



2023 CASQA Fellowship Program - Candidate Fellowship Project 1

Integrate Stormwater Capture into Green Certifications and Programs

INITIATIVE DESCRIPTION

Upon review of Envision and LEED frameworks for stormwater management, it is acknowledged that both frameworks could be improved with respect to the significant benefits that stormwater capture and use provides.

DESIRED OUTCOME OF INITIATIVE

The goal for 2023 is to inform dialog with Envision and LEED leadership to further promote the value of stormwater capture and use. Ultimately, the goal is to revise Envision and LEED criteria to further promote and award project applicants who implement stormwater capture and use.

SCOPE

- Review the Envision and LEED programs.
- Identify a list of possible improvements to enhance opportunities for stormwater capture and use.
- Support discussion of the possible improvements with leadership of both programs.
- Complete additional action items based on input from Envision and LEED.

DELIVERABLES

- a) Two bullet lists of potential modifications/discussion with subcommittee
- b) Two memos regarding the findings and potential changes / discussion with the subcommittee
- c) Summary of the feedback from the subcommittee and modifications
- d) Two letters requesting changes – Envision & LEED, time permitting
- e) Presentation to Envision & LEED requesting changes, time permitting
- f) Additional work as requested