

WSDOT Stormwater Retrofit 2023/2024 Prioritization Update Survey123

Solicitation of tribes, local agencies, and other interested parties for their priority locations

INTRODUCTION

WSDOT is soliciting input from tribes, local agencies, and other interested parties on your priority locations for stormwater retrofit projects on WSDOT infrastructure.

The 2022 Washington State Legislature authorized \$500 million over the next 16 years for WSDOT stormwater retrofits as part of the Move Ahead Washington (MAW) funding package to enhance stormwater treatment from WSDOT's existing roads and infrastructure, with an emphasis on green infrastructure retrofits. This new funding is for stand-alone stormwater retrofits, which can also be incorporated into fish passage projects.

The MAW proviso directs WSDOT to prioritize projects that focus on benefits to salmon recovery and ecosystem health, reducing toxic pollution, addressing health disparities, and cost effectiveness.

The input you provide in this survey will be considered in determining where the funding will be spent.

Our goal is to distribute stormwater retrofits across the state equitably, while recognizing tribal treaty rights and addressing the goals within the <u>Healthy</u> Environment for All Act.

THE SURVEY

At this time tribes, agencies, and organizations can submit up to four priority locations. Please coordinate with others in your tribe or agency before submitting your priority locations so that WSDOT receives one coordinated set of four locations per tribe or agency.

Learn more about WSDOT stormwater retrofit from our folio and our webpage.

Access the survey at the following link or QR code.

https://arcg.is/1KiCva0



Title VI Notice to Public: It is the Washington State Department of Transportation's (WSDOT) policy to assure that no person shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, as provided by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise discriminated against under any of its programs and activities. Any person who believes his/her Title VI protection has been violated, may file a complaint with WSDOT's Office of Equity and Civil Rights (OECR). For additional information regarding Title VI complaint procedures and/or information regarding our non-discrimination obligations, please contact OECR's Title VI Coordinator at (360) 705-7090.