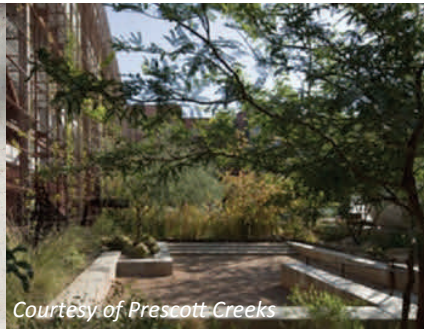


Funding Stormwater The WIFA Way



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Courtesy of Prescott-Creeks



Courtesy of Camp Verde



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Affordable and efficient funding

Choose the Water Infrastructure Finance Authority (WIFA) to fund your stormwater management and green infrastructure projects.

Partner with a financing agency whose mission aligns with yours - protecting water quality and public health.

Benefits of Green Infrastructure:

- + Water quality improvements
- + Erosion control
- + Potable water savings
- + Cost savings
- + Reduced flood peaks
- + Reduced flooding
- + Habitat enhancement
- + Reduction of urban heat island effect
- + Potential to defer infrastructure expansion

What does WIFA offer? Funding for water and wastewater projects, including stormwater management and green infrastructure.

- Low-interest loans available all year, no minimum or maximum amount
- Planning and design grants, up to \$35K

Who is eligible for stormwater funding? Cities and towns (permitted MS4s and unpermitted), special districts and tribal entities

What types of stormwater projects are eligible for funding?

Planning, design and construction projects that improve water quality or protect public health. Examples include:

Traditional Stormwater Infrastructure

- Conveyance pipes
- Curb & gutter
- Detention/retention basins
- In-line/end of pipe treatment

Riparian Improvements

Low Impact Development

- Porous pavement
- Green roofs
- Stormwater reuse
- Harvesting
- Bioretention
- Curb cuts

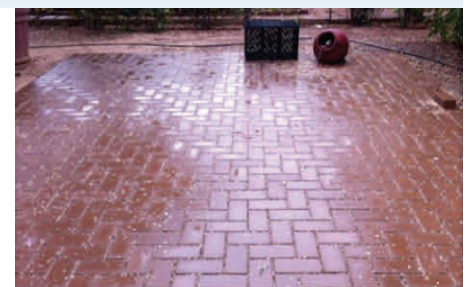
Detention basin on the UofA Campus

Courtesy of Water Resources Research Center



Permeable pavers

Courtesy of Summer Waters, UofA Cooperative Extension



What makes WIFA a good funding option? Below market interest rates (governmental 2014 **avg. 2.74%**), no application fees or closing costs, breaks for disadvantaged communities and a streamlined application process.

WIFA offers incentives for green infrastructure.

Collect and manage rainwater where it falls and get an even lower interest rate.

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