

Urban Riparian Restoration: Growing a program

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Historical Practices, Legacy problems

- Mow channels
- Mow buffers
- Remove wood
- Dredge sediments
- Keep creeks clean and simple!
- Move water away fast

The Riparian Solution





Grow Zone



Results



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Rescue Nursery



Shoreline Restoration



Rain Gardens



Bioswales



Additional Mitigation Option

- Board may consider that applicant provide additional mitigation:
 - allow access to property by city staff with volunteers to rescue native plants from development sites.

Considerations:

- Staff needs 10 working days to assess value of site for plant rescue, and 20 days to complete the rescue.
- Staff may need to opt out at any time: The nursery is small, and summer rescues would be very limited.



Questions?