

Brown's Creek Watershed District Stewardship Program Summary

Program Summary:

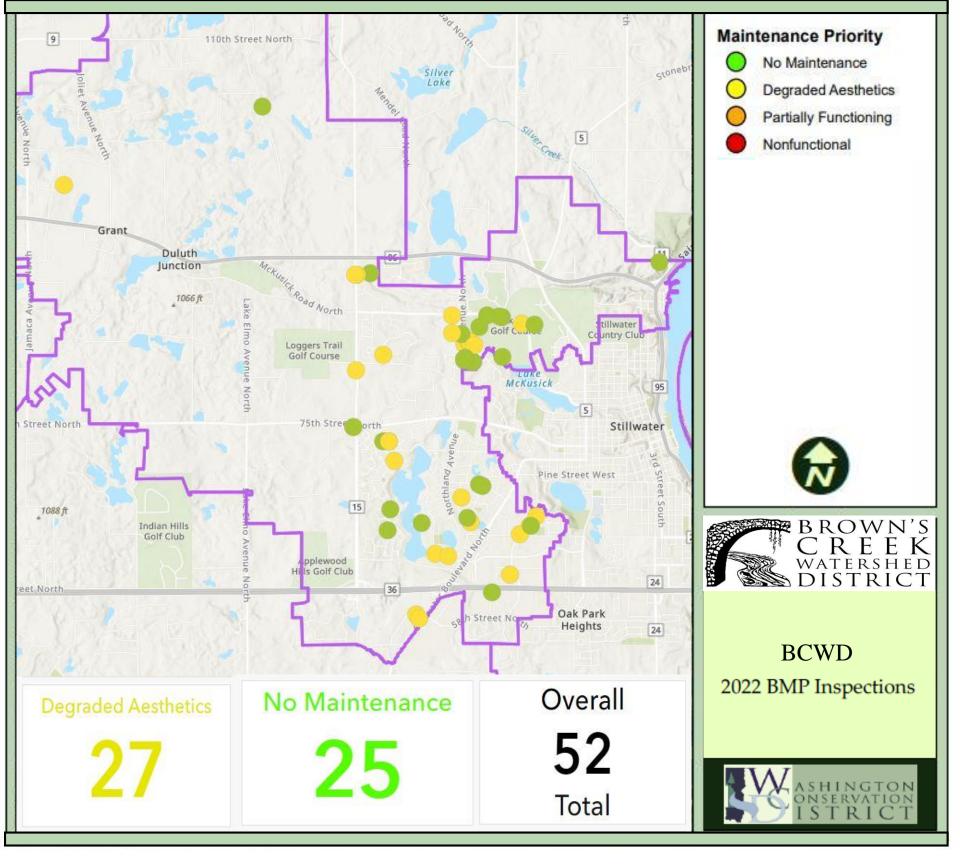
- a) \$15,000 available for at least 30 projects up \$500 in 2022.
- b) Eligible project materials include: Native plants (including pollinator gardens), small buffer strips, turf alternatives, waterspout gardens, rain barrels, targeted water education, information, or outreach activities
- c) 11 applications received in 2022 (5 completed, 4 in-progress, 2 deemed to be beyond the scope and scale of the Stewardship Grant program).

Landowner	Practice Type	Address	Date Installed
Kristin Norton	Native landscaping	5715 Newberry Ave N	7/22/22
Michael Brabender	Harvest/reuse	2326 Boom Rd	7/31/22
Brian Zwach	Native landscaping	647 Croixwood Pl.	8/24/22
Bruce Tanquist	Harvest/reuse	9704 Manning Ave N	7/10/22
Phyllis & Paul Comstock	Native landscaping	9355 84th St N	11/3/22

Installed Projects:

2022 Reimbursements: \$2,000.00 (4 Stewardship Grants)

Recommendations for 2023: 1) Expand outreach activities to reach more residents in the district and increase overall program awareness. 2) Provide further technical assistance to maximize opportunities for water quality improvement, as well as habitat enhancement. 3) Document completed projects for BCWD outreach & education.





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Brown's Creek Watershed District BMP Maintenance Summary

Agreement Summary:

- a) Maintain 20 BMP's: Oak Glen Loop* (19), Countryside Auto (1). Maintenance activities include inlet cleanout, weed removal, and litter removal. Monthly inspection and surficial maintenance of the BCWD IESF and harvest pond system. Assist with other tasks as directed such as invasive species management. *Some Oak Glen loop BMPs were adopted in the Adopt-a-Raingarden program.
- b) Material costs included top soil, replacement sedums, mulch as well as fees for composting and equipment used.
- c) Costs for services for these activities shall not exceed \$2,500.

Date	Activity	Time
2/15/2022	Kittentail fieldwork	7
3/29/2022	IESF Communications	.5
5/12/2022	Oak Glen inlet cleanout	3
5/20/2022	IESF Maintenance and Inspection, Countryside sweeping	3.5
6/14/2021	IESF Maintenance and Inspection, Countryside sweeping	3.5
7/12/2021	IESF Maintenance and Inspection, Countryside sweeping	4
7/20/2021	Community thread raingarden maintenance	1
8/2/2022	Oak Glen vegetative evaluation	1
8/18/2022	Plant ordering and equipment maintenance	1
9/1/2022	IESF Maintenance and Inspection, Countryside sweeping	1
9/12/2022	Oak Glen planting prep	2
9/13/2022	Oak Glen vegetative evaluation and planting prep	2
9/27/2022	Oak Glen Weeding	3.5
10/5/2022	Oak Glen supplemental planting	6

Services Provided:

Expenditure Totals: \$2,112.00 for time (39 hours)

When possible the WCD maintenance program leverages other conservation resources to assist in BMP maintenance activities.

Recommendations for 2023:



Oak Glen raingardens transferring to City of Stillwater maintenance agreement. Continue monthly Countryside Auto and surficial IESF maintenance with support for other vegetative management as directed.