# Stormwater Authority



# 2023 ANNUAL REPORT

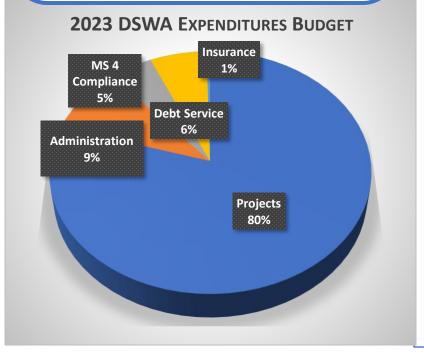
# FROM THE AUTHORITY BOARD AND STAFF!

# WE BUILT A RAIN GARDEN

In summer of 2022, we built a rain garden in the W. Liberty Avenue parking lot. The Authority hopes to construct several more rain gardens around the Borough to reduce stormwater and control flooding and overflows. Urban Plantscapes has been hired to maintain it.

## LET'S PLANT SOME TREES IN '23

The Authority will be working with the Borough's Shade Tree Commission and Tree Pittsburgh to offer residents free trees and technical assistance for planting in front yards within the Borough right- of-way. Dormont has lost significant tree canopy over the years and replacing trees is the best way to control storm water. Visit our website for more details.



#### **WE COMPLETED PROJECTS**

ATHENS ALLEY PHASE 2 CONSTRUCTION PROJECT LOUISIANA AVE PHASE 2 CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

#### AND PLANNED NEW PROJECTS

PIEDMONT AVENUE WATERSHED PHASE 1 Arkansas avenue Watershed Modeling Dormont Park Retaining Facility

#### WE HELD A WORKSHOP

On June 25, 2022 local resident, Greg Null, and the Audobon Society taught us how to install residential rain gardens – and then we had a tour of a working rain garden! Dormont residents rock!

#### WE RECEIVED A GRANT!

In November 2022, we received notice that the Authority was awarded \$125,000 through the Gaming Economic Development Trust Fund (GEDTF) to complete a stormwater improvement grant for Piedmont Avenue Watershed - Phase 1.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT SENATOR FONTANA!

### **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN :**

Environmental Sustainability, Clean Water, and Getting Involved in Your Community? Would you like to make a difference?

We are looking for Authority Board Members!

#### **CONTACT US**

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