



## FACT SHEET East Washington Street Green Corridor

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| Project:           | E. Washington St. Green Corridor                      |
| Project Owner:     | City of Syracuse                                      |
| Project Location:  | E. Washington St., Between Almond St. and Forman Ave. |
| Sewershed:         | Clinton/Lower MIS                                     |
| CSO:               | 027   |
| GI Technology:     | Green Street (Porous Pavers, Bioswale)                |
| Capture Area:      | 76,900 sq. ft.  |
| Runoff Reduction:  | 933,000 gal/yr  |
| Year Contracted:   | 2013  |
| Construction Cost: | \$710,161.78  |
| Bid Date:          | 05/28/13  |
| Contractor:        | ACTS II Construction                                  |

**Project Description:** The East Washington Street Green Corridor project is a comprehensive green street application on the stretch of East Washington Street between Almond Street and Forman Avenue, near the Syracuse University Center of Excellence. Several green infrastructure elements were installed that capture stormwater and enhance the urban landscape.

The project included the an underground infiltration trench, a dedicated parking lane constructed with interlocking, concrete porous pavers, and bioswales along both sides of the street to store stormwater and reduce combined sewer overflows. In addition to these green infrastructure items, the entire streetscape has been retrofitted with new sidewalks and pedestrian crossings. The City of Syracuse and Onondaga County partnered to reconstruct Washington Street along the project limits in the spring of 2014.

The project captures approximately 933,000 gallons of runoff annually from both the street and adjacent properties.

This is the fourth Save the Rain project to be funded in part by the New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation through their Green Innovation Grant Program (GIGP). It joins the Rain Barrel Program, the War Memorial Cistern System, and the I-690 Downspout Disconnection projects as past and present projects with GIGP funding.



**Completed Bioswale on the North Side of  
E. Washington St.**



**Interlocking Porous Paver Parking Lane and  
Bioswale on Southern Side of E. Washington St.**