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Monitoring Progress

- Post-construction monitoring began in February 2013 at some monitoring stations.
- In early February flow and quality monitoring began at the control site (IX-1), Area 5 (IX-5: permeable pavement with Granular "O"), and Area 6 (IX-6: permeable pavement with ¾" Clear Stone).
- Flow monitoring started at Area 7 (IX-7: Permeable pavement with 3/4" Clear Stone and Bentofix Liner) in early February
- Flow monitoring at Area's 2, 3 and 4 (IX-2: Bioswale, IX-3: Bioswale + Jellyfish Filter and IX-4: Bioswale + Sorbtive Media) commenced in mid-March; water quality monitoring at these sites will begin soon.
- Water temperature is currently being monitored at all locales excluding Area 2 (IX-2). Area 2 will soon be equipped to monitor temperature.
- Conductivity is being monitored at the control site (IX-1).
- Precipitation and air temperature continue to be monitored at IMAX
- Water level loggers have been installed in the four monitoring wells and the five stilling wells. Samples were collected from stilling wells 3, 4, and 5 September for chloride and conductivity analysis.
- Groundwater samples were collected from the monitoring wells in April, and November.
- Since the final layer of asphalt has been applied, IMAX was re-surveyed to define post-construction catchment areas.
- A shallow and deep well configuration was installed in the bioswale of Areas
 2, 3, and 4 to assess the depth of ponding water after rain events to compare with project design specifications.



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- Landscaping Sod was applied to some sections of the IMAX site and others underwent hydroseeding and planting. The plants appear to be establishing well since planting.
- **Maintenance** Site inspections have been completed four times so far to identify maintenance requirements and frequency. Since the site construction is now complete site inspections will take place monthly.
- Water Levels Flows were observed from all stations during the largest rain event observed since monitoring equipment was installed (76 mm) with 5 days of nearly continuous rainfall.
- Winter Monitoring Equipment will be removed from Area's 5 and 6 for the winter months. Salt monitoring in the permeable pavement will be performed on Area 7 in the winter. Water level loggers in the shallow bioswale wells have been removed for the winter and will be replaced in the spring.

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Number of Sampling Events at each SWI Site

Table 1 - Number of precipitation events sampled per monitoring site and the number remaining in the SWI commitment.

	Elm	Lakeview			IMAX
		Control	Swale	LID	Control
Commitment					
Surface Water	20	20	20	20	20
Groundwater	0	0	0	0	4
Soil	0	0	0	0	1
Taken to Date					
Surface Water	29	70	41	11	7
Groundwater	0	0	0	0	3
Soil	0	0	0	0	1
Remaining					
Surface Water	9	50	21	-9	-13
Groundwater					-1
Soil					0