



ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP GRANTS PROGRAM APPLICATION

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The Environmental Stewardship Grants Program is intended to improve the health of our community's watersheds by involving its citizens in learning about and applying stormwater best management practices.

Applicant (e.g., school/organization): _____

Type of Project (check all that apply)

Name/Contact: _____

Rain Garden

Address: _____

Streamside Enhancement

City: _____ Zip: _____

Streambank Restoration

Phone: _____

Grassy Swale

E-mail: _____

Other: _____

Applicants: Schools, churches, nonprofits, homeowner's associations

Grant Award: Up to \$1500.00

Grant Application Deadline: February 24th, 2017

Award Date: March 17th, 2017

Implementation Deadline: March 16th, 2018

Unused funds: Must be returned to the Forum by April 2018

Please attach a description of your project (limit written description to one page and can be in bulleted format; photos of project site encouraged):

- 1) Project objective(s) (e.g., addressing erosion issue; providing hands-on learning experience)
- 2) Implementation approach including who will be involved
- 3) Long term maintenance plan
- 4) Estimate of supply costs (Note: This can be a rough estimate and funds can be used for ongoing project maintenance such as mulch for a rain garden.)

Application selection criteria will include: 1) environmental improvement potential; 2) ability for project to educate students/community about a stormwater best management practice; 3) long term viability – plans for how the project will be maintained.

All recipients will be asked to present a 5 minute overview of project results at the April 2018 WQF Quarterly meeting.

Please submit your application to: thewaterqualityforum@ijams.org

Applicant Signature

Date: _____

