



# Stormwater Retrofits for Treating Highway Runoff

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**How well a retrofit improved water quality in a typical urban basin:**

- 1. Individual BMPs**
- 2. Larger stormwater system**
- 3. Receiving water**







3 Bioretention  
Planter Boxes

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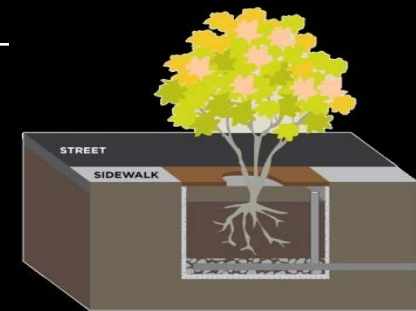




**VS**







**Suspended Solids**



**Dissolved Zinc**



**Dissolved Copper**

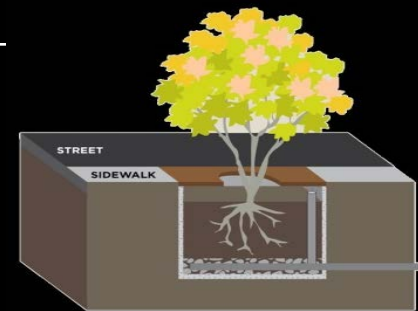


**Total Phosphorus**



**Petroleum Hydrocarbons**

*Virtually Eliminated!*



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# Unexpected Maintenance Issues



























# Bioretention can treat your stormwater...







**...but only if the stormwater  
can get in.**

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