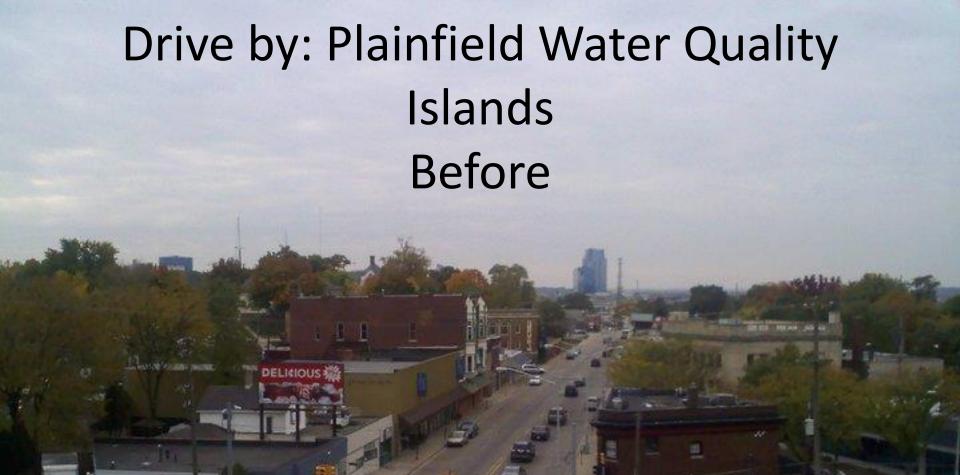
Green Stormwater Infrastructure Bus Tour







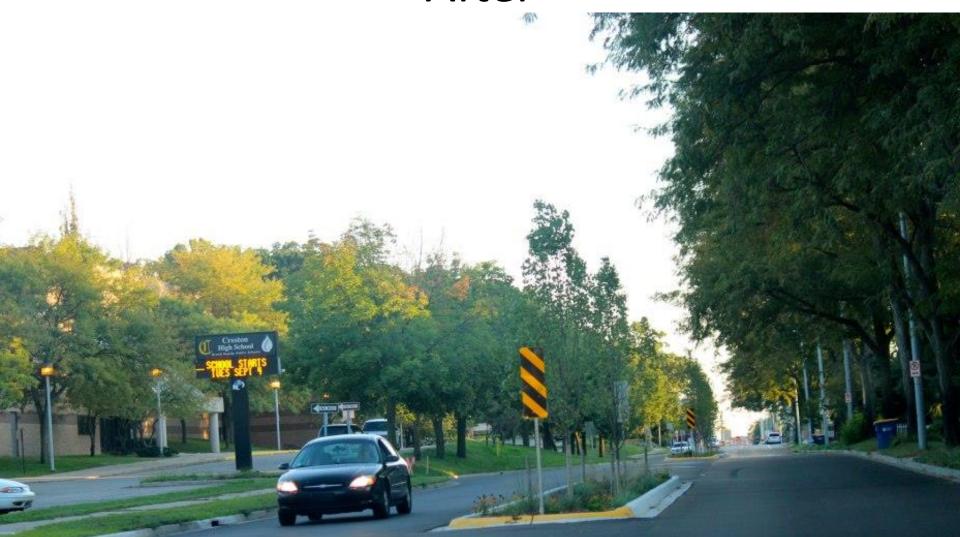




Drive by: Plainfield Water Quality Islands Construction



Drive by: Plainfield Water Quality Islands After



Plainfield Water Quality Islands - Current





Water Quality Islands

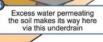
How they work

This graphic illustrates the secret to how Water Quality Islands, like those installed on Plainfield Avenue NE, function to improve water quality in the Grand River



Excess water in the basin flows to the storm sewers and into the Grand River

Final soil filtration and absorption takes place at this catch basin





Rain from the street is directed to the island

and dispersed here

Benefits of the Plainfield Islands

Economic

- · Enriches the neighborhood
- Triggers additional investments
- Increases property values

Social

- Enhances pedestrian safety through traffic calming and increases driver awareness
- · Heightens community pride
- Provides inspiration for social responsibility

Environment

- Filters out pollutants and keeps them from the Grand River
- Reduces the volume of water going to the river and decreases flooding
- Slows the velocity of water flowing to the river and minimizes erosion











North Park Montessori Before







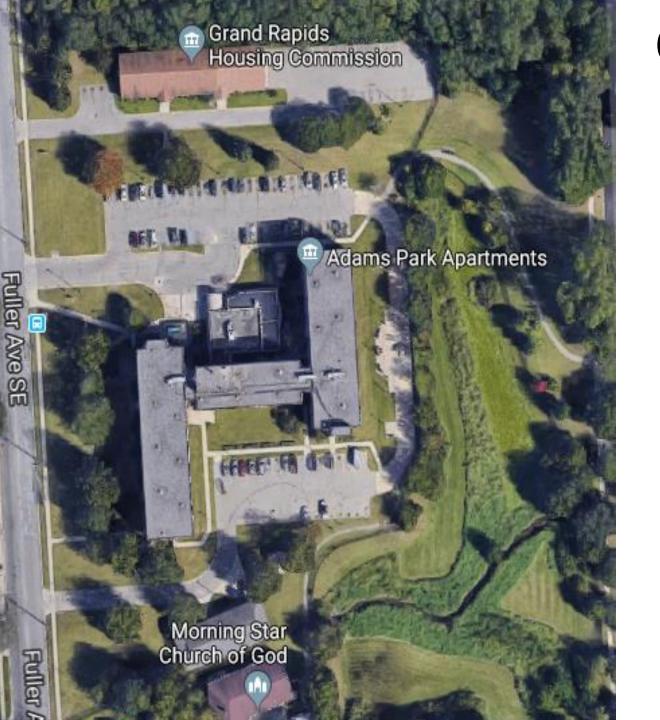




Newberry St. NW - construction







Calvin Basin

Before

