## ST. JOSEPH RIVER WATERSHED INITIATIVE



PARTNERSHIP

## Cost-Share Program

Lower St. Joseph - Bear Creek Watershed
HUCs - 041000030806 (Becketts Run); 041000030805 (Ely Run); 041000030804 (Cedarville Reservoir); 041000030803 (Swartz Carnahan); 041000030802 (Metcalf Ditch); 041000030801 (Hursey Ditch)


Clean Water Act § 319 Grant (EDS \# 32071)
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## Who is Eligible?

To qualify for Cost-Share Assistance you must:

- Install the BMP in a critical area within the Lower St. Joseph - Bear Creek Watershed (see maps; locations identified on the map are approximate so, if in doubt please contact the project manager to determine if you are located within a critical area)
- BMP must be installed between April 23, 2019 and December, 2021.
- Allow an educational sign to be installed at the site (if located on public lands)
- Sign an IDEM 319-U Urban or 319-A Agriculture Cost-Share Form agreeing to maintain the practice for a specified length of time
- Must allow finished BMP to be inspected by the Project Manager or District Conservationist


## Urban BMP Cost-Share - Residential and Public Spaces

To address storm water runoff carrying sediment, nutrient and bacteria loads:

## Rain Barrel

- "Make it and Take it" workshop materials or purchase from retailer


## Wetland Creation/Restoration

- Practice may include design, earthwork, and plantings
- Must be designed to meet NRCS FOTG standards

Natural Shoreline/Goose Deterrent

- Practice may include design, earthwork, and plantings

Tree Planting

- Tree must be a minimum of $2^{\prime \prime}$ diameter and be planted adjacent to hard surfaces Bio-Swales
- Practice may include design, earthwork, and plantings


## Rain Garden

- Practice may include design, earthwork, and plantings
- Must meet City of Fort Wayne design standards.


## BMP Cost-Share - Business or Public Spaces (only)

To address storm water runoff carrying sediment, nutrient and bacteria loads:

## Horse Manure Management System/Signage

- Practice may include bucket/trash receptacle, shovel, and educational signage


## Covered Hitching Post

- Practice may include materials for hitching post, horse manure management system, and signage


## Pet Waste Receptacles

- Practice may include post, trash receptacles, bag dispenser, starter pack of bags, and signage

| COST - SHARE PRACTICES AND RATES |  |  |  | Pollutant |  |  |  |  |
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| Best Management Practice | Grant Funded | Match (cash/inkind) | Cost Share Cap | - |  |  |  | - |
| Rain Gardens - No workshop | 50\% | 50\% | \$7.50/ft ${ }^{2}$ up to $\$ 1000$ | X | X | X | X | X |
| Rain Gardens - Workshop* | 75\% | 25\% | \$15/ft ${ }^{2}$ up to \$2000 | X | X | X | X | X |
| Rain Barrels - No Workshop | 50\% | 50\% | \$50 | X | X | X | X | X |
| Rain Barrels - Workshop** | 75\% | 25\% | \$100 | X | X | X | X | X |
| Cisterns | 75\% | 25\% | \$500 | X | X | X | X | X |
| Bioswales*** | up to $50 \%$ | up to $70 \%$ | \$135,000 | X | X | X | X | X |
| Pet Waste Stations (includes signage) | 60\% | 40\% | \$400 | X | X |  | X |  |
| Horse Waste Stations (includes signage) | 75\% | 25\% | \$150 | X | X | X | X |  |
| Covered Hitching Post w/ Waste Station | 50\% | 50\% | \$2,000 | X | X | X | X |  |
| Natural Shoreline/Goose Deterrent | 60\% | 40\% | \$10,000 | X | X | X | X |  |
| Tree Planting**** | 60\% | 40\% | \$125/each |  |  | X |  | X |
| Wetland Creation/Restoration FOTG 658/657) | 60\% | 40\% | \$3,500 | X | X | X | X | X |
| *Must attend an approved workshop offered by the St. Joseph River Watershed Initiative, City of Fort Wayne, Tri-State Watershed Alliance, or another partner |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Grant will supply the "make and take" rain barrel at no charge. Participant must utilize the grant provided rain barrel kit and do the installation. Or, the participant can purchase a rain barrel from a retailer and do the installation after the workshop. <br> ***Amount of cost-share is dependent on the load reduction associated with the practice and the public visibility of the project. Those bioswales with the largest load reduction and/or are placed in a highly visible area with signage will receive a larger cost-share amount. <br> *Tree must be a minimum of 2 " in diameter and be planted adjacent to hard surfaces. Preference will be given to business properties and local government. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |





[^0]:    Assistance and programs of the St. Joseph River Watershed Initiative and Sponsoring Agencies are available without regard to race, religion, color, sex, age or disability.

