

Maintaining Your Private Stormwater Facilities

A reminder about the required private stormwater detention pond maintenance in your neighborhood.

Visit <http://www.ci.snohomish.wa.us/213/Stormwater> to learn what is required to keep your private stormwater facility maintained under Snohomish Municipal Code (SMC) 15.16.



Why Maintain Your Stormwater Pond...

- It is required by the Snohomish Municipal Code (SMC) 15.16.
- Stormwater runoff is a significant source of water pollution in urbanizing areas.
- Studies have shown *that properly maintained detention ponds* can be very effective at removing certain pollutants and providing necessary storage volumes during larger storm events.
- To protect our local lakes, streams, rivers, habitat and natural resources.

Questions?

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