TONKA WOODCROFT RESIDENT RAIN GARDEN PROGRAM

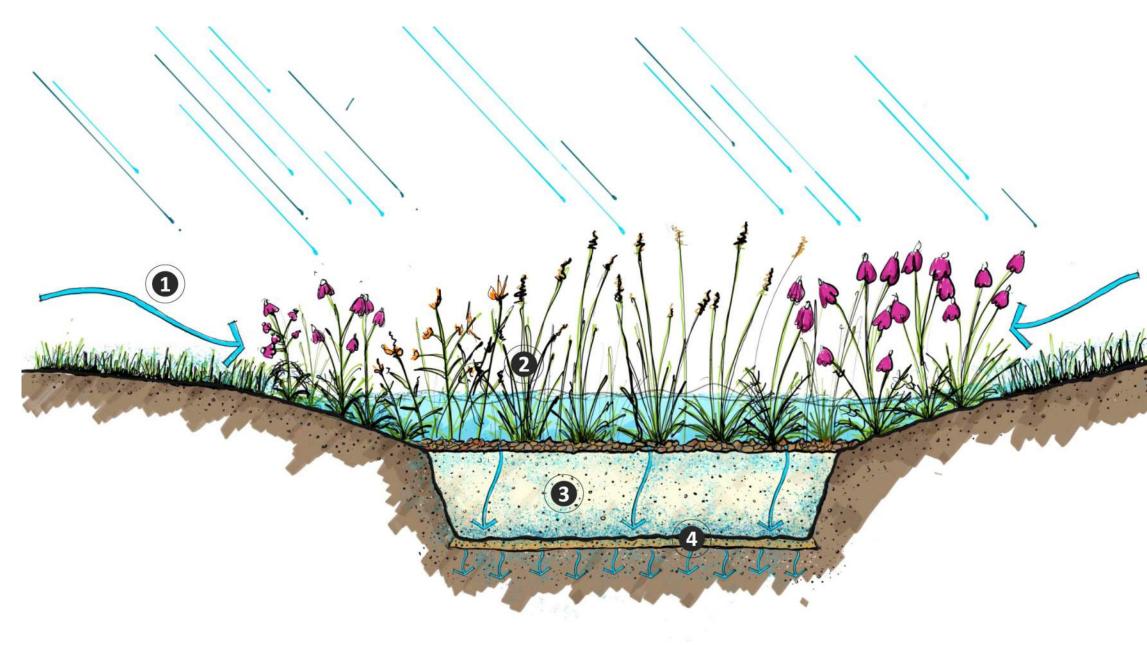
As a homeowner in the project area, the City of Minnetonka is offering the opportunity for you to voluntarily help with improving the stormwater quality within and beautification of your community. Residents may 'opt in' to a program where the City will install a rain garden on or adjacent to your property as part of the project at upfront City cost. Property owners would be responsible for maintenance of the rain garden.







HOW THEY WORK:



RAIN GARDENS 2022-2023 TONKA-WOODCROFT IMPROVEMENTS





Water from the adjacent street and land runs into the bioretention cell were treatment and infiltration occurs.



Native vegetation provides stormwater treatment, helping to filter pollutants out of the run-off before it infiltrates into the ground. 3" of mulch helps to keep the soil moist for plants, and protects the soil from erosion.



Special permeable soil mixes within the bioretention cell to allow for rapid water infiltration, replenishing depleted groundwater supply and reducing downstream flooding



A drainage layer at the bottom of the bioretention cell provides additional water storage, a staging area for water before it infiltrates into the existing soils below.



- garden program

• Please fill out and return the form available at this meeting if you wish to have a rain garden installed on your property

• The project team will review your property to determine if your property is suitable for a rain garden

• Up to 10 properties may be selected for inclusion in the rain

• Please note, not all properties will qualify



