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## How Going Green Can Help Water be Blue!

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How can communities use or mimic Nature to help reduce flooding and filter stormwater runoff in an urban environment? Join Kimberly Brewer and stormwater engineers to learn more about Green Infrastructure (GI) or Low Impact Development (LID) such as bioswales, green roofs, bioretention basins and rain gardens, permeable pavements and water harvesting often used in new development and stormwater retrofits.



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