



STORMWATER ACTION CENTER FACT SHEET

Name of Project:

Furman Park Stormwater Capture and Infiltration Project

Location:

Downey, California

County:

Los Angeles County

Watershed:

Lower Los Angeles River

Website:

[Safecleanwaterla.org/projects2/](https://safecleanwaterla.org/projects2/)

FURMAN PARK STORMWATER CAPTURE AND INFILTRATION PROJECT – DOWNEY, CALIFORNIA

OVERVIEW:

The proposed Stormwater Capture and Infiltration Project will entail the construction of an 8.4 acre-foot capacity regional stormwater capture and filtration facility located beneath the open spaces of the existing park.





BENEFITS:

- Enhanced flood retention capabilities
- Modernized structures
- Adds native plantings and landscaping along school border, which provides an opportunity for education, reduces heat in the area, and adds shade
- It will improve the water quality within the Los Angeles River
- Offset the potable water demand at the park
- Maintain a public play space
- Restore/rehabilitate park facilities and irrigation system for improved coverage
- Educate the public on the local water supply and demands

FUNDING SOURCES:

- Safe Clean Water Program aka Measure W
- The City of Downey intends to commit up to 10% in city matching funds for the Furman Park Stormwater Capture and Infiltration Project



-  - Water Storage
-  - Flood Mitigation
-  - Bio-Filtration/Green Infrastructure
-  - New/Improved Drainage Infrastructure

