



# StormStore Opportunity Fund

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# Desired Outcomes



- Provide stormwater capture and storage in the Chi-Cal region
- Demonstrate the economic and environmental benefits of stormwater credit trading
- Address flood issues in vulnerable communities
- Promote nature-based stormwater management
- Provide water quality improvements to the Chi-Cal River System

# Project and Partner Eligibility

## **Eligible Geography**

must be located in a MWRD stormwater trading [pilot watershed](#) and in close proximity or can show direct benefits to the major waterways of the Chi-Cal River system or their tributaries

## **Eligible applicants**

non-profits; municipalities; state, tribal, and local governments; schools; park and preserve districts; other land owners or trusts

## **Eligible Projects**

constructed wetlands, naturalized detention storage, and volume control BMPs that promote bioinfiltration (e.g bioretention cells, engineered rain gardens, bioswales, infrastructure basins, native landscaping and green roofs)

# Priority Communities

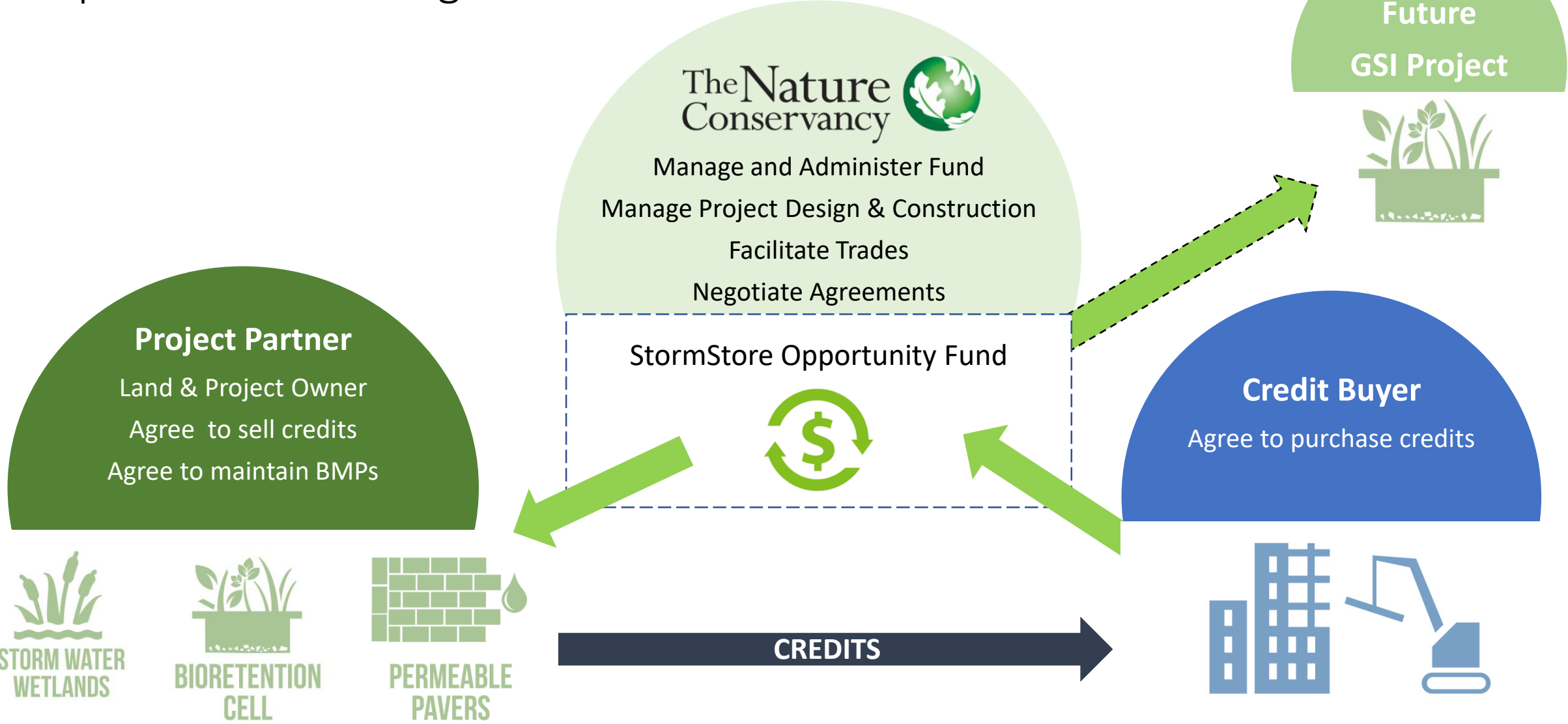


We are prioritizing projects in  
TNC Greenprint  
communities that are located  
in the  
Little Calumet Watershed:

Burnham  
Calumet City  
Dixmoor  
Dolton  
Harvey  
Lansing  
Markham  
Midlothian  
Phoenix  
Riverdale  
Robbins  
South Holland

# Participating as a StormStore Credit Supplier

to help seed a “revolving fund” ....



Contact us....



If you have ideas for a project,  
have questions about how the fund will work or  
want to learn more about StormStore!

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