



# Green Infrastructure & Stormwater Management CASE STUDY

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## Connect the Drops

**Location:** Portland, OR

**Client:** Metro regional government

**Design Firm(s):** numerous

**Landscape architect/Project contact:** numerous

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**ASLA Chapter:** Oregon

## Project Specifications

**Project Description:** Connect the Drops is a collaborative project between Metro's Nature in Neighborhoods program, Tualatin Riverkeepers, Clean Water Services, Tualatin Valley Water District, Sea Grant Oregon, Washington County and Oregon Environmental Council. Connect the Drops is creating a regional map of low impact development projects to highlight local projects and developers, celebrate successes and facilitate knowledge-sharing among professionals on a regional and national scale.

### Project Type:

Several

Part of a new development

**Design features:** Bioretention facility, rain garden, bioswale, green roof, cistern, downspout removal, porous pavers, and curb cuts.

**This project was designed to meet the following specific requirements or mandates:** Not applicable

**Impervious area managed:** greater than 5 acres

## Cost & Jobs Analysis

**Estimated Cost of Stormwater Project:** \$1,000,000-\$5,000,000 (Public funding: None)

**Related Information:** Varies by project

**Was a green vs. grey cost analysis performed?** No

**Number of jobs created:** Not available

**Job hours devoted to project:** Not available

Planning and Design: Not available

Construction: Not available

Annual Maintenance: Not available

## **Additional Information**

**Links to images:**

[http://library.oregonmetro.gov/files//connect\\_the\\_drops\\_map\\_locations\\_web.pdf](http://library.oregonmetro.gov/files//connect_the_drops_map_locations_web.pdf)