# **Upper Cape West & South**



Technologies and Approaches

# What is the stakeholder process?

#### Watershed Working Groups

Goals, Work Plan & Roles

Affordability, Financing

Baseline Conditions Technology Options Review

Watershed Scenarios

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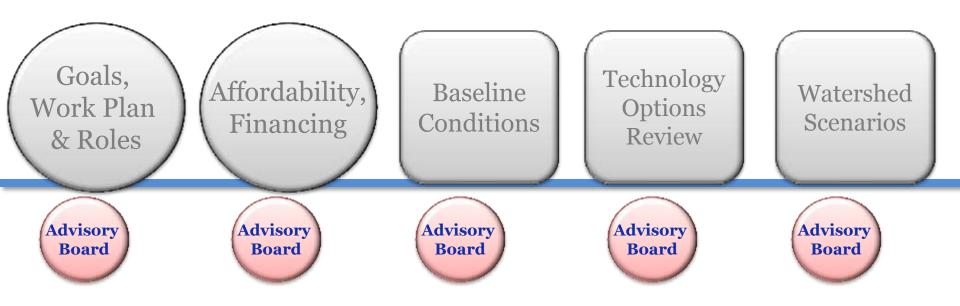
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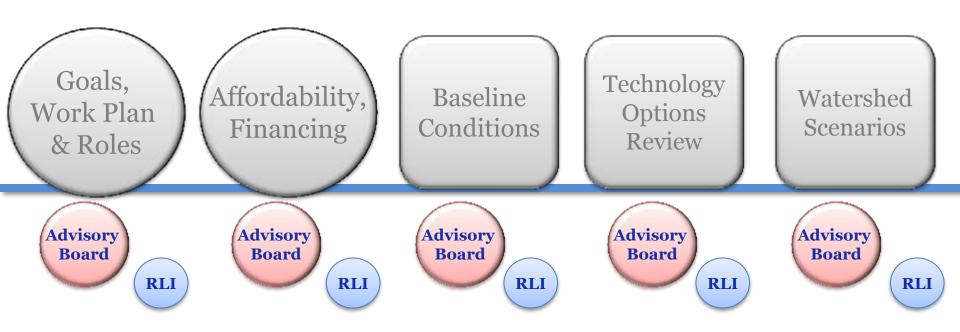
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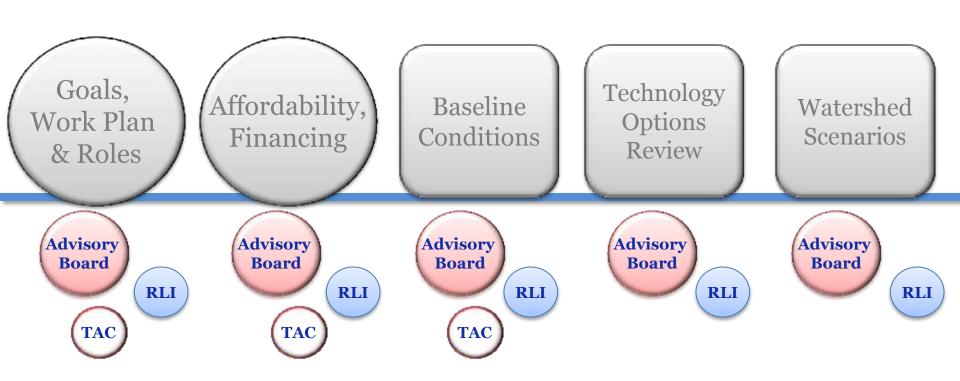


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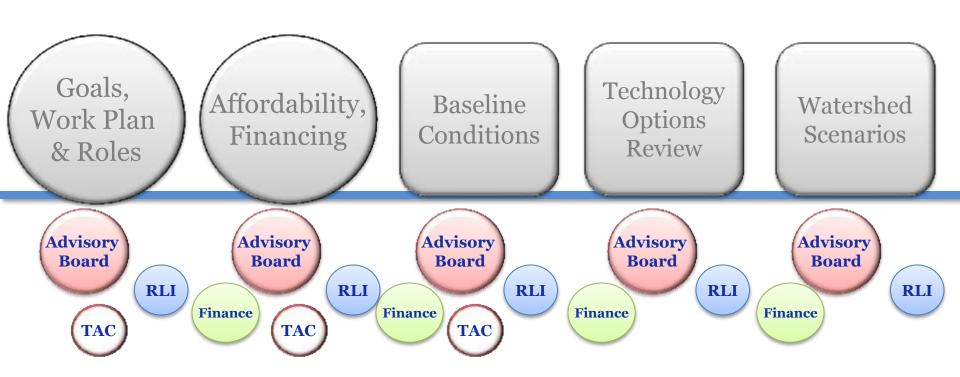


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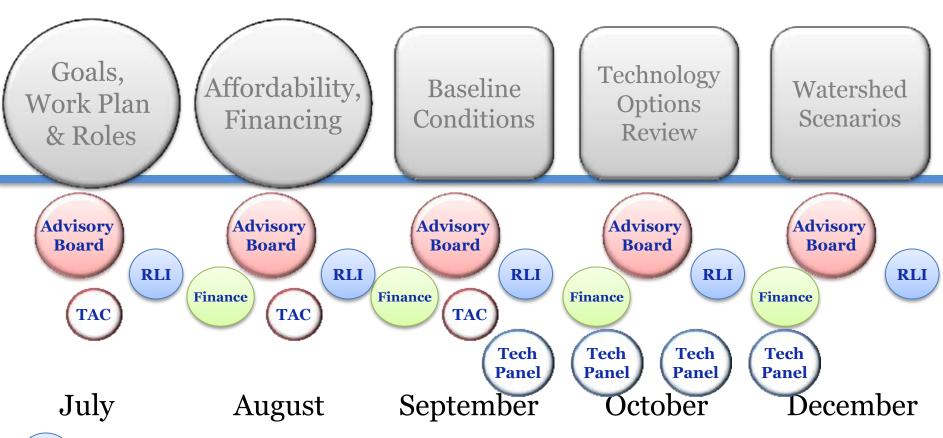


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## **Goal of the First Meeting:**

To review and develop shared understanding of the characteristics of these watersheds, the work done to date, existing data and information available, and how to apply all of this to planning for water quality improvements for these watersheds moving forward.

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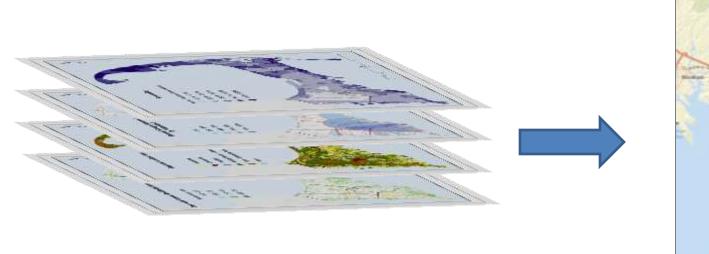


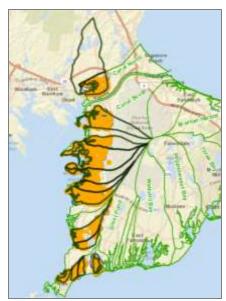
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Watershed Event

November 13

Center for the Arts Dennis Wrap up of Cape2O: ur in charge!

Summary of planning process to date

Outline of second 6 months of the 208 planning process

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## **Goal of Today's Meeting:**

To develop a shared understanding of the potential technologies and approaches identified to date, and the benefits and limitations of each; to explore the environmental, economic, and community impacts of a range of categories of solutions; and to identify priorities and considerations for applying technologies and approaches to remediate water quality impairments in your watershed.

- ☐ The Fact Sheets present various information on the technologies being considered.
- ☐ Additional information is contained on the Technology Matrix including the following:
  - Site Requirements
  - Construction, Project and Operation and Maintenance Costs
  - Reference Information
  - Regulatory Comments
- ☐ Input from the Stakeholders is requested regarding a technology's Public Acceptance

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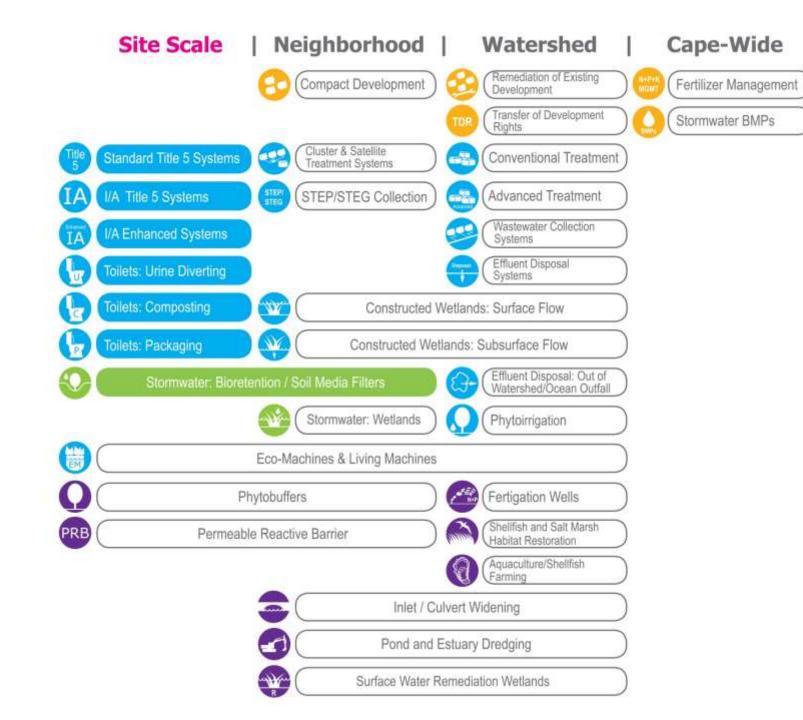
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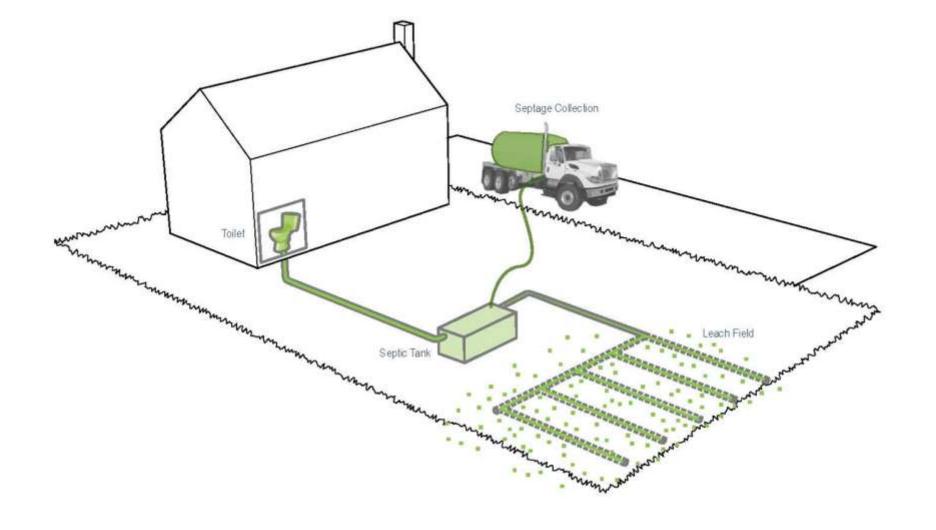
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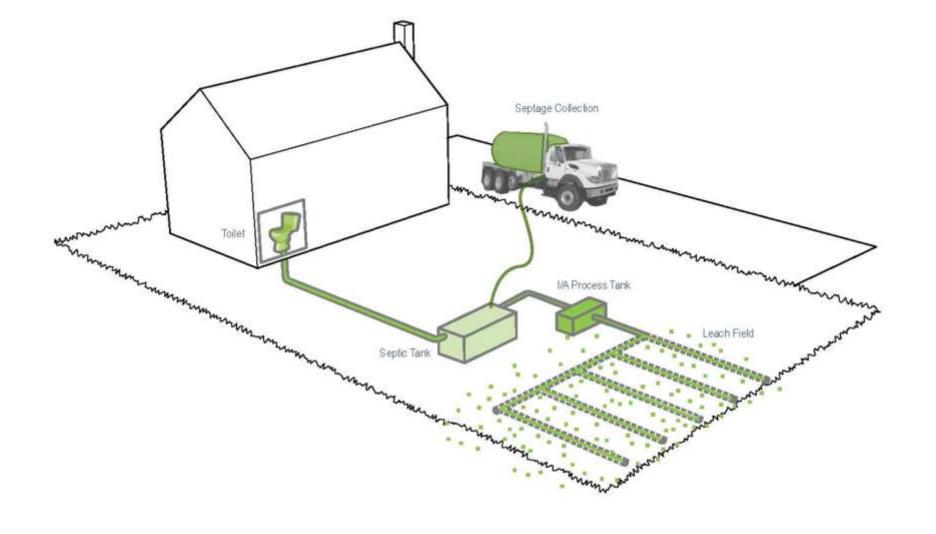
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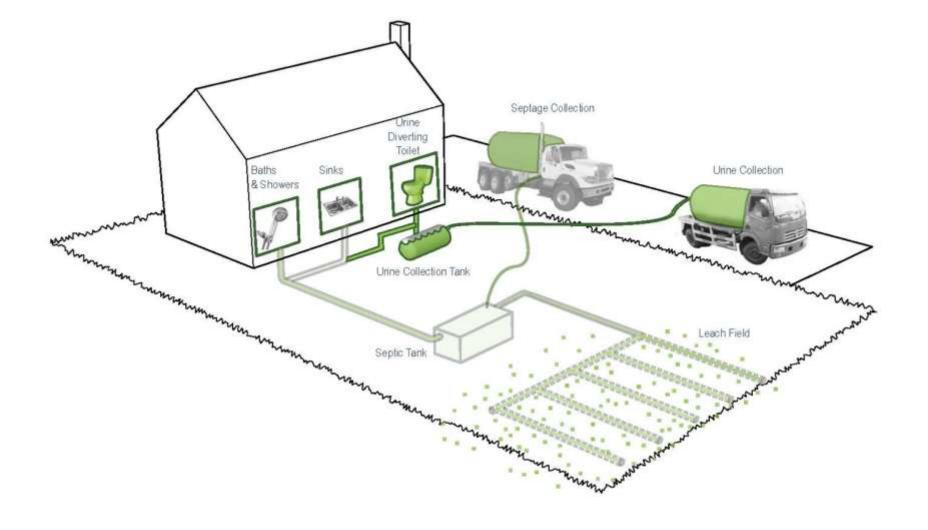
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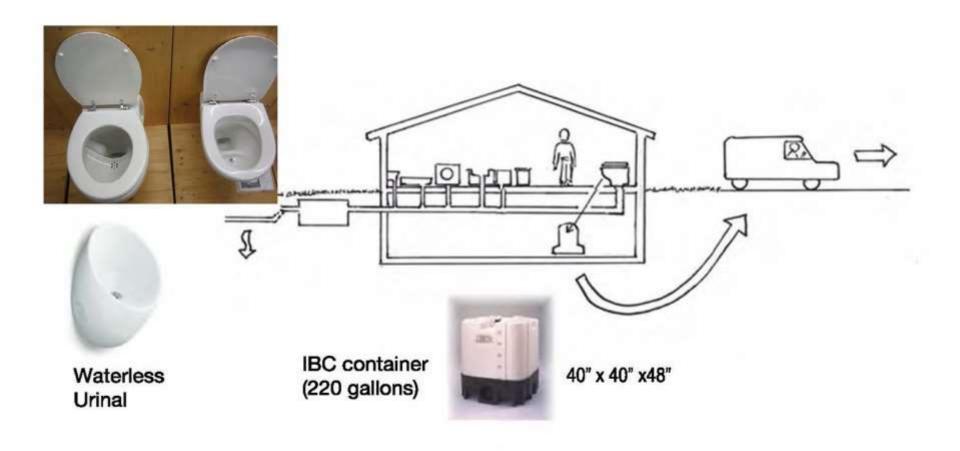


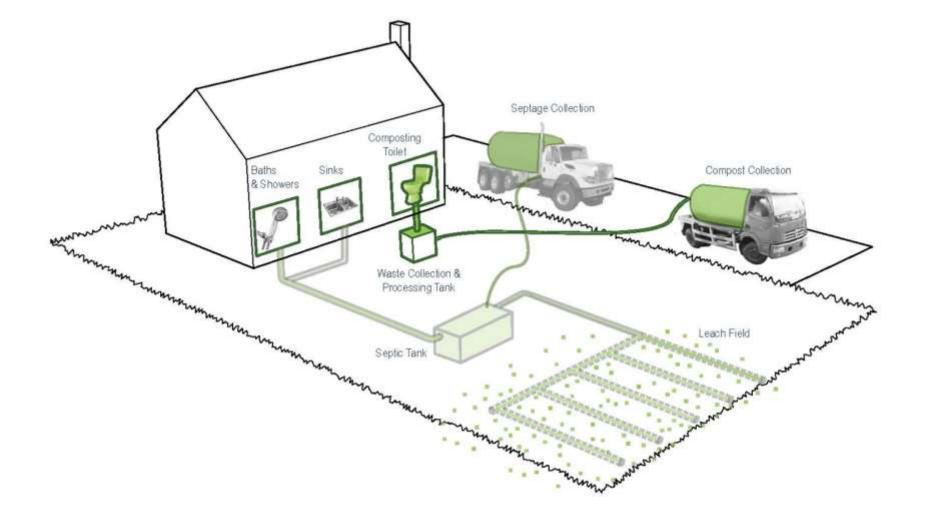


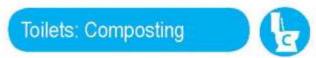


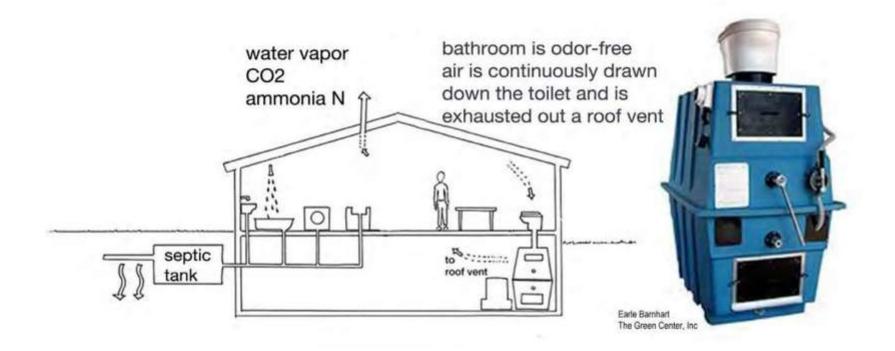


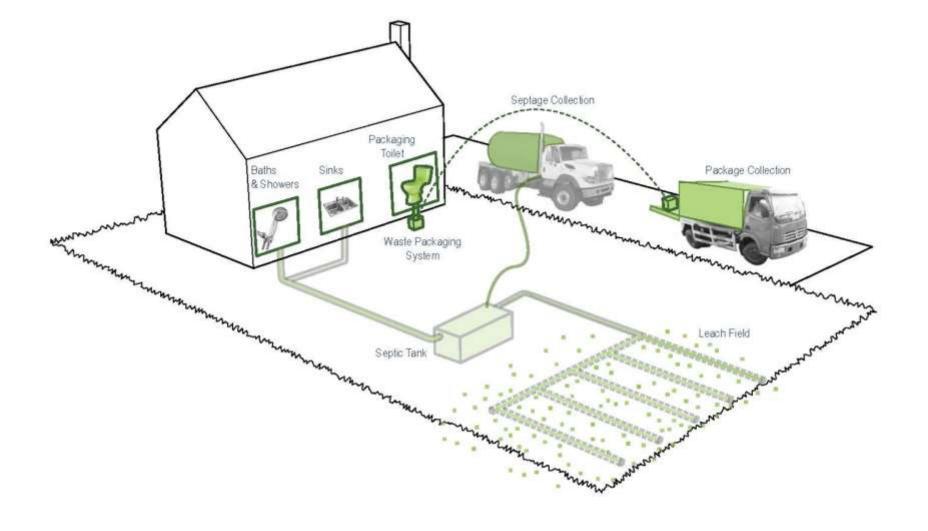


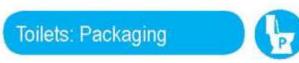


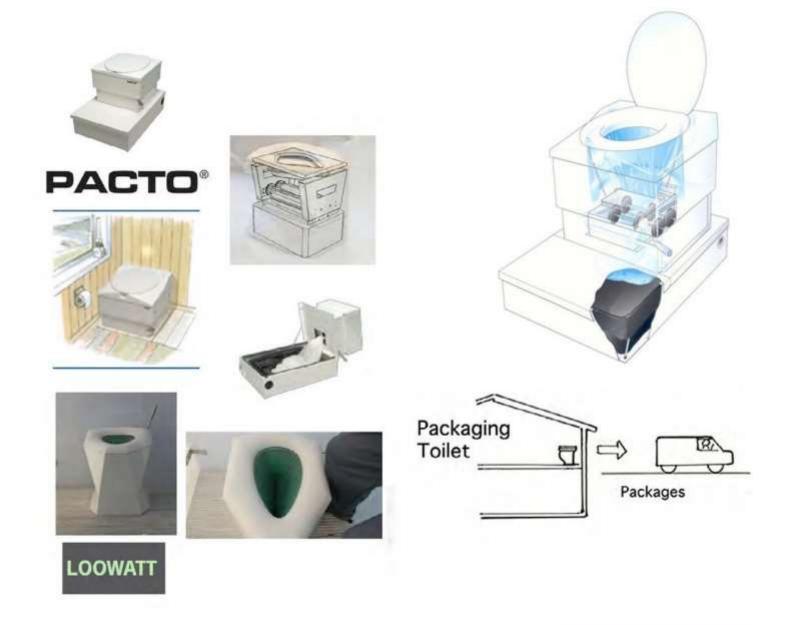


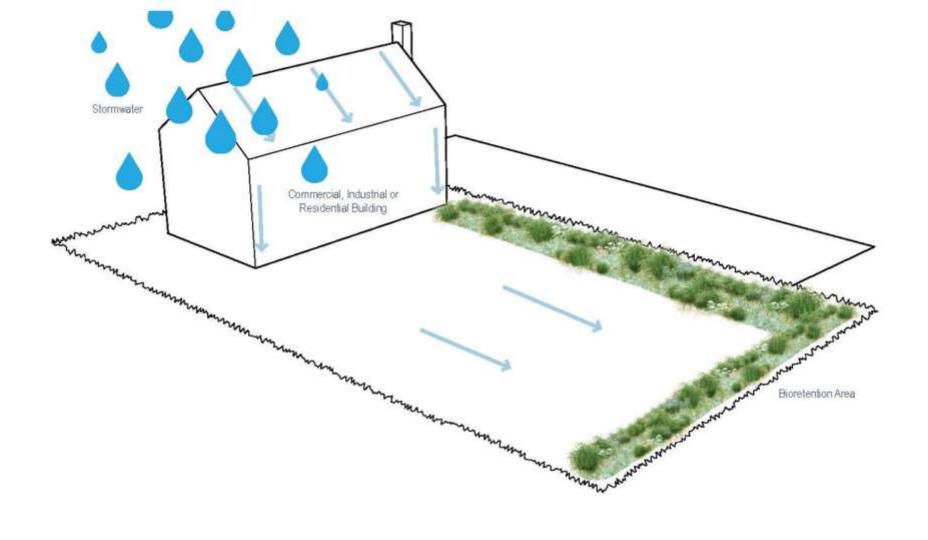












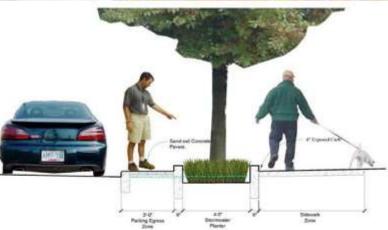
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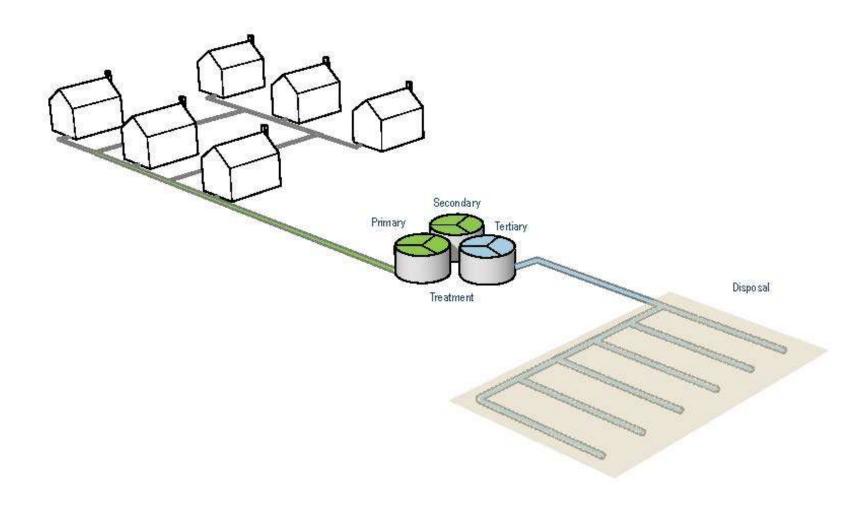
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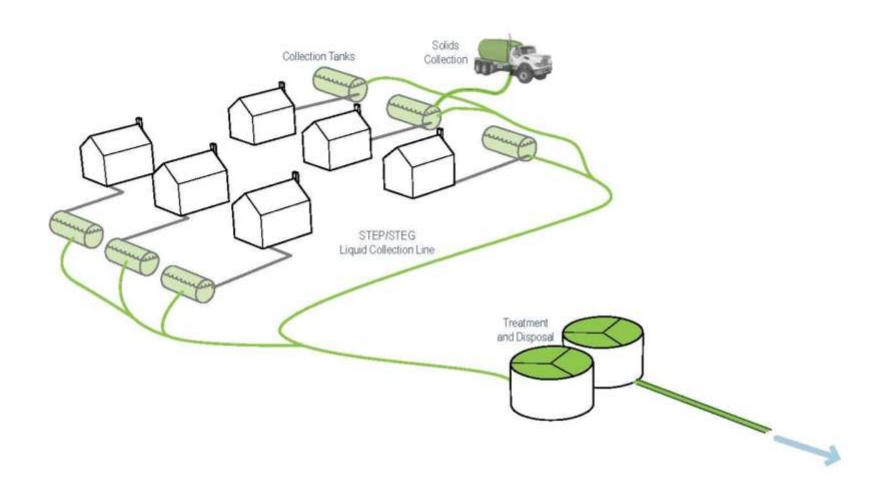
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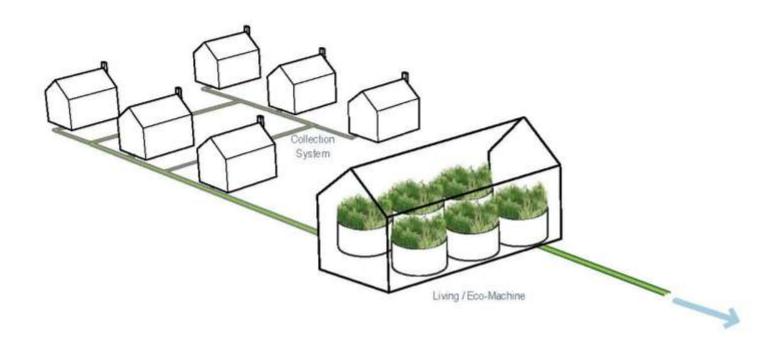
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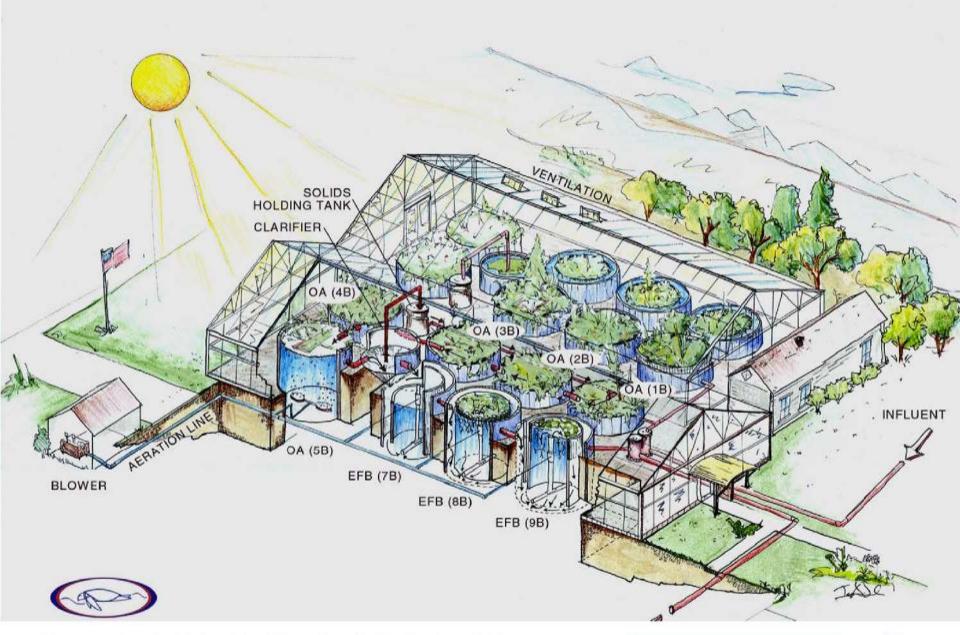




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Precedent: Living Machine, South Burlington, VT Source: Todd Ecological

Eco-Machines and Living Machines



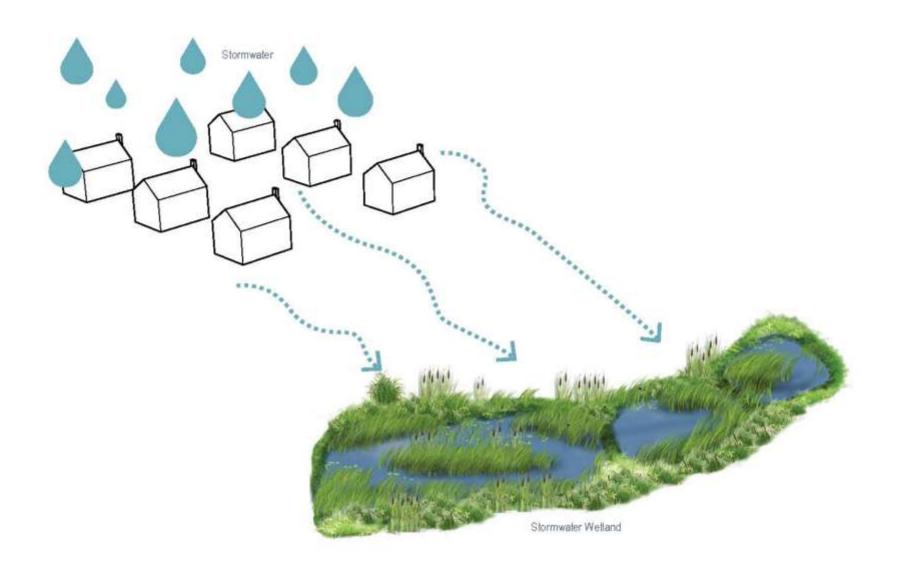






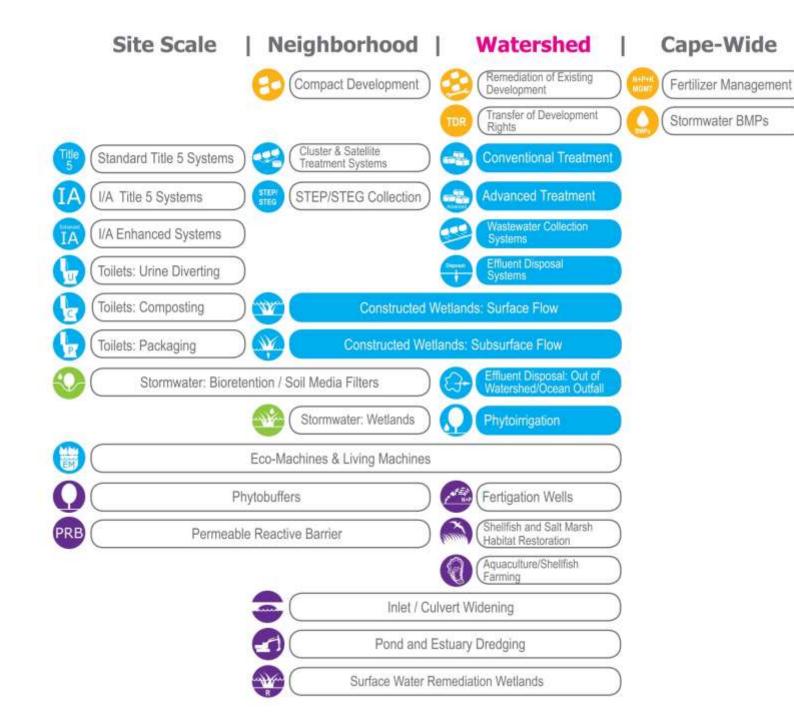


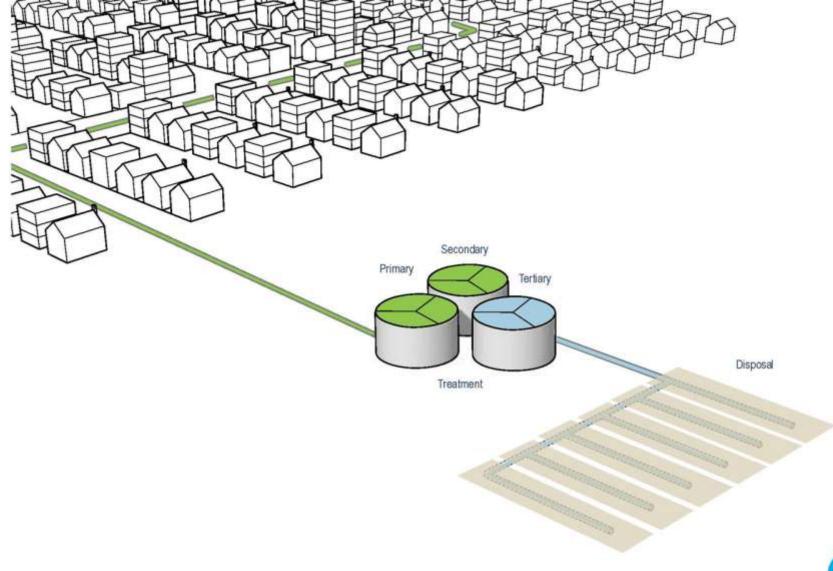




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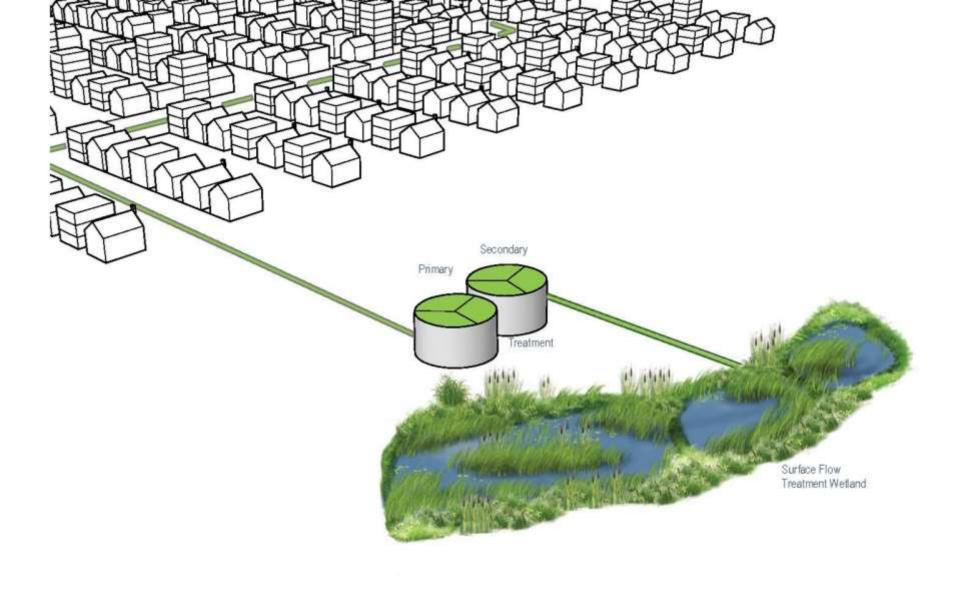






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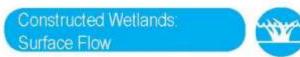


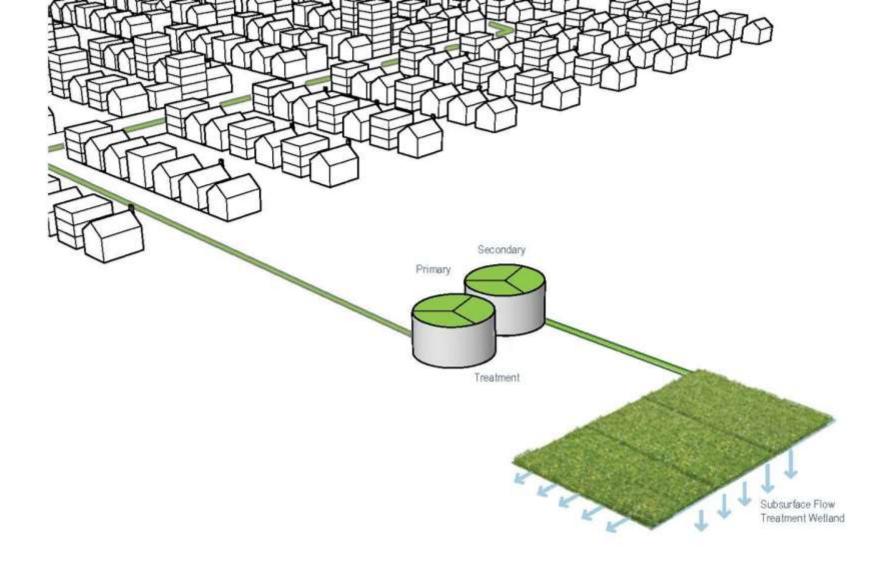




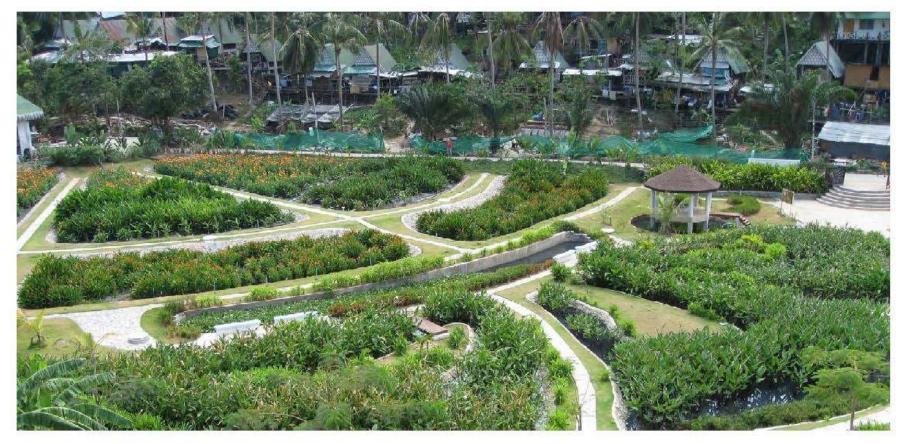


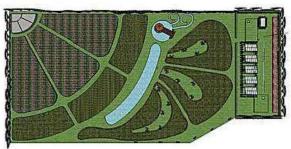
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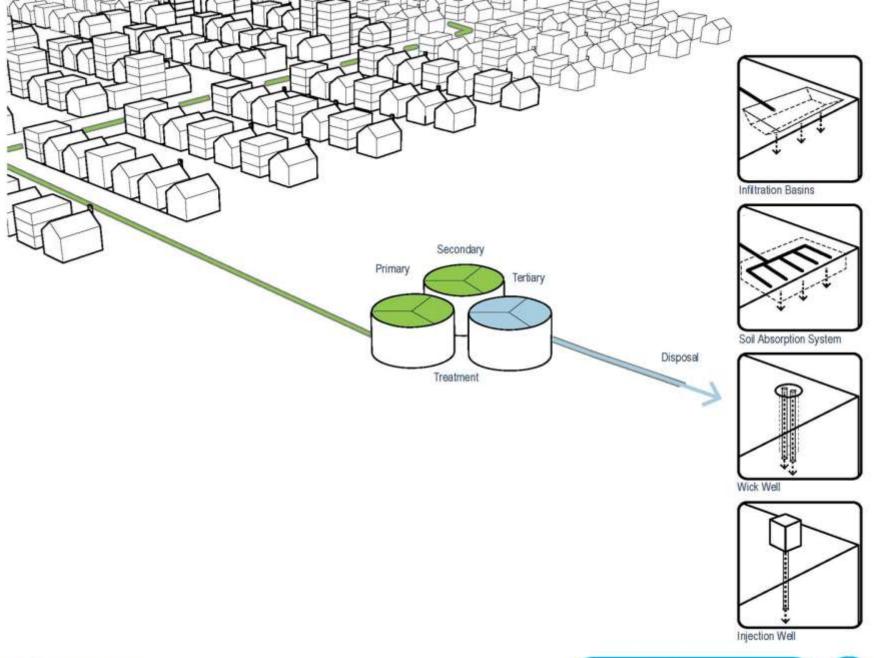






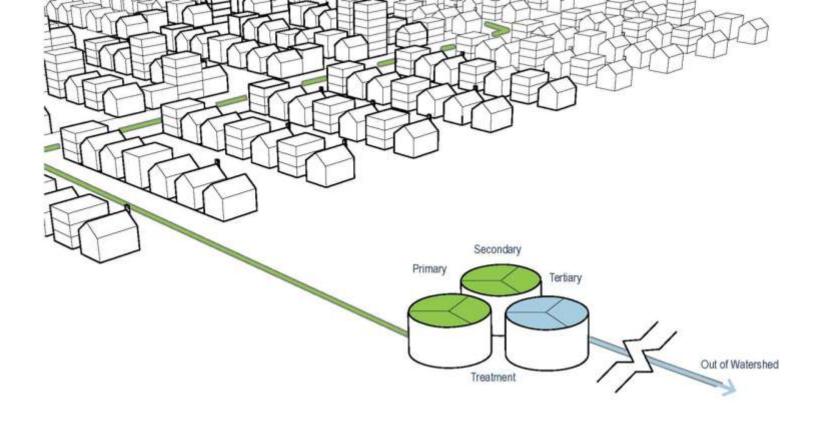
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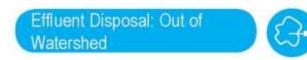


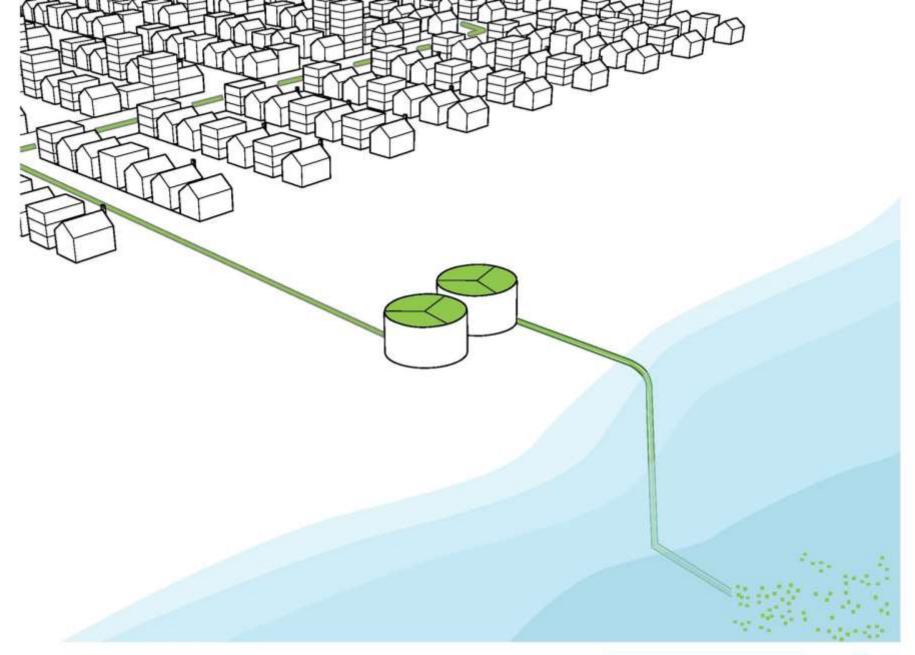


Effluent Disposal Systems



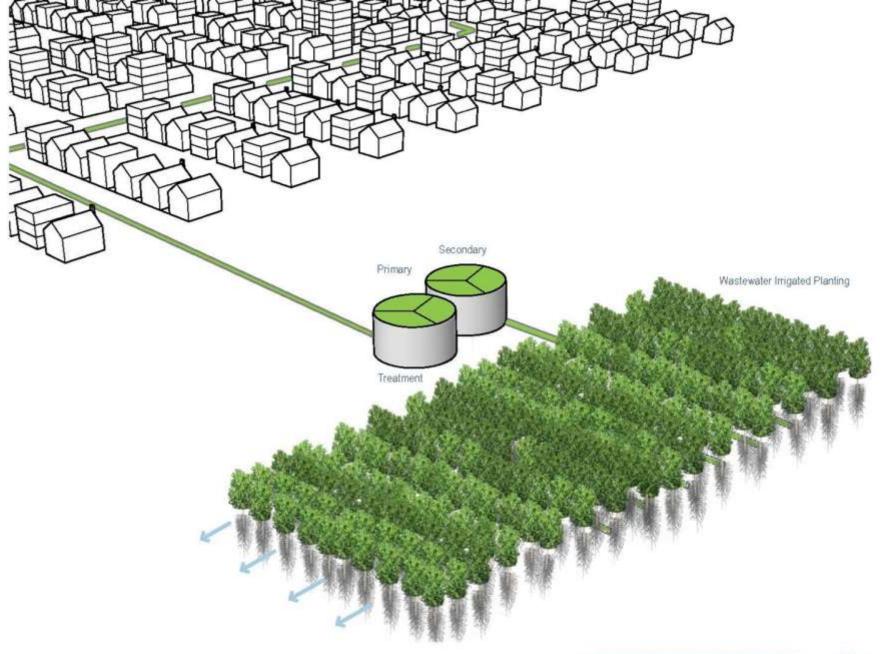




















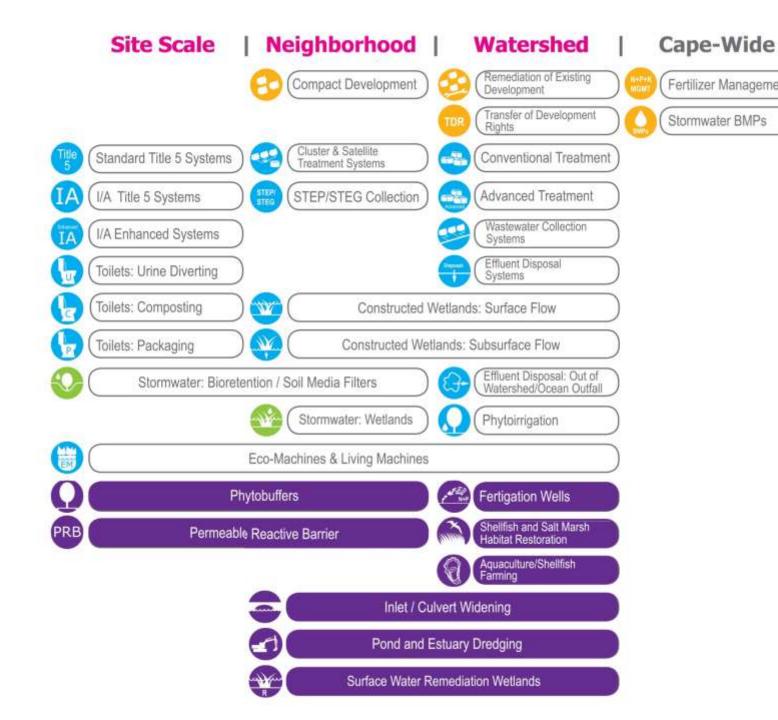
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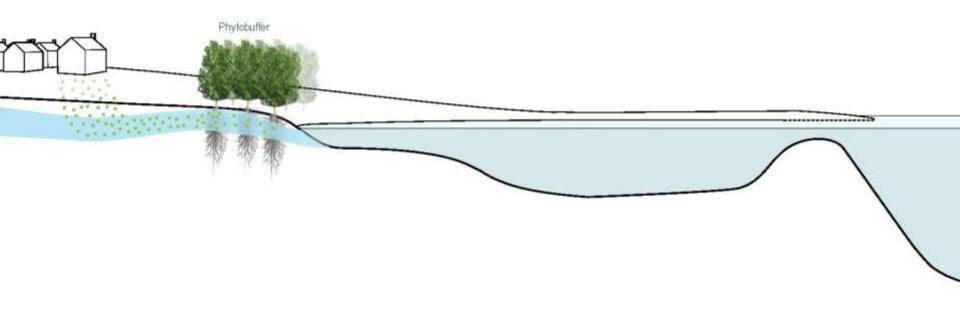
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Fertilizer Management

Stormwater BMPs



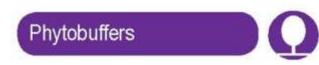


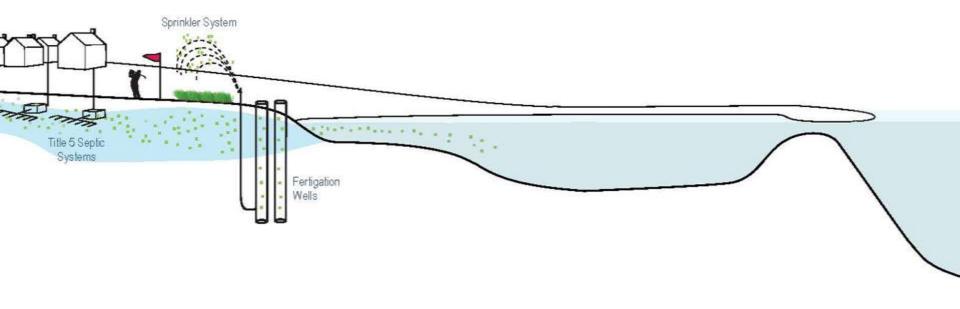




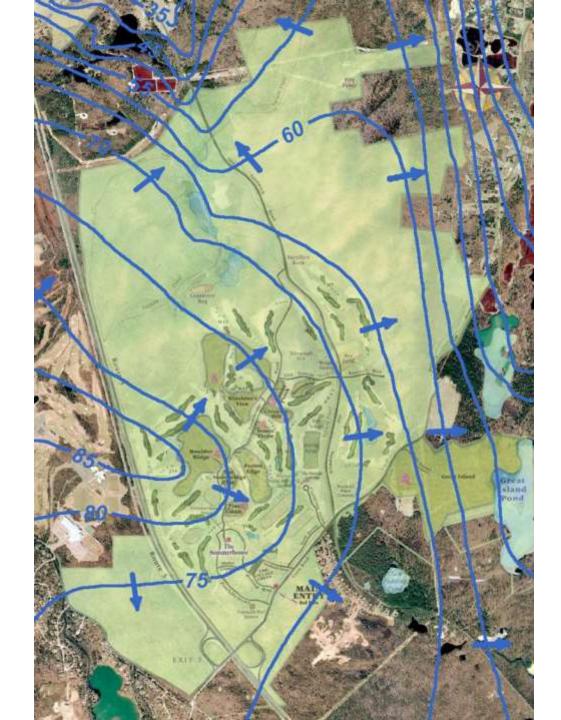


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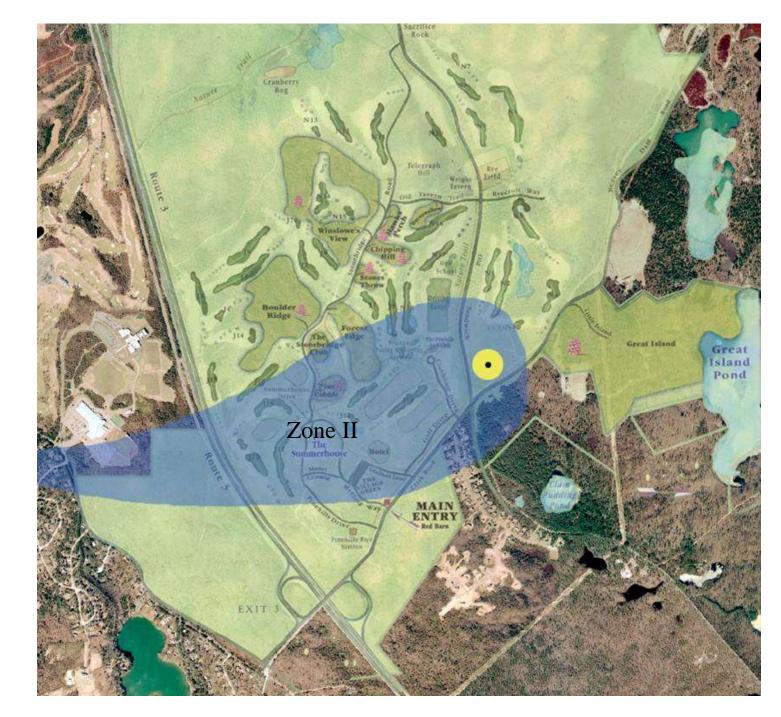




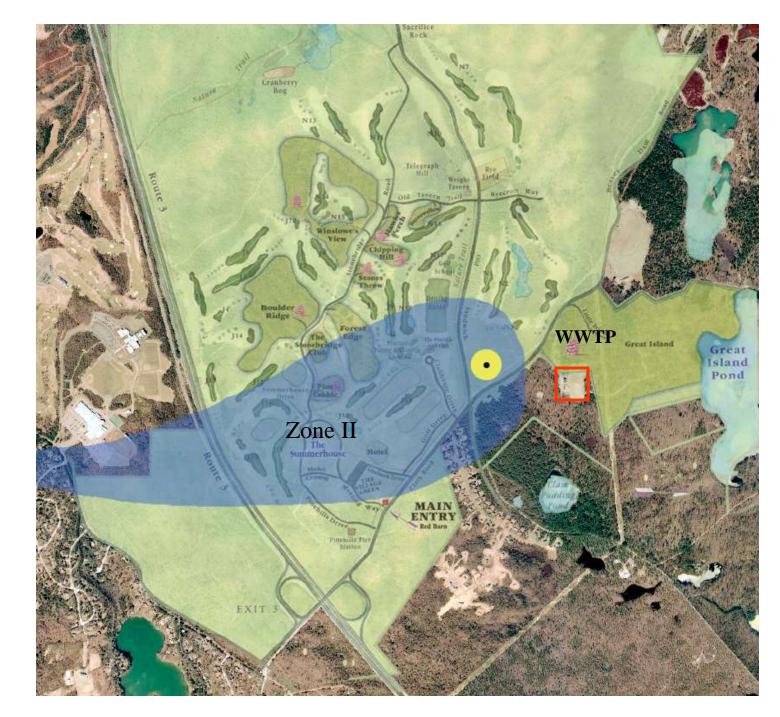




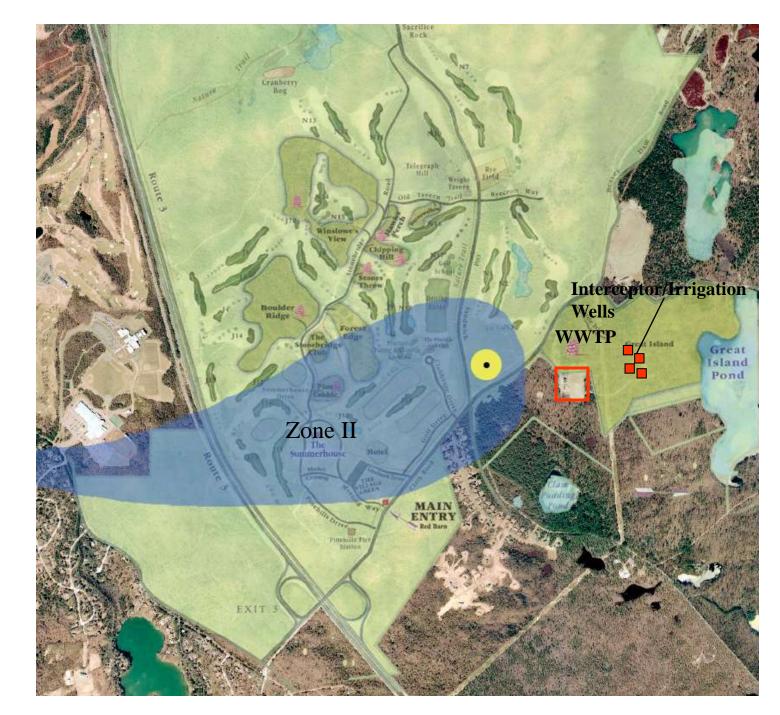
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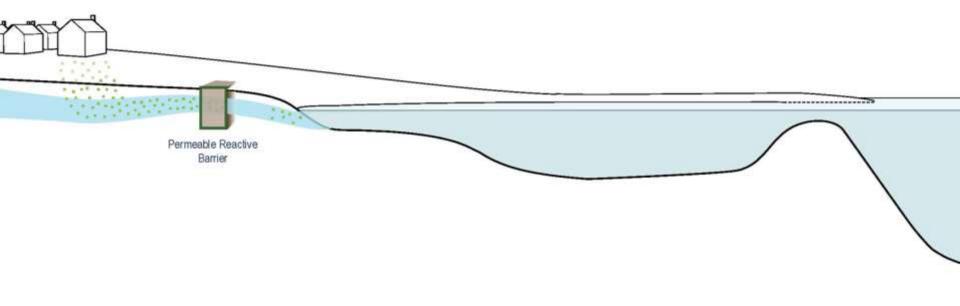
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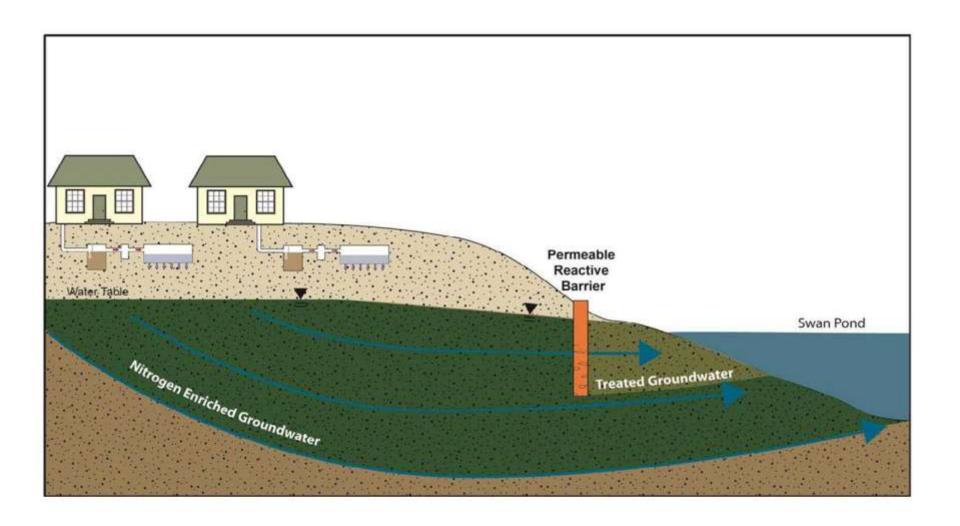
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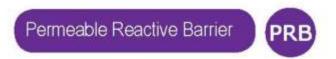
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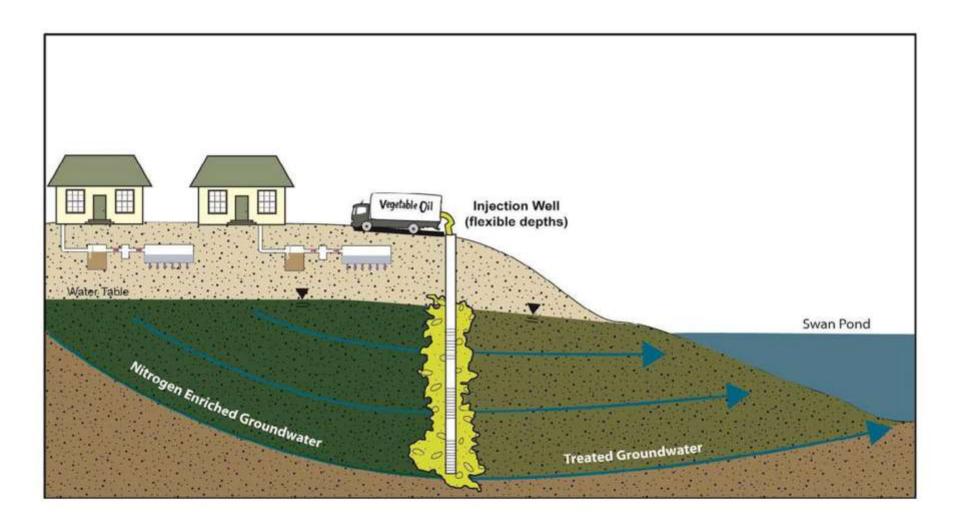




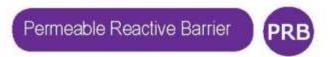


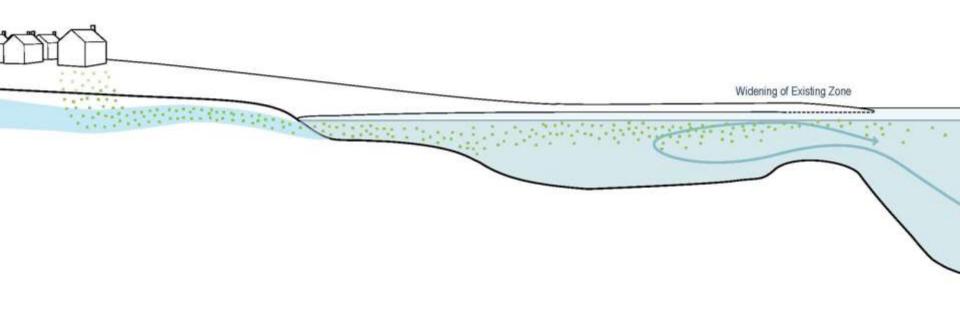
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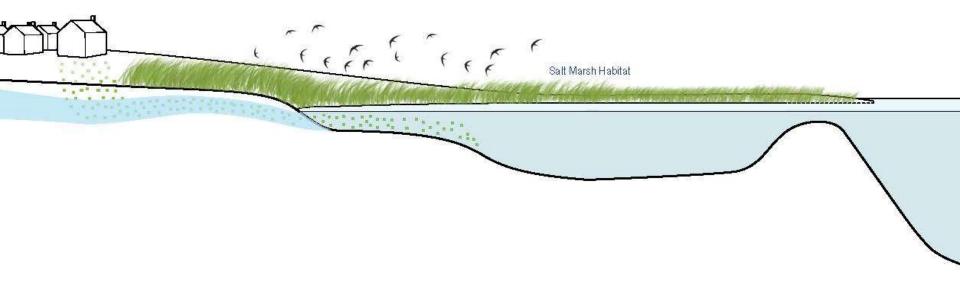




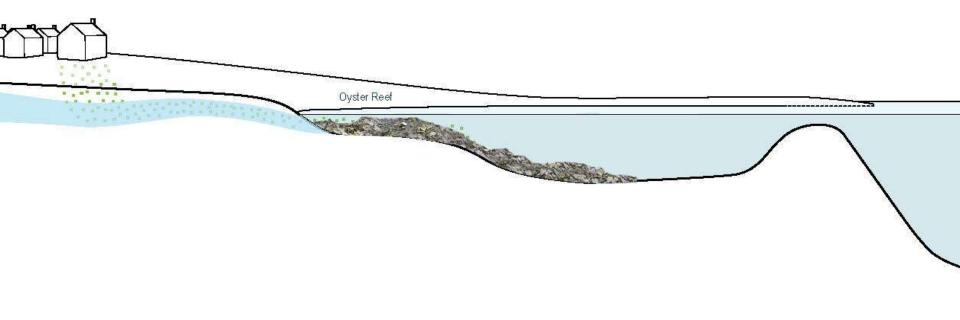














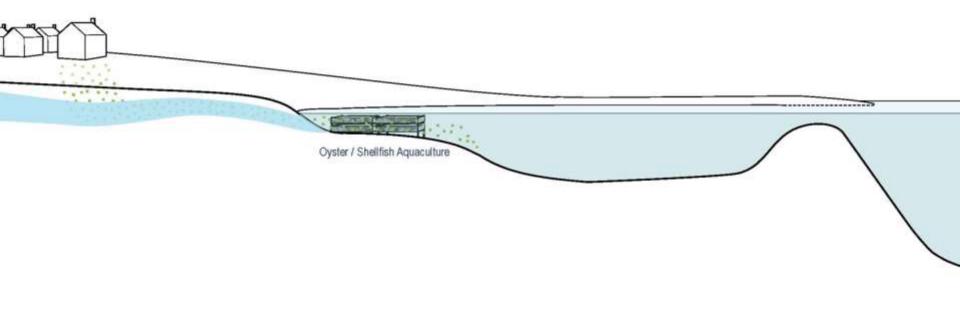






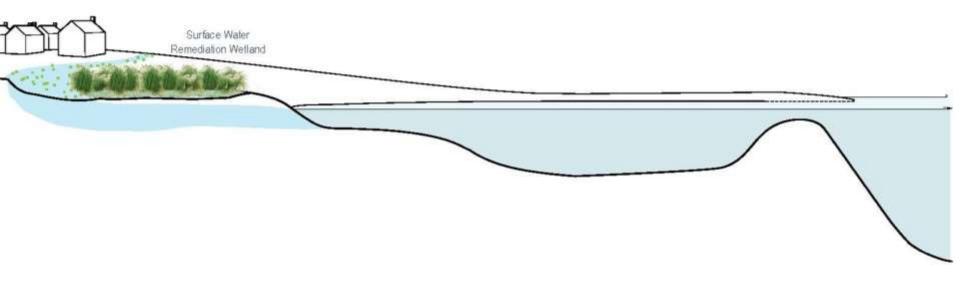






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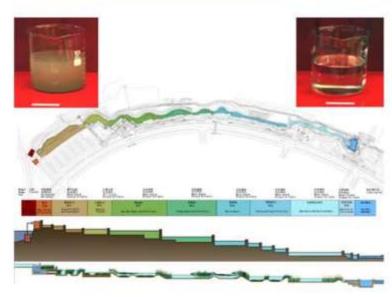


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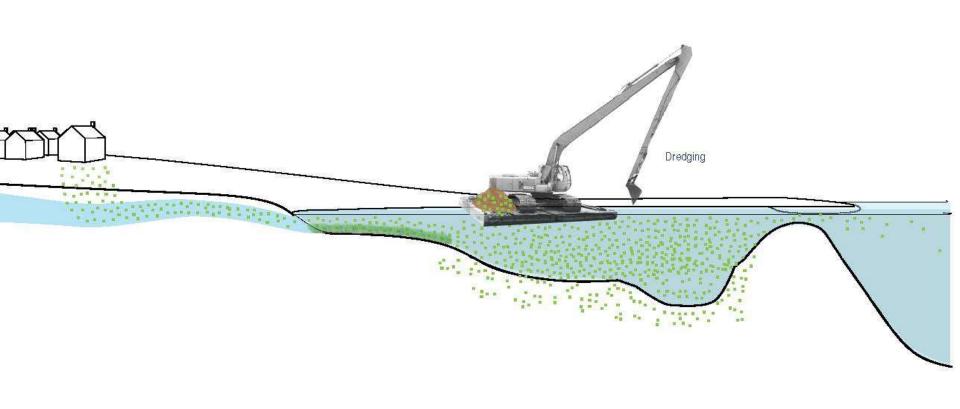




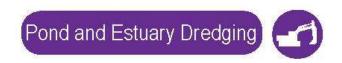


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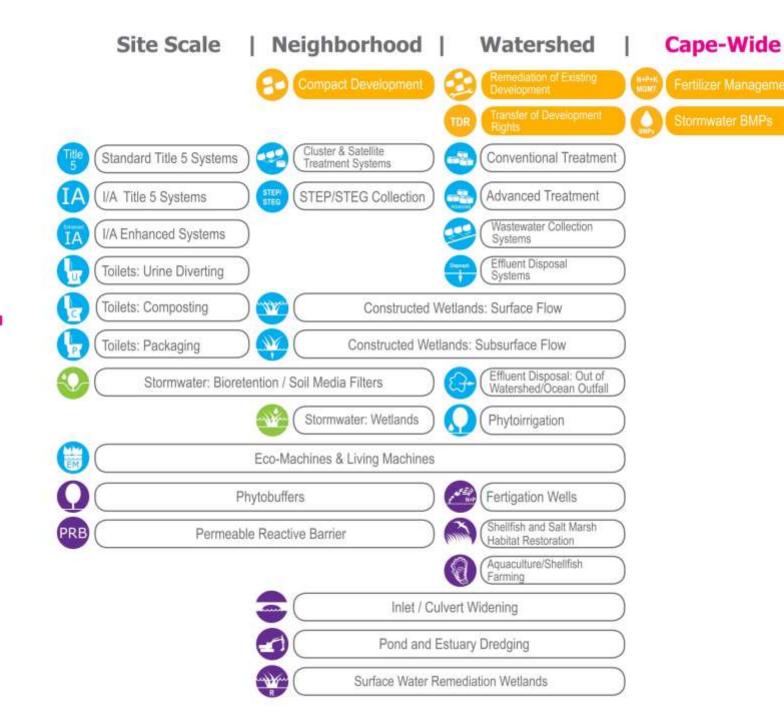


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Precedent: Pond and Estuary Dredging - Dennis, MA

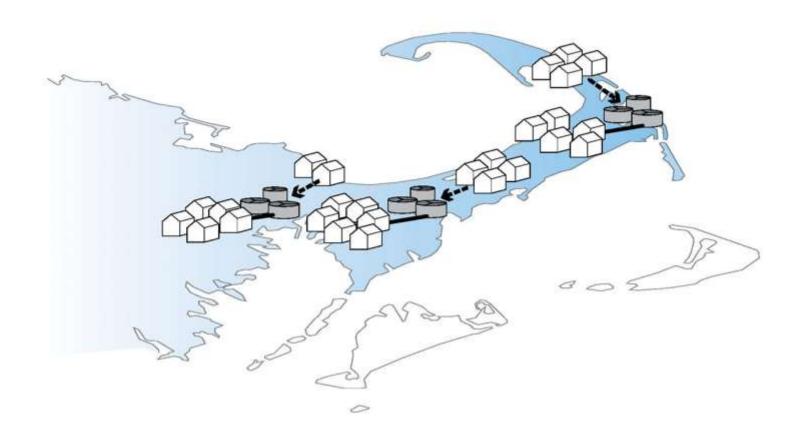
















## Transfer of Developments Rights The Concept

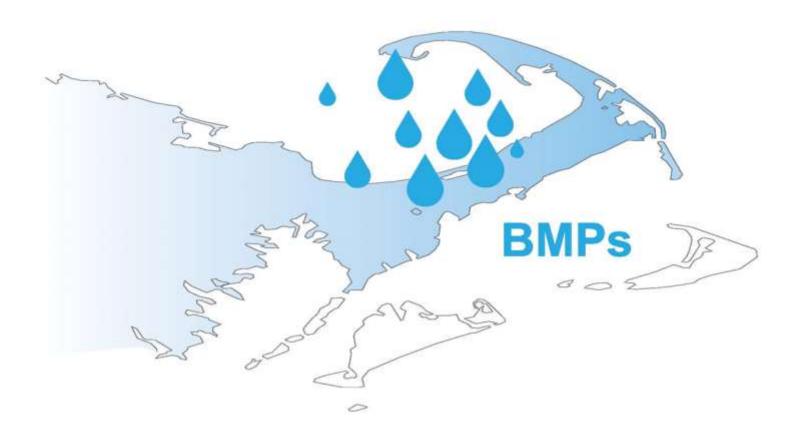
growth area

Owner of "sending" parcel sells development rights in exchange for permanent conservation easement.



Owner of "receiving" parcel buys development rights to build at densities higher than allowed under base zoning.

**Source:** Massachusetts Smart Growth Toolkit





### Town Consideration of Alternative Technologies & Approaches

**Wellfleet-** Coastal habitat restoration & aquaculture

**Mashpee-** Aquaculture & Expanding Existing Systems

**Brewster-** *PRB & Bioswales* 

**Orleans-** Fertilizer Control By-Law

**Harwich-** Muddy Creek & Cold Brook Natural Attenuation

**Falmouth-** Aquaculture

Inlet Widening

Eco-Toilet Demonstration Project

**PRBs** 

Stormwater Management (Little Pond Watershed)

Fertilizer Control By-Law

Subsurface Nitrogen Removal Septic Systems



olutions







#### Targets/Reduction Goals

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Target: Y kg/day



Reduction Required:

N kg/day

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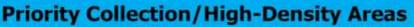
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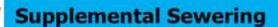
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- D. Growth Incentive Zones





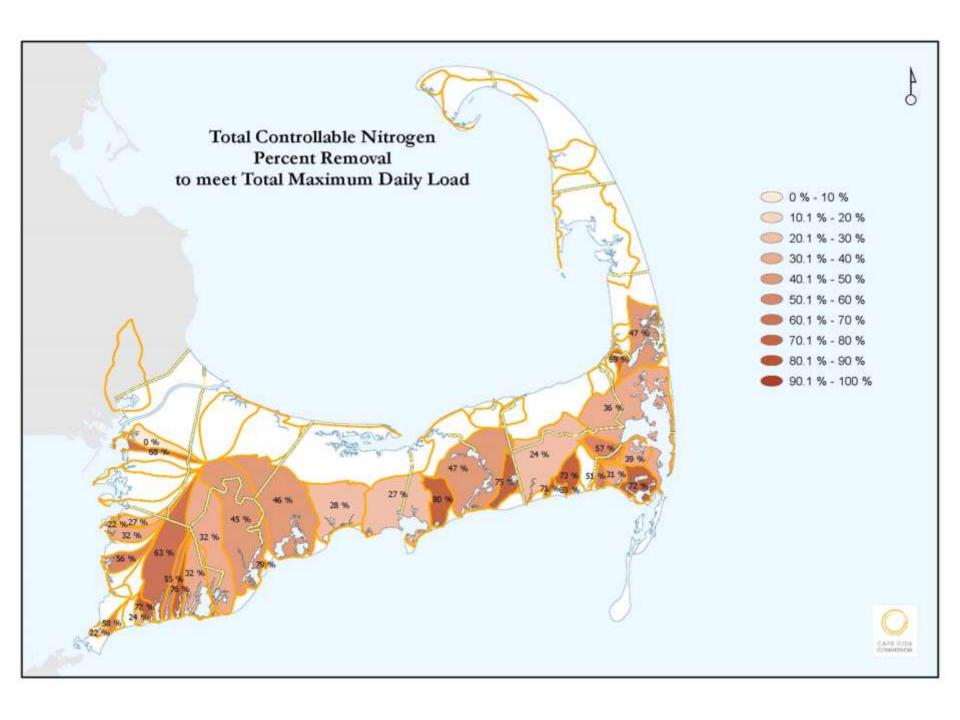


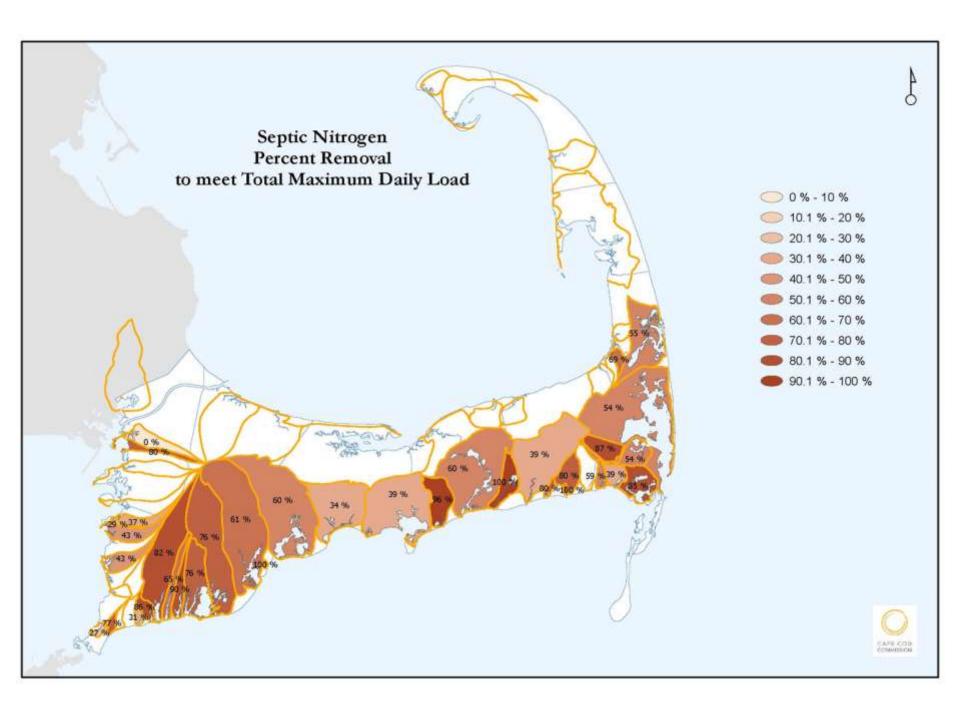


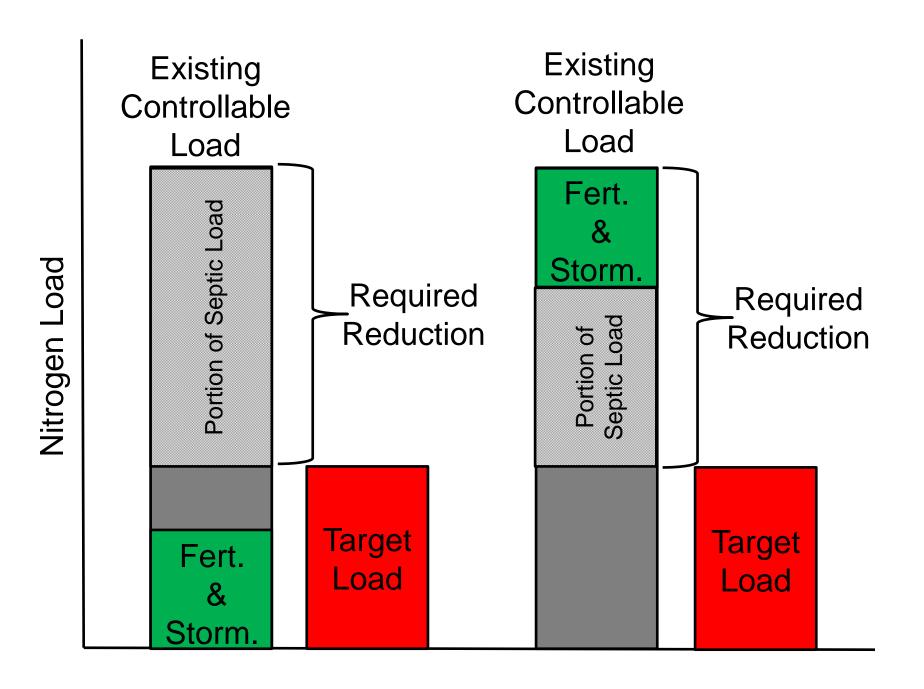


















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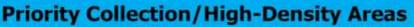
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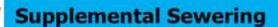
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## **Triple Bottom Line**

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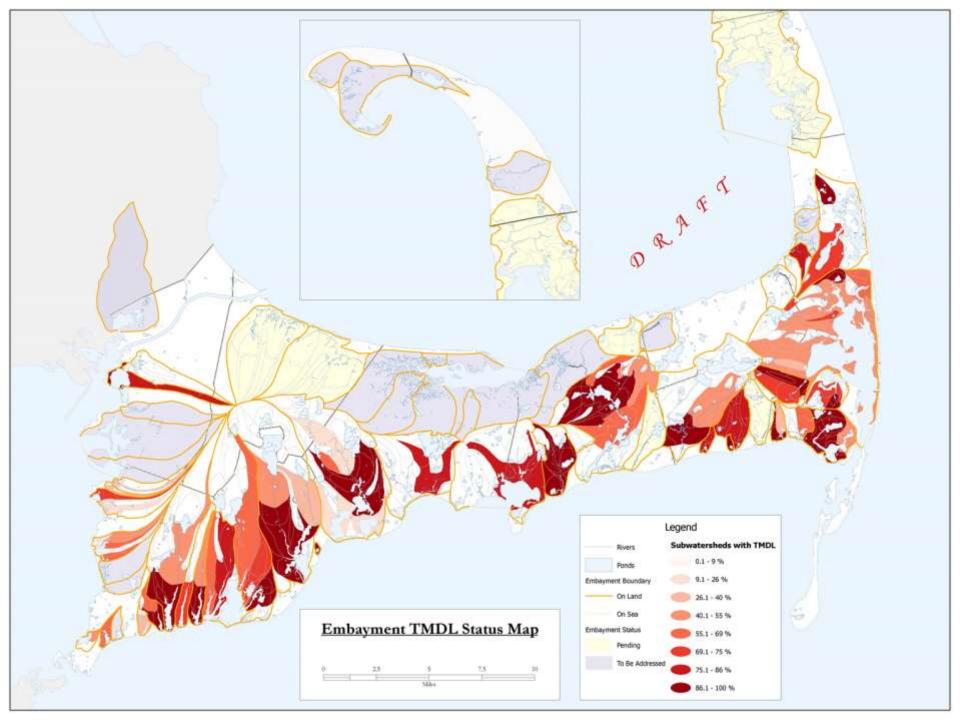
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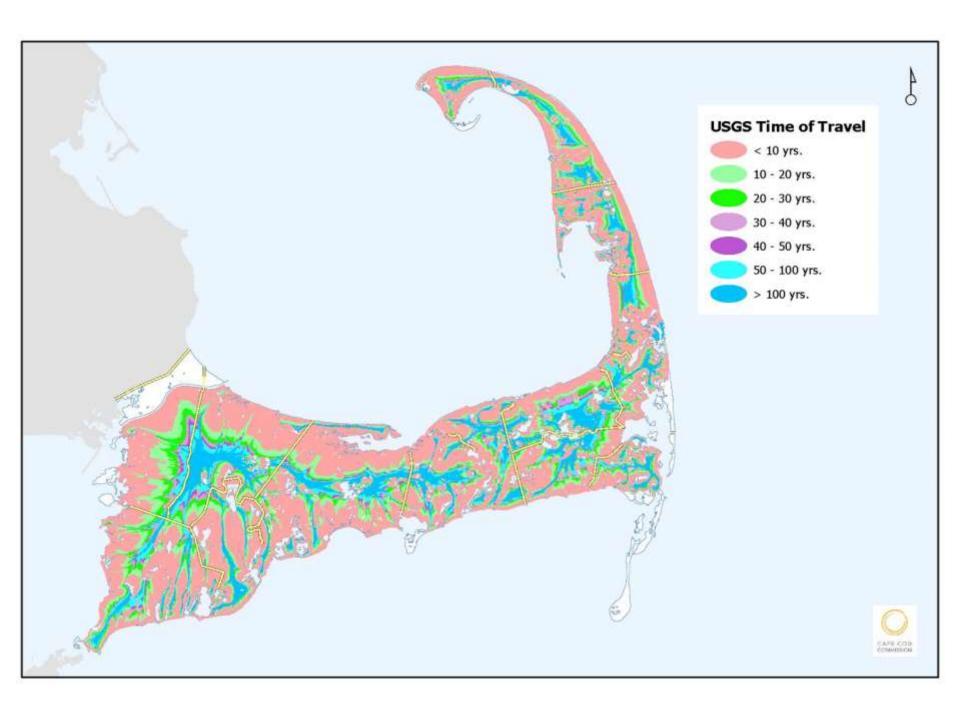
**Economic** 

Social

# Technology Selection: Process and Principles

- ☐ 100% septic removal subwatershed
- ☐ Scale: On-Site vs. Collection System vs. Natural System
- □ Nutrient intervention and time of travel
- ☐ Permitting Status
- ☐ Land use and Impacts of Growth





# Preparing for Meeting 3 and Beyond



- ☐ Review tools and alternatives analysis approach
- ☐ Evaluating scenarios for meeting water quality goals
- ☐ Attend the November 13<sup>th</sup> meeting:

6:00 Cape Cod Museum of Art Dennis, MA