

SAG HARBOR STORMWATER CONTROL PROJECT

BACKGROUND

Sag Harbor Village sits on the north shore of the South Fork, split between the Town of Southampton and East Hampton. With a large tourism economy and bustling marinas, clean water is very important. Unfortunately, due to issues such as stormwater runoff, water quality has been affected and local beaches have been closed to swimming.

METHODS

This project will provide stormwater remediation in Sag Harbor Cove and Havens Beach with four green infrastructure installations. These will manage stormwater and filter pollutants before the water reaches Sag Harbor Bay.

The goals of the project include:

- Improve water quality
- Increase coastal resilience in an area prone to flooding and experiencing increased precipitation
- Provide education to the local community about coastal adaptation, and stormwater management using green infrastructure.



HAVENS BEACH RAIN GARDEN

This green infrastructure project builds upon the existing PEP funded rain garden. Using IJA funds, amendments will be made to the rain gardens and road for increased stormwater capacity as well as flood management. We will also be educating the community in stormwater management.

CCMP ACTIONS

Action 21: Expand non-point source subwatershed management plans to all pathogen-impaired waterbodies and continue to use existing plans.

PARTNERS



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STATUS

Project is complete! We will continue to support stormwater management through continued plantings of native materials for rain gardens.

Proper signage will be updated soon.