

# NATIONAL STORMWATER REPORT CARD



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The American Society of Civil Engineers gave the water sector a D+ in its most recent Infrastructure Report Card. This grade is alarming for those both within and outside the water sector. Yet, the only growing source of water pollution – urban stormwater runoff – is not included in this metric.

To fill this gap, the National Municipal Stormwater Alliance is undertaking an effort to give stormwater its first nationwide grade. This effort is meant to support and complement the ASCE Infrastructure Report Card, increasing coverage of the water sector.

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Assessing stormwater infrastructure today will give a clearer view of the sector's progress in the future. Stormwater and the challenges it poses impact many industries and professionals, so we are looking for input from those both within and outside of the sector.

Graders will assess the sector's current capacity, condition, funding level, operation and maintenance, public safety, resilience, and innovation with a simple grade of A through F. Graders will also assess the sector's potential grades if operating under StormSmart conditions where all available technologies and innovations are put into practice. StormSmart solutions include such technologies as real-time monitoring and controls for stormwater practices and high-flow media filters for bioretention facilities as well as innovative project delivery and funding and financing methods.

