

# GIGP 3

## The Green Innovation Grant Program



The New York State  
Environmental Facilities Corporation

# Green Innovation Grant Program (GIGP)

- A New York Clean Water State Revolving Fund program:
  - Protect and improve water quality
  - Spur innovation in the field of stormwater management
  - Build capacity to build and maintain green infrastructure
  - Facilitate transfer of new technologies and practices

# GIGP 3 Overview

- \$20 Million
- Green stormwater infrastructure projects
- No cap
- Up to 90% funding for eligible costs
- **Deadline: October 31, 2011**



# GIGP 3 Application Process

- Use Consolidated Funding Application
  - Required documents:
    - Map of project site and waterbody and
    - Engineering report
- OR
- Feasibility Study and Conceptual site plan



# GIGP 3 Selection Process

- Regional Economic Development Council Endorsement 20%
- Agency Scoring Criteria 80%
  - 5% Vision - workforce development, community revitalization, healthy neighborhoods, reduce dependence on oil
  - 10% Process - project development & outreach/education opportunities
  - 35% Strategies - water quality protection
  - 15% Implementation - likelihood of project success, O&M plan and capacity to implement
  - 15% Leveraging - leverage resources and spur innovation
  - 20% Performance Measures - water quality metrics



# GIGP: Eligible Applicants

Any corporation which is organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York which is empowered to develop a project

- Municipalities
- State agencies
- Public benefit corporations
- For-profit corporations
- Individuals
- Firms
- Partnerships
- Associations
- Soil and water conservation districts\*
- Not-for-profits
- School districts\*



\* Only eligible for GIGP Grants under existing State laws.



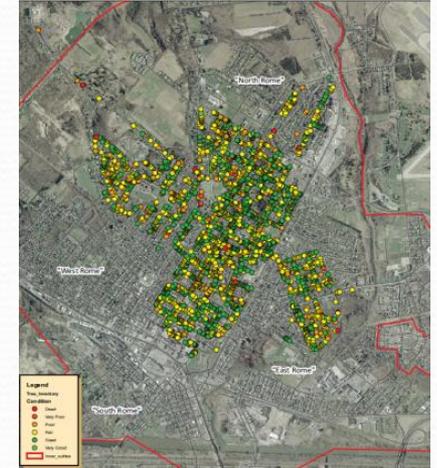
# GIGP 3 – \$20 million for eligible projects

- Permeable pavement
- Bioretention / bioinfiltration
- Green roofs or green walls
- Downspout disconnection
- Stream daylighting



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- Stormwater street trees or urban forestry programs
- Stormwater harvesting and reuse
- Construction or restoration of wetlands, floodplains, or riparian buffers





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