

Stormwater Utilities in Other Cities

Town	Year Established	Services	Basis of Fee	Fee	Revenue
Takoma Park, MD	1996	Construction and maintenance of storm drainage system	Impervious surface (<i>Hard surface</i>)	Single family \$24/year	\$183,000/1999
		Review of stormwater management plans		Nonresidential based on impervious area	
		Inspection and enforcement		Multifamily based on impervious area	
		Watershed planning		Public, state, county, and city property exempt	
		Water quality monitoring			
Boulder, CO	1973	Public education	Property area	Residential <15,000 sq/ft \$4.40/monthly	\$5.4 M/1996
		Detection of illicit connections and dumping		Residential 15,000 - 30,000 sq/ft \$5.50/monthly	
		Water quality monitoring		Properties >30,000 sq/ft \$6.60/monthly	
		Routine maintenance		Commercial based on impervious/pervious area	
				Undeveloped parcels are exempt	
Bellevue, WA	1974	Flood control	Impervious surface	Impervious surface/total square footage	\$7 M/1990
		Water quality monitoring			
		Public education			
		Routine maintenance			
Ann Arbor, MI	1984	Detecting illicit connections	Hydrologic acreage	Single/Two-family house \$3.83/month	
		Water quality monitoring		Commercial/Industrial rate per acre \$41/month	
		Chemical storage surveys		Public lands for recreation and streets are exempt	
		Public education			
		Complaint and spill response			
		System maintenance			
Cincinnati, OH	1985	Flood protection	Equivalent runoff unit	Single/Two-family house >10,000 sq/ft #26.52/yearly	\$6.8 M/1998
		City regional master plan		Single/Two-family house >10,000 sq/ft \$37.13/yearly	
		Capital improvements		Other prperty \$2.21/ERU	
		Routine maintenance			
Austin, TX	1982	Erosion control	Residential/average acreage	Residential \$4.95/month	\$15 M/1998
		Flood control	Commercial/developed acre	Commercial \$48.00/month	
		Improving water quality		State, county, and school districts are exempt	
		Routine maintenance			
Louisville, KY	1987	Routine maintenance	Commercial/Industrial/Institutional = Front footage/2,500 sq/ft	Residential #3.15/month	\$16.2 M/1998
		Citizen requests	Termed Existing Service Unit (ESU)	Each ESU is \$3.00	
		Cleaning catch basins			
		Mowing and cleaning ditches			
		Repairing pipes and culverts			
		Flood protection			
		Developing design manual for elimination of flood/drainage problems			
		Water quality monitoring			
Decatur, GA	1999	Water quality	Equivalent runoff unit	Residential \$5.00/month per 2,900 sq/ft impervious area	\$750,000/2001
		Flood control		Other based on impervious cover	
		Master planning		Undeveloped parcels and state highways exempt	
		Routine maintenance			
		Design of stormwater projects			
Griffin, GA	1996	Flood control			
		Maintenance	Equivalent runoff unit	Residential #3.50/month	\$1.5 M/2001
		Master planning	Flat fee for single-family	Other based on impervious cover	
		Regional detention			
		Design			