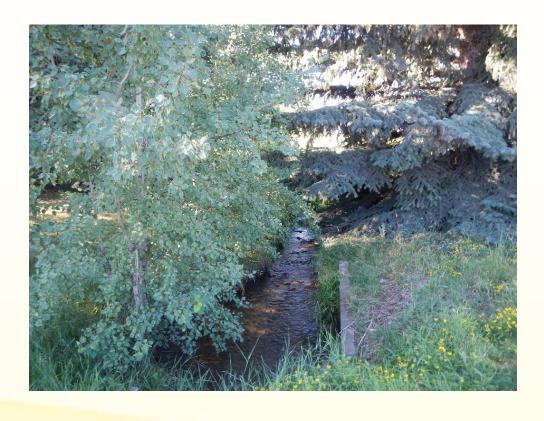
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## Mandeville Creek







# BMP - Mowing





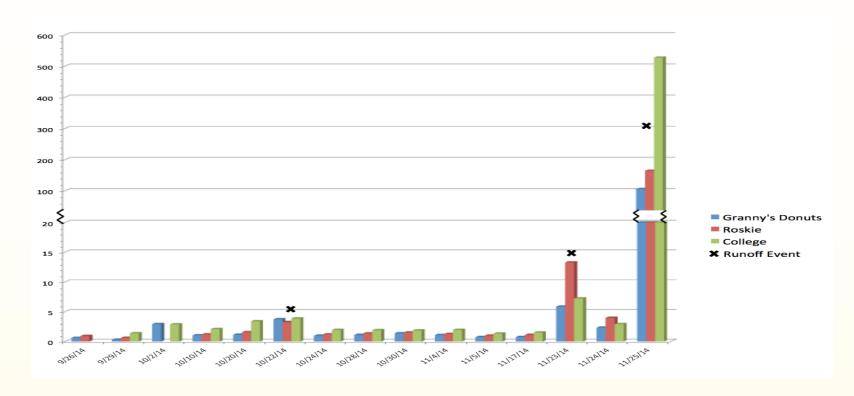


# **BMP-Fertilizer**

Water Quality Testing Summary																		
	7/17/12-12-a	7/17/12 -C-a	7/17/12-C-b	8/21/12-12	8/21/12-C	9/25/12-12	9/25/12-C	7/14/13-12	7/16/13-12-a	7/16/13-12-b	7/16/13-C	8-13-13-12	8/13/13-C	9/17/13-12	9/17/13-12	9/17/13-C	2012 avg	2013 avg
mgL(water)																		
solids	3	5	5	3	19	3	6	nd	2	2	3	nd	nd	nd	2	5	4.25	1.56
Chloride	7	7	7	5	6	6	6	2	7	4	4	6	6	2	4	5	6.29	4.44
Total N	2.2	1.9	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	0.6	1	1	0.9	1.2	0.8	0.5	1.1	1	1.73	0.9
Amm -N	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	0.05	nd	0.05	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	nd	0.01
Nitrate	1.85	1.52	1.54	1.33	1.32	1.54	1.54	0.48	0.77	0.77	0.65	0.89	0.62	0.47	0.74	0.69	1.52	0.67
Total Phos	0.059	0.062	0.064	0.059	0.055	0.046	0.043	0.027	0.061	0.06	0.056	0.083	0.074	0.032	0.089	0.098	0.055	0.064
Cal	54	48	49	54	56	62	62	50	38	n/a	n/a	49	48	n/a	n/a	n/a	55	46.25



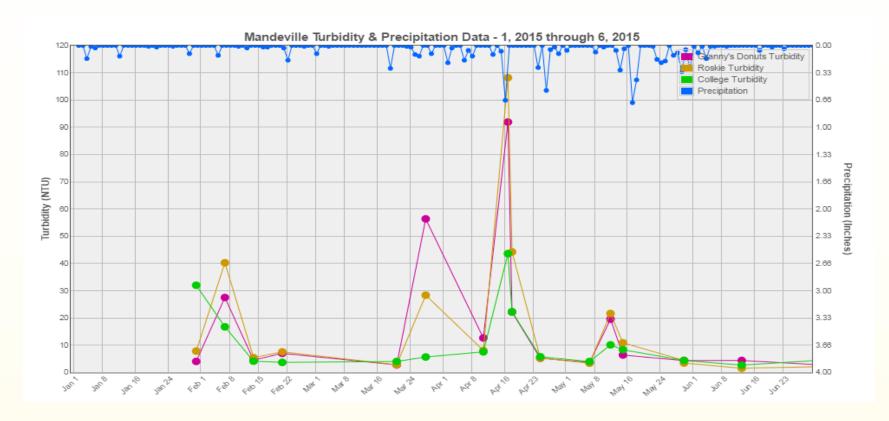
## BMP - Measurement



Turbidity Before



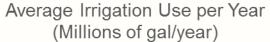
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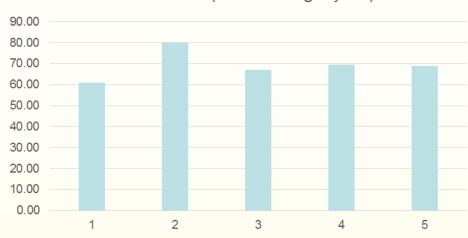


Turbidity After



#### BMP - Water Use

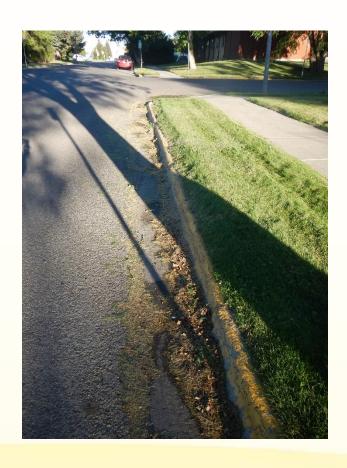




#### Average Irrigation water use per Day (gal/day)







Daily work practices have an impact on water quality.



Are you ready?











What are you going to do?



## BMP - Educate



## BMP - Educate







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## Success







Bad







Bad Good





Nice Try



Nice Recovery







Well done

### BMP - Educate



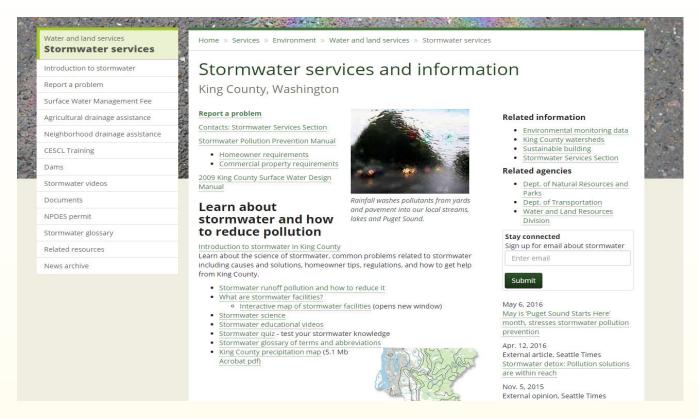








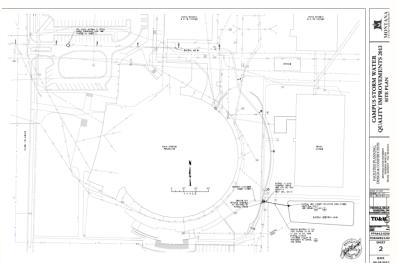
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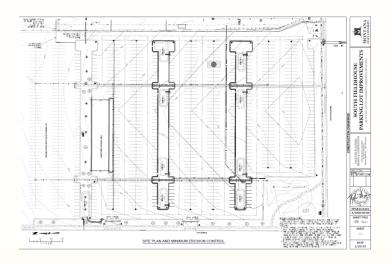


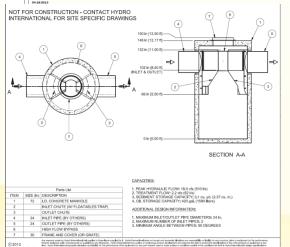
## Confused? Not your Job?















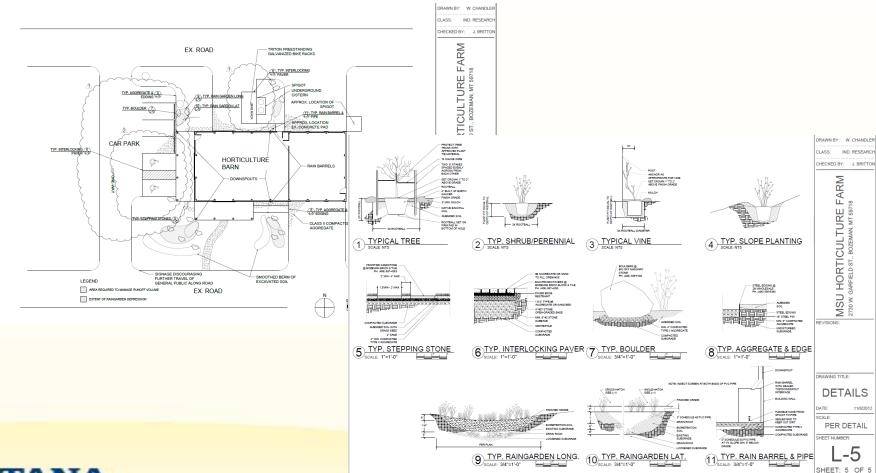








#### BMP - Educate





### BMP - Educate





# BMP - No Input





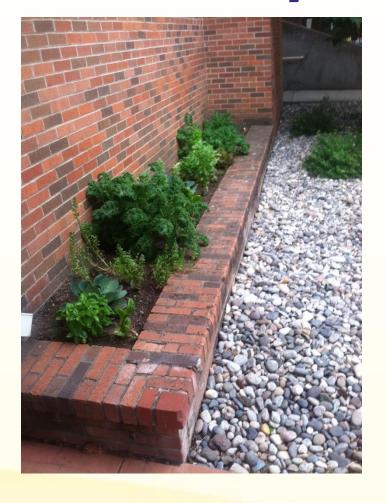
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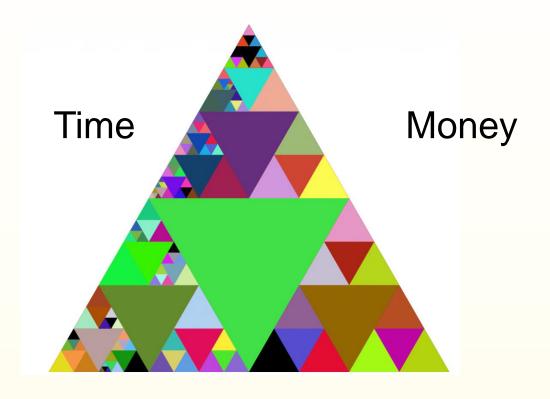


# BMP – Productive Input





### **Culture**



**Awareness** 





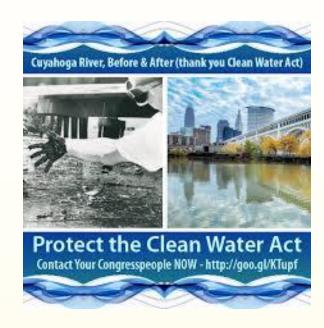


Summary



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#### Take Home

- Expand your View
- Do your Part
- Share your Progress







### Comments/Questions

