APPLICANT
Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

PROJECT
Greenbelt Homes Incorporative Clean Water Initiative

GRANT AMOUNT
$101,935

PROJECT SUMMARY
In 2017, Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) installed stormwater management projects designed to reduce sediment and nutrient pollution entering Still Creek, a body of water which drains into the Northeast Branch of the Anacostia River. The project aimed to reduce stormwater runoff, erosion, and flooding in the housing cooperative that impairs Still Creek and causes damage to GHI housing units.

GHI engaged 20 residents in the project planning and educated Greenbelt citizens about stormwater issues, including the location and significance of Greenbelt watersheds, the downstream efforts and practices in the housing cooperative affecting the Anacostia River and the Chesapeake Bay, the benefits that stormwater management practices will produce for GHI in reducing stormwater runoff, and the actions Greenbelt residents can take to help restore local streams and the Chesapeake Bay.

GHI utilized the services of three local Prince George’s County businesses throughout the planning, design, and construction of this project: Ecosite, Low Impact Development Center Inc., and Urban Biology LLC.

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