

Where Does Stormwater Go?

Stormwater

Soaks into the ground
Recharges the groundwater

Runoff

Meadow

Needs to be Managed

Wet Basin

Release directly into nearest
water body

Stormwater Management

Manage the amount of
runoff

Manage the amount of pollution in the
run off

Prevent pollutants from getting into
run-off

Stormwater Basins
Gutters
Storm Drain Systems

Ponds
Wetlands
Infiltration Beds

Use Healthy Household Habits
Use Good Housekeeping Practices for
Commercial Properties
Use Good Housekeeping Practices for Agriculture
Use Erosion and Sediment Controls on
Construction Sites

Slow down the
stormwater run-off

Slow down the stormwater run-off
Clean the pollutants from the run-off
Allow the run-off to soak into the
ground

Direct Discharge

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Dry Basin