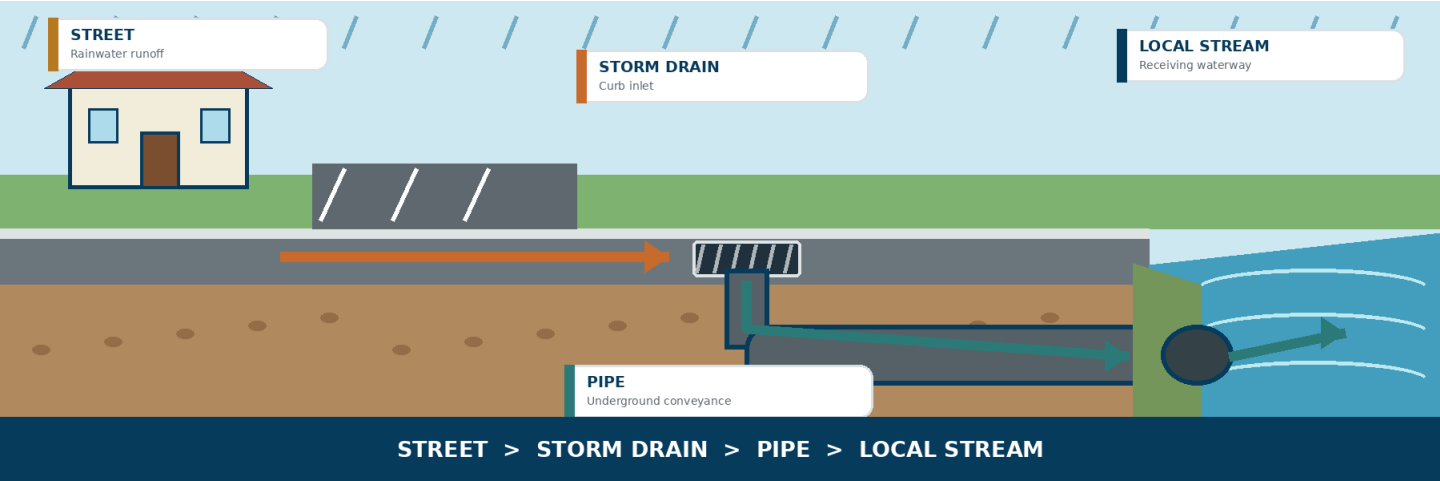




CITY OF BEREA STORMWATER PROGRAM

Protecting Berea's streams, infrastructure, and community.



Stormwater is rainwater that flows across streets, rooftops, parking lots, and disturbed land. As it moves, it can carry trash, sediment, oil, chemicals, and pet waste into local waterways.

ONE SYSTEM. THREE SHARED ROLES.

UNDERSTAND THE SYSTEM WHAT IS AN MS4?	CITY STEWARDSHIP WHAT THE CITY DOES	COMMUNITY ACTION HOW RESIDENTS HELP
- MS4 means Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System. - Includes storm drains, pipes, ditches, culverts, and outfalls. - Moves rainwater to nearby waterways. - Is separate from the sanitary sewer; stormwater is typically not treated.	- Provides public education and involvement opportunities. - Investigates illicit discharges and pollution concerns. - Reviews construction-site erosion controls. - Addresses post-construction stormwater measures. - Promotes good housekeeping in municipal operations.	- Dispose of trash properly. - Pick up after pets. - Keep leaves and grass out of streets. - Never dump anything into a storm drain. - Report spills, illegal dumping, or suspicious discharges.

STORM DRAINS FLOW DIRECTLY TO LOCAL WATERWAYS. Only rain belongs in the system.

QUESTIONS ABOUT STORMWATER IN BEREA?

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To report spills, illegal dumping, or stormwater concerns, contact the City or use the City's online service portal.