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# Water is Nature's resource



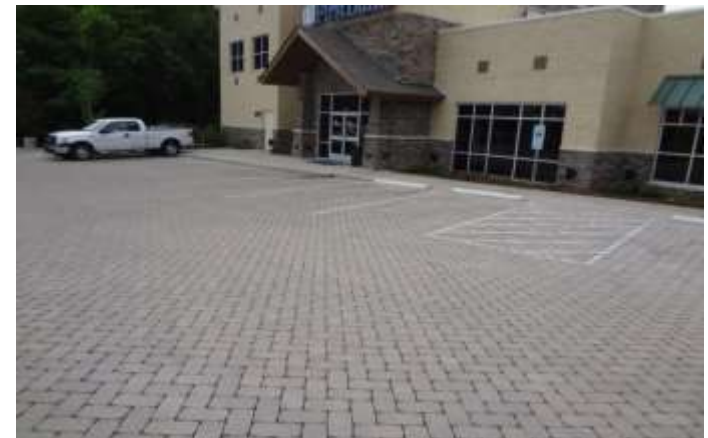


## *Nature's resource needs protection*





# Engineered Ecological Paver Systems



**Sustainable Solutions that Last....**





# Industrial



**Contaminants in stormwater run-off are a significant source of water pollution to coastal waters in Southern California. We will be working with the Regional Board, the cities, the ports and their tenants to minimize the impact of port operations on water quality** – Alexis Strauss, Water Division Director (2007)



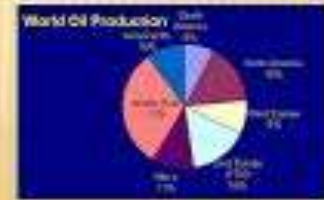
# Growth to meet demands?



## MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

### ✦ Water Pollution

- ✦ Port cities
  - ✦ Ports make it easier to ship things
  - ✦ Water is often polluted by the shipping industry
- ✦ Oil is the main export
  - ✦ Oil spills are one of the main causes for water pollution in the Persian Gulf







# Permeable Interlocking Pavement Systems







# KEY ENVIRONMENTAL OPPORTUNITIES

The port sector is working with EPA to improve performance by:

- ❑ Reducing air emissions;
- ❑ Improving water quality;
- ❑ Minimizing impacts of growth; and
- ❑ Promoting environmental management systems

**Permeable Interlocking Concrete Pavement (PICP) can address the above targets in a natural engineered system**

# Improving Water Quality

Ports can improve the quality of surrounding waters by enhancing stormwater management and exploring new technologies to reduce the impact of invasive species.

Ports can work towards minimizing impacts of growth







# ***Stormwater Management - Port of Tampa***

*The port installed an advanced stormwater system to help reduce the pollutant load into Ybor Channel, which leads to Tampa Bay. This system utilizes collection basins and baffle boxes that are capable of removing sediments and other suspended particles from stormwater so that they will not enter Ybor Channel.*

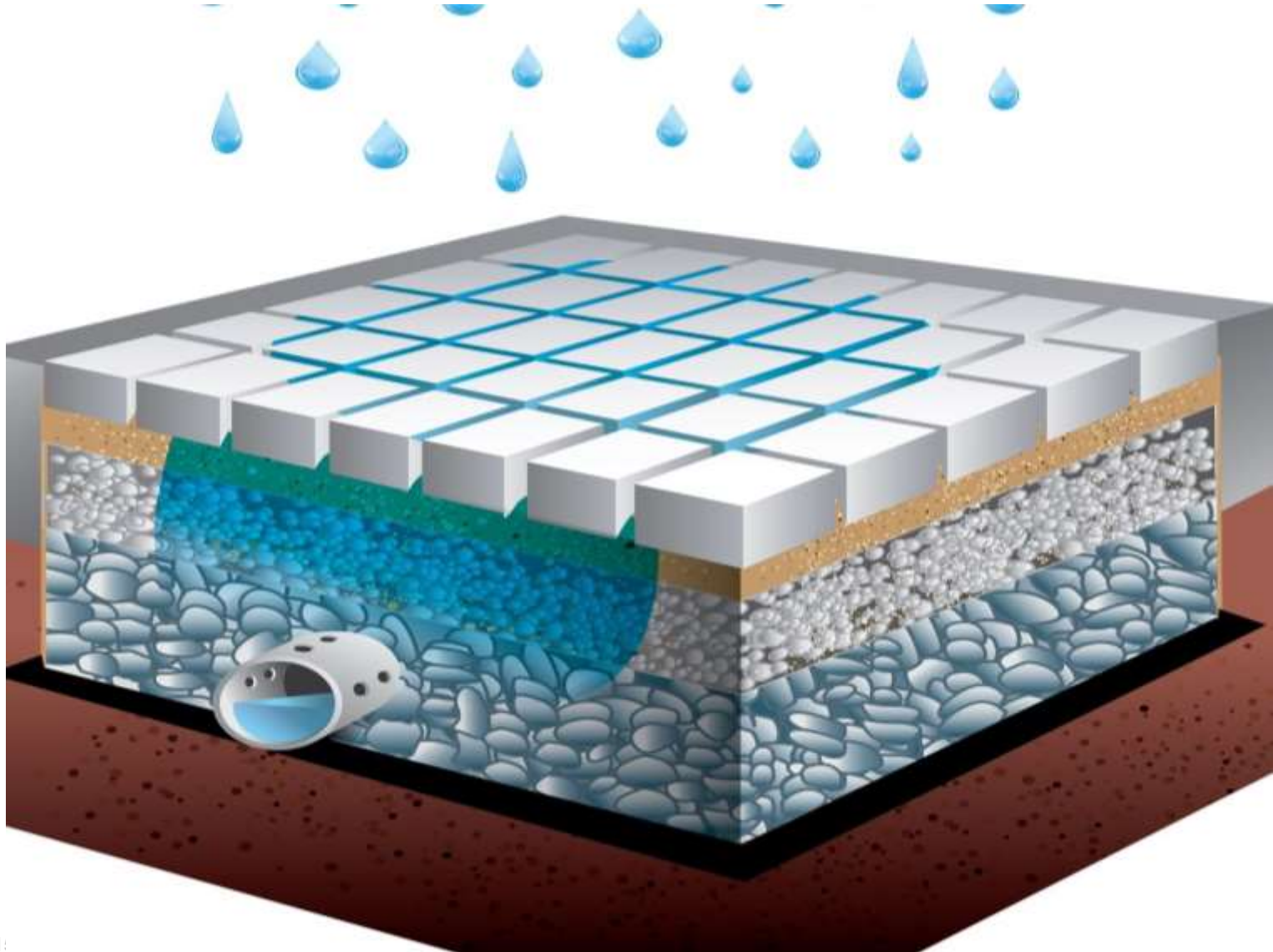
## **Port of Tampa - Berth 208**

Tampa Port Authority, Tampa, FL

Example of Port's experience with segmental concrete pavement systems



# Permeable Interlocking Concrete Pavement (PICP)



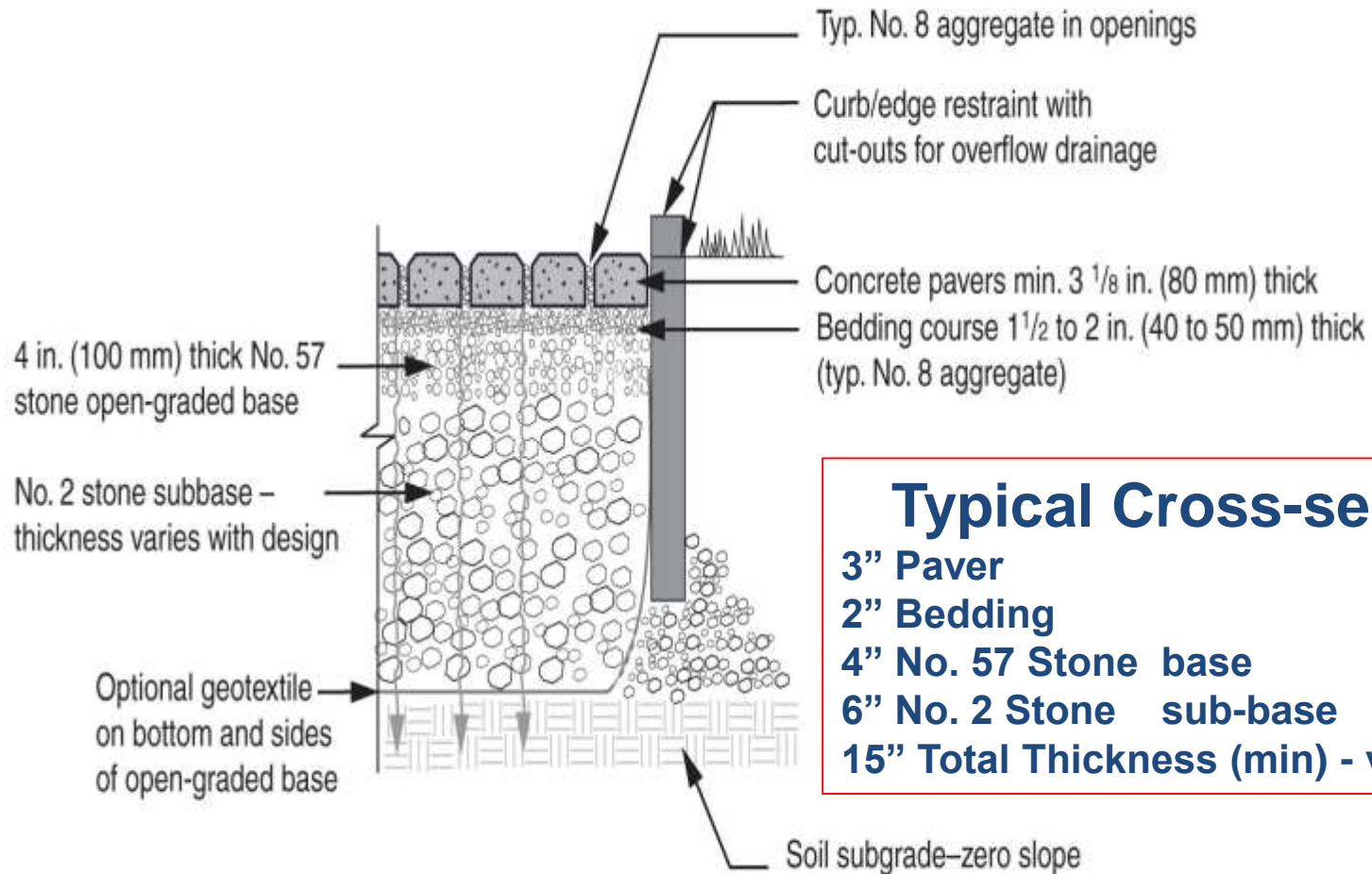




**2,000 gal/min**



# Full Infiltration



## Typical Cross-section

**3" Paver**

**2" Bedding**

**4" No. 57 Stone base**

**6" No. 2 Stone sub-base**

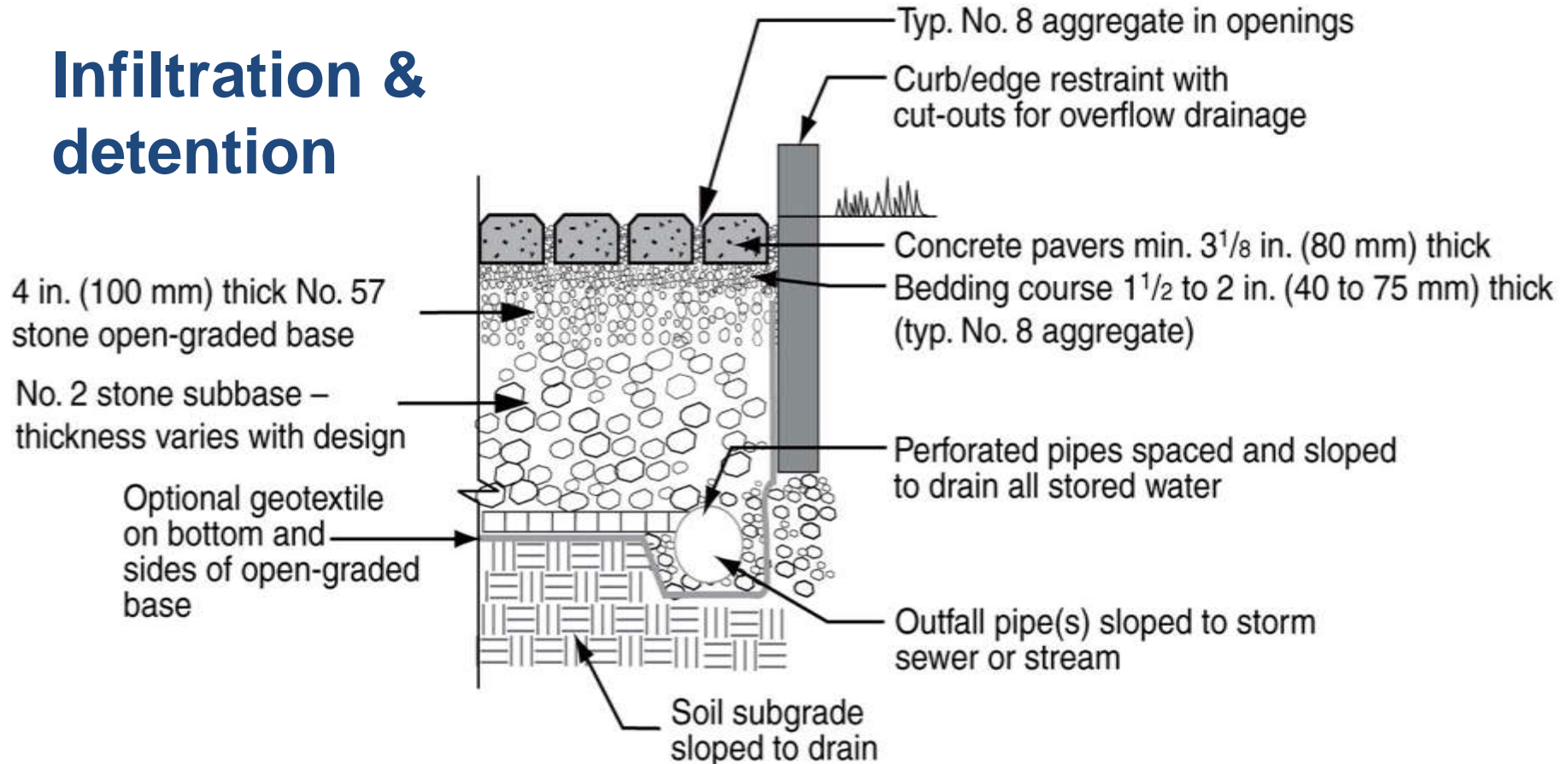
**15" Total Thickness (min) - vehicular**

**Used on Type A and B soils**  
**infiltration rate > 0.52 inches / hour**



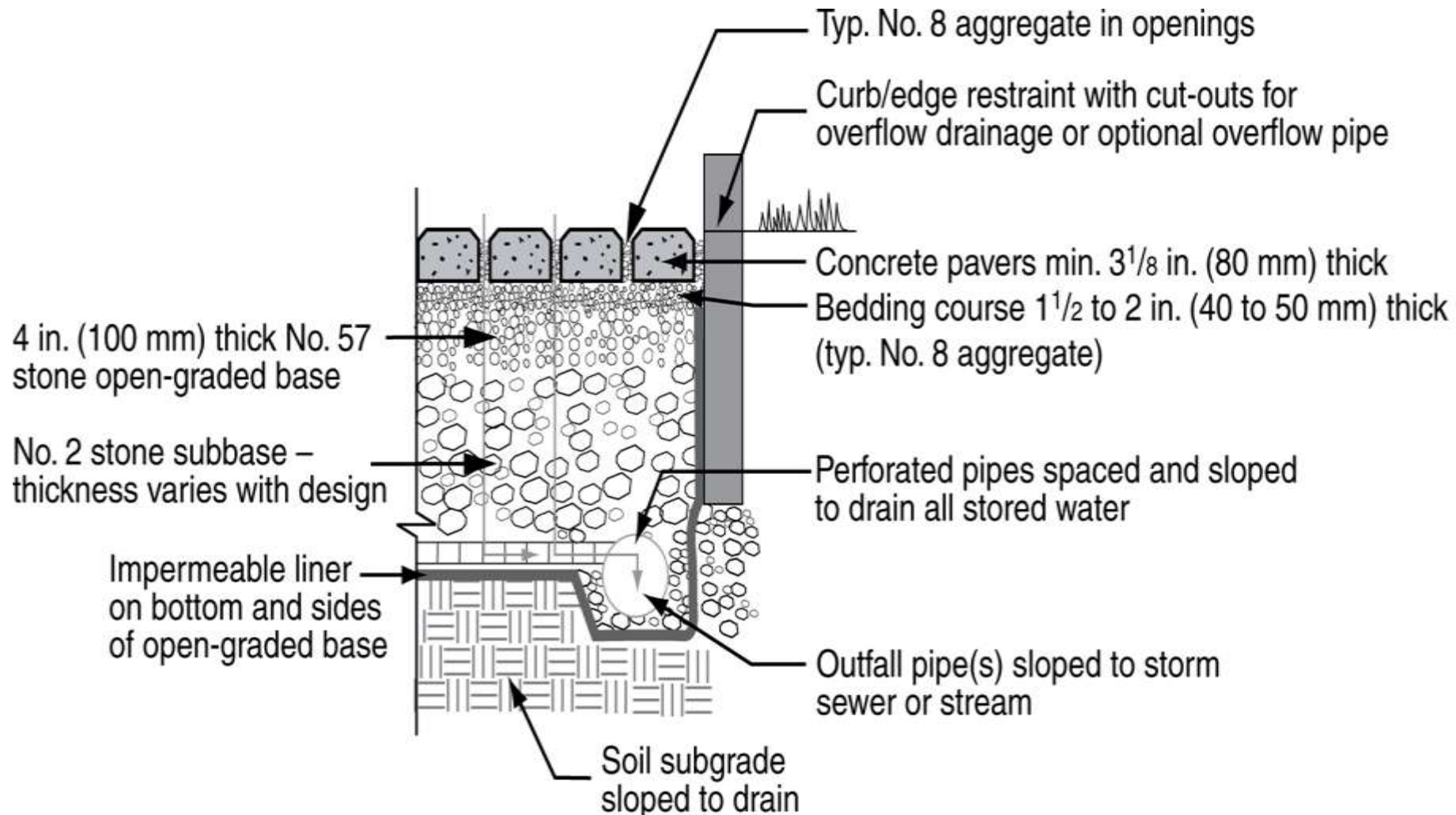
# Partial Infiltration

## Infiltration & detention



**Used on Type C and D soils**  
**Balance between infiltration rate and storage time.**

# No Infiltration







# Land Conservation Improved Land Planning





# Underground Detention - Constructability





# Evapotranspiration Reduces Thermal Pollution

## Rainfall / Water Collection Results

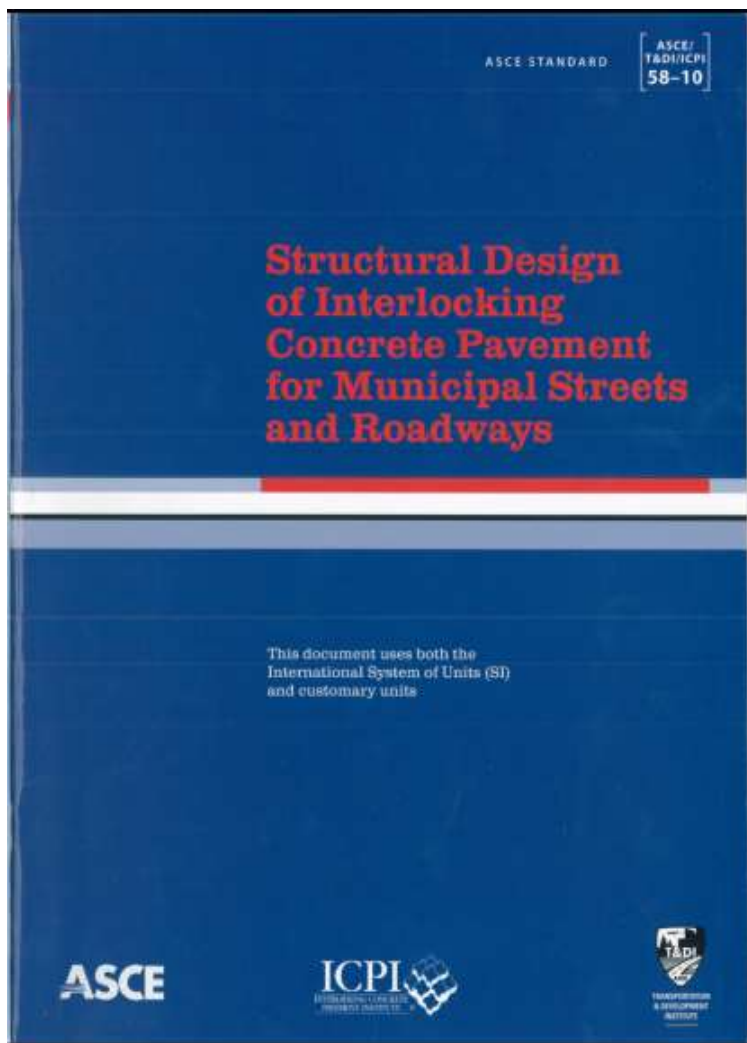
**Highest rainfall with no water collection:  
0.75 in**

**Lowest rainfall with water collection:  
1.38 in**

**Estimate (0.8in – 1.2in)**

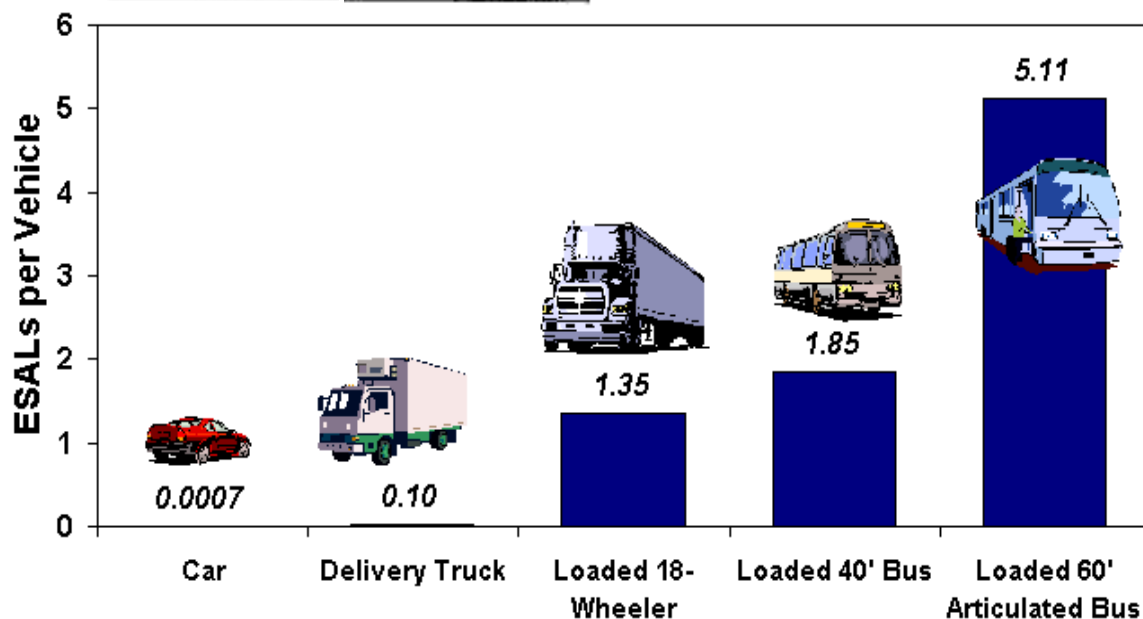


# ASCE 58-10 Structural Design for ICP



ESALs	Traffic Index
10,000	5.2
20,000	5.7
50,000	6.3
100,000	6.8
200,000	7.4
500,000	8.3
1,000,000	9.0
2,000,000	9.8
5,000,000	10.9
10,000,000	11.8

$$TI = 9.0 \times \left( \frac{ESAL}{10^6} \right)^{0.119}$$

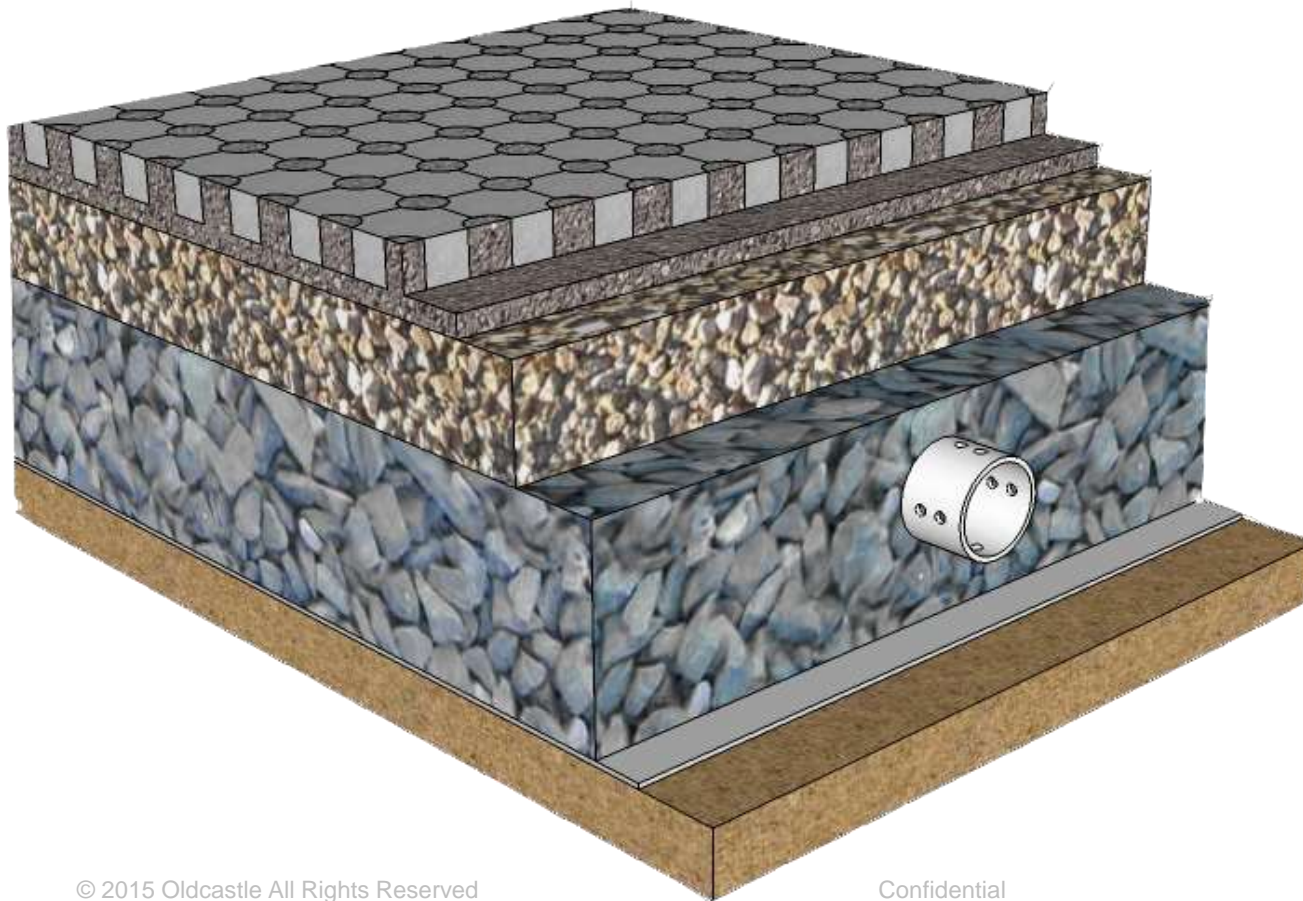


# Engineered Pavement Systems

$SN$  = structural number of the pavement, calculated as  $\sum a_i \times d_i$ , where

$a_i$  = structural layer coefficient per layer  $i$

$d_i$  = layer thickness per layer  $i$





# Proven Durability





# Proven Performance





# Port of Oakland







# Mechanical Installation Cost Efficient





# Joint Aggregate and Sediment Removal

**Investigation of Hydraulic capacity and Water  
Quality Modification of Stormwater by  
Permeable Interlocking Concrete Pavement  
(PICP) System**

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## Two main components:

1. Investigated the TSS removal efficiency of different jointing material
2. Determine the frequency of remedial maintenance based on typical sediment loadings.



# Site Demonstration



Two materials:

1. NJCAT (NJ Corp of Advanced Technology)
2. Winter Sand

Three concentrations:

1. 100 mg/l
2. 200 mg/l
3. 300 mg/l

Two scenarios

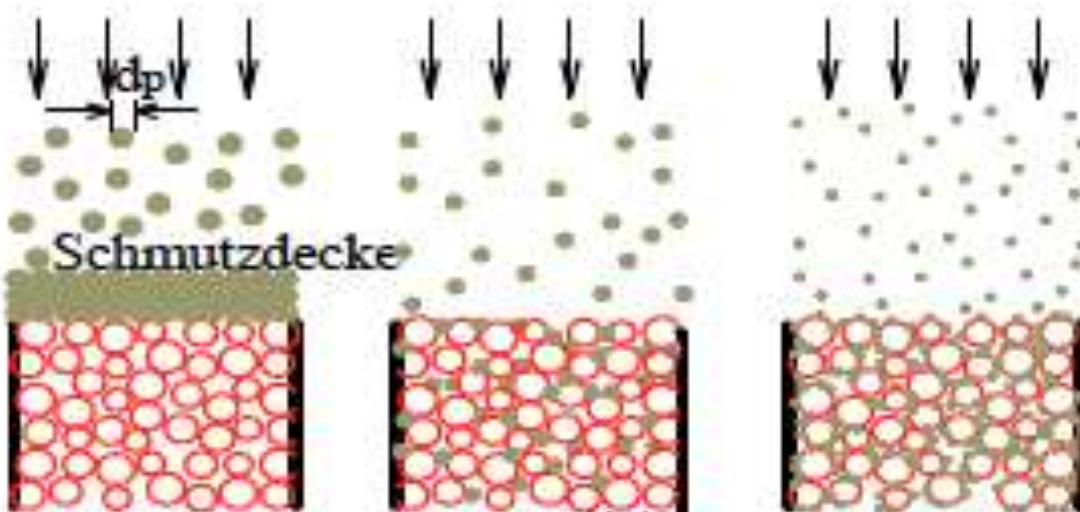
1. **20 year progressive loading**
2. **Equivalent mass loading**



# Results

## Filtration mechanism

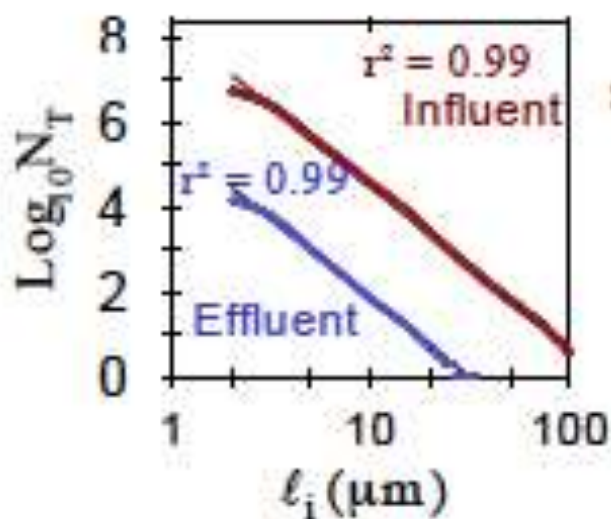
$d_m/d_p$  ratio using mass based  $d_{50}$  of media and particulates



Surficial Straining  
( $d_m/d_p < 10$ )

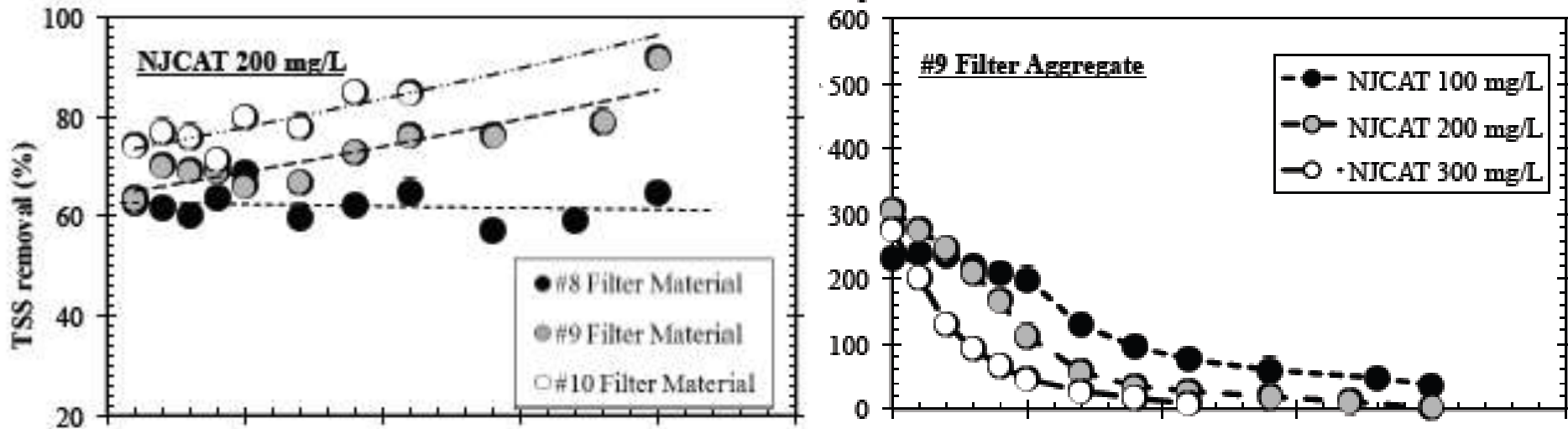
Deep-bed Filtration  
( $10 < d_m/d_p < 20$ )

Physical Chemical  
( $d_m/d_p > 20$ )



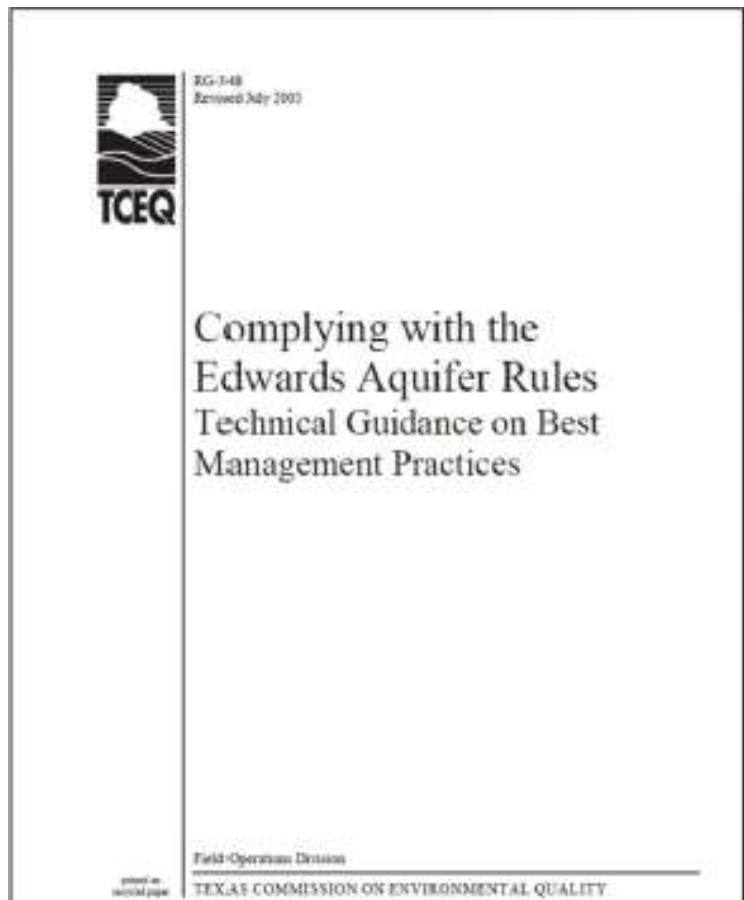
The power law function uses cumulative particle number density (PND) of all particles larger than the reference value  $R$  (i.e.  $1 \mu\text{m}$ ).





1. There is an increase in removal efficiency, and a reduction in infiltration, as more TSS materials are trapped in the jointing material.
2. Removal efficiency was 60 to 100% based on grain size.
3. Remedial maintenance required between 9-20 years.

# Water Quality Approval Process



**WDNR Study  
Costco  
Sun Prairie, WI  
Roger Bannerman  
Summer 2013**

*Section 3.2.20 – Permeable Pavers are approved by the TCEQ as an addendum to RG-348 on 12/14/12*





# Water Harvesting – Water Quality

## Old Woman Creek

- Huron, OH - NCSU



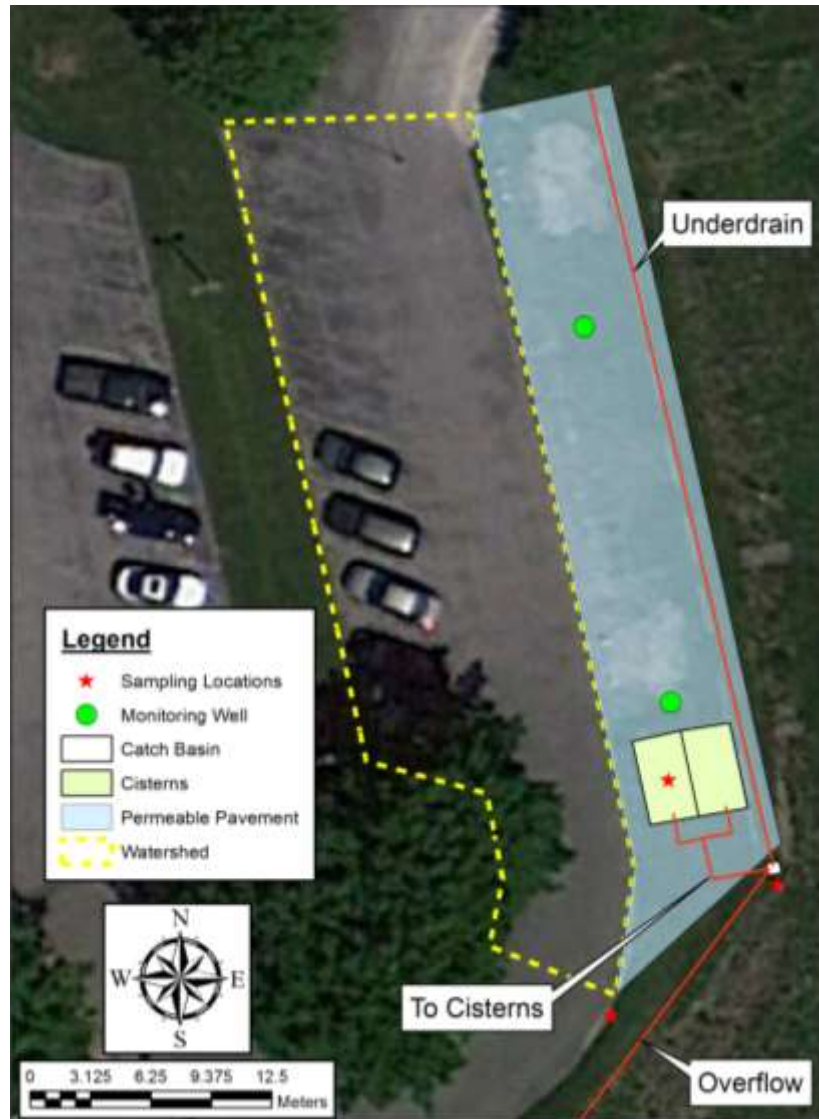
## Street Division East Office

- Madison, WI - WI DNR



<http://wi.water.usgs.gov/non-point/permpave/index.html>

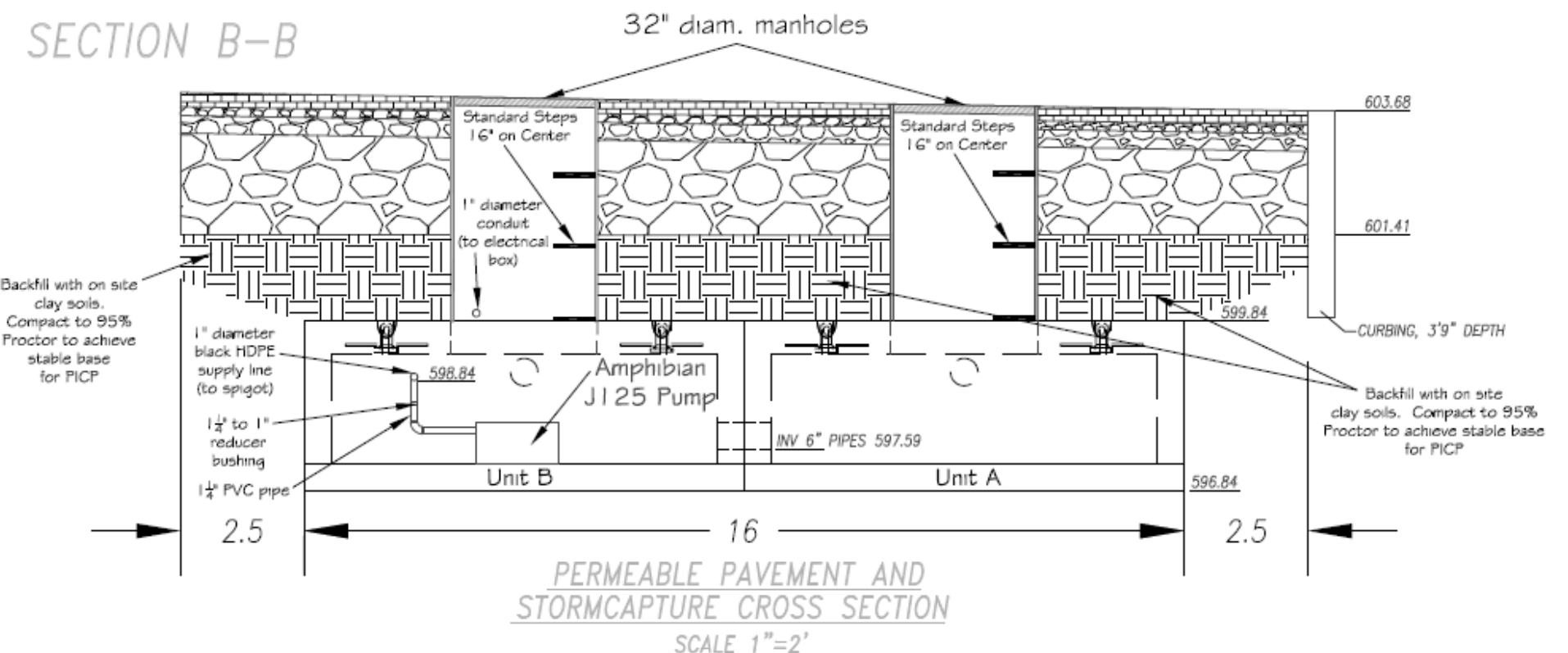
# Old Woman Creek Parking Area





# StormCapture Cross-Section

## SECTION B-B



Not to Standard Scale



# System Performance: Nutrients and Sediment

Pollutant	Location	$\bar{x}$ (mg/L)	$\tilde{x}$ (mg/L)	ER	RE <sub>median</sub>
TKN	Inlet	2.06	1.59	0.69	0.66
	Outlet	0.64	0.54		
NO <sub>2-3</sub>	Inlet	0.17	0.12	-1.42	-1.75
	Outlet	0.40	0.33		
TN	Inlet	2.23	2.05	0.53	0.58
	Outlet	1.04	0.87		
TAN	Inlet	0.05	0.04	0.37	0.19
	Outlet	0.03	0.03		
ON	Inlet	1.76	0.81	0.68	0.42
	Outlet	0.57	0.47		
OP	Inlet	0.011	0.0046	0.90	0.85
	Outlet	0.001	0.0007		
PBP	Inlet	0.38	0.35	0.87	0.85
	Outlet	0.05	0.05		
TP	Inlet	0.39	0.36	0.87	0.85
	Outlet	0.05	0.05		
TSS	Inlet	766	483	0.99	0.99
	Outlet	4	4		







## Comparison Against Past Studies: Effluent

Pollutant (mg/L)	Cistern (OWC)	Wilson et al. (2014)	DeBusk and Hunt (2014)
TAN	0.03	0.32	0.2
TKN	0.54	0.63	0.47
NO <sub>x</sub>	0.4	0.29	0.28
TN	0.87	0.92	0.78
TP	0.05	0.03	0.02
PO <sub>4</sub>	0.001	0.01	-
TSS	4	2.4	2.7

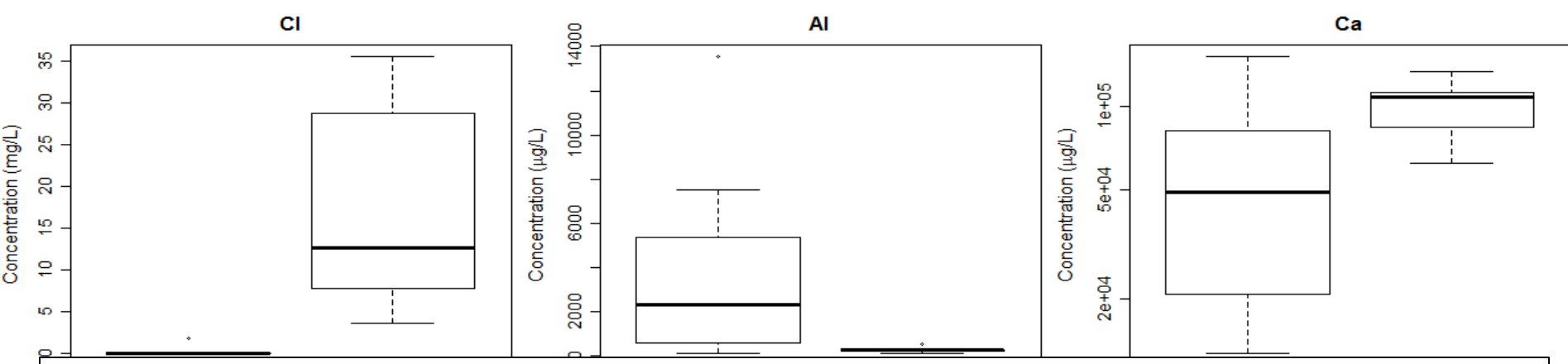
Blue shading – belowground, concrete cistern

Green shading – aboveground, plastic cistern

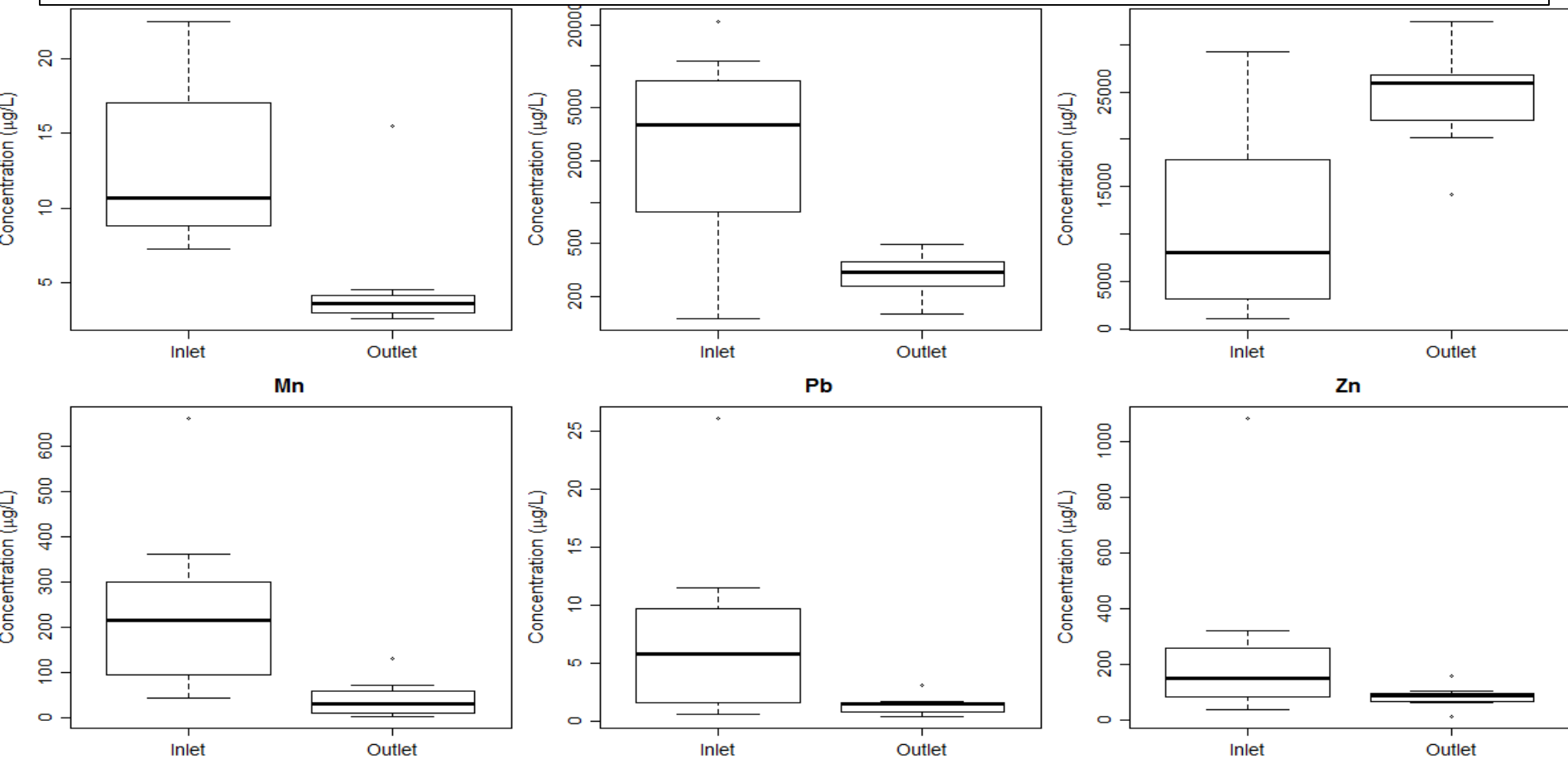


# System Performance: Metals and Chloride

Pollutant	Location	$\bar{x}$ (µg/L)	$\tilde{x}$ (µg/L)	ER	RE <sub>median</sub>	
Cl	Inlet	0.3	0	-65	N/A	
	Outlet	18	13			
Al	Inlet	3959	2308	0.94	0.90	
	Outlet	247	231			
Ca	Inlet	59811	48910	-0.66	-1.22	
	Excellent treatment of all metals except Ca and Mg. Leaching of Cl <sup>-</sup>					
Cu	Ca and Mg leaching from dolomitic limestone aggregate used beneath the PICP				0.66	
Fe					0.92	
Mg	Inlet	11534	8068	-1.11	-2.21	
	Outlet	24300	25930			
Mn	Inlet	245	217	0.82	0.86	
	Outlet	43	31			
Pb	Inlet	7.84	5.81	0.83	0.75	
	Outlet	1.37	1.48			
Zn	Inlet	278	151	0.70	0.43	
	Outlet	84	86			



- Load reduction >80% for all metals except Ca, Mg, and Cl<sup>-</sup>



- Generally excellent treatment of nutrients, sediment, and metals from treatment train
  - Filtration by PICP
  - Settling within PICP aggregate and cistern
- Only 16% volume reduction due to lack of water use – leak to native soils
- 2015 – continue monitoring
- 2016 – bring water indoors for toilet flushing & continue monitoring (pending funding)

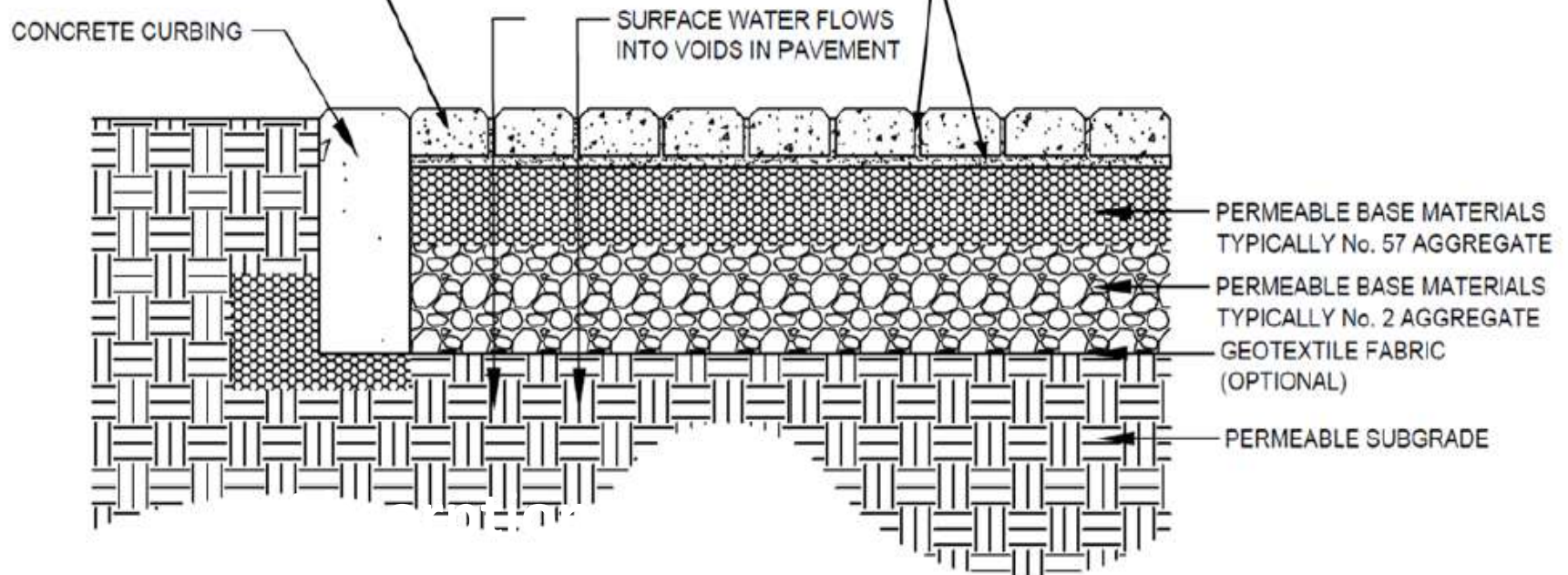


# Industrial Water Quality Treatment

PERMEABLE PAVING STONES



OSORB-COATED BEDDING AGGREGATES

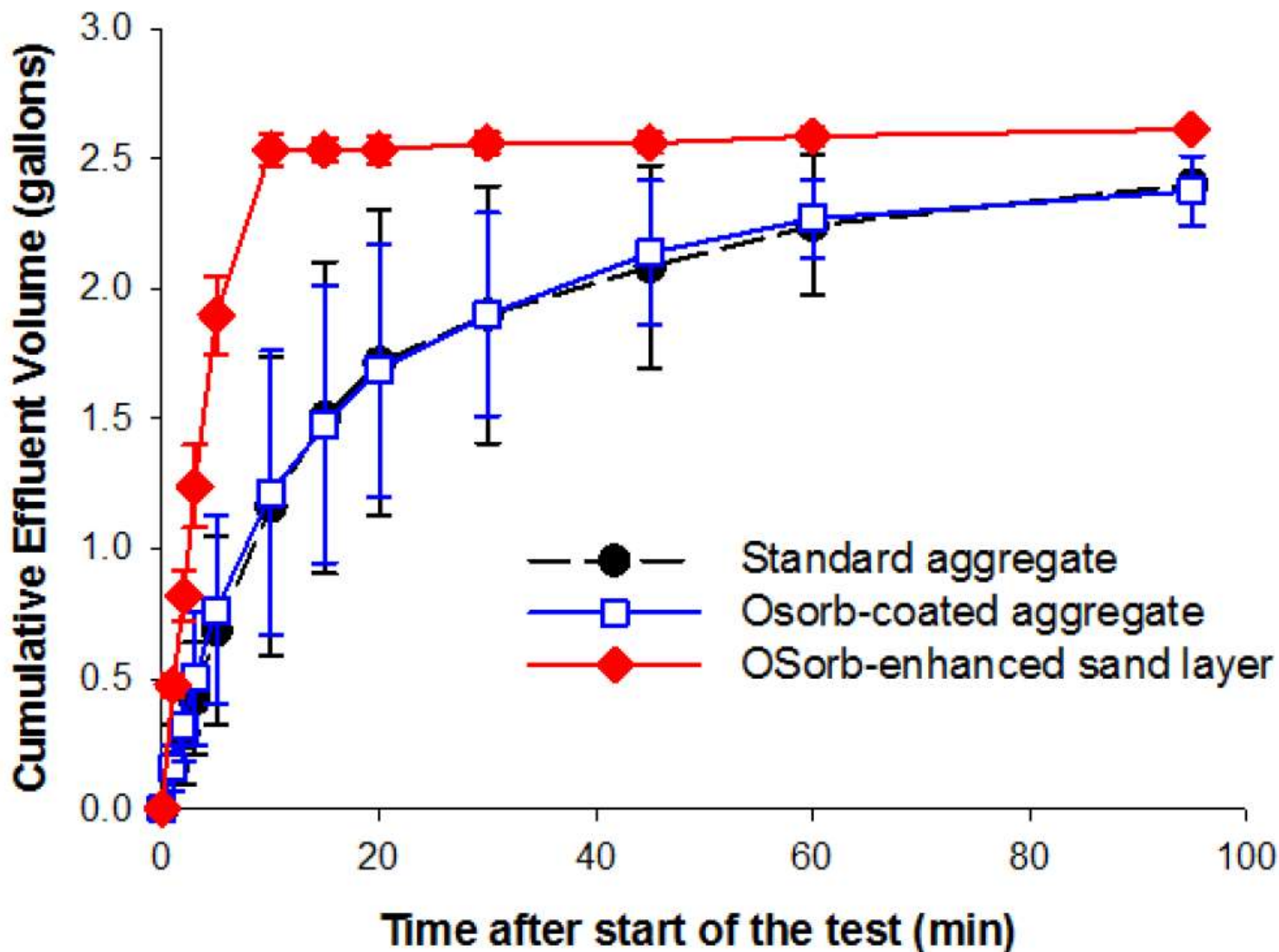


# Pollutant Loading

**Table 1.** Spiked solution pollutants and concentrations

Pollutant	Concentration (ppm)	Reagent
Copper (Cu)	2	$\text{CuSO}_4$
Lead (Pb)	1	$\text{PbCl}_2$
Zinc (Zn)	2	$\text{ZnCl}_2$
Nitrate-N ( $\text{NO}_3\text{-N}$ )	2	$\text{NaNO}_3$
Phosphate-P ( $\text{PO}_4\text{-P}$ )	1	$\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4\text{H}_2\text{O}$
Naphthalene	0.1	$\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_8$

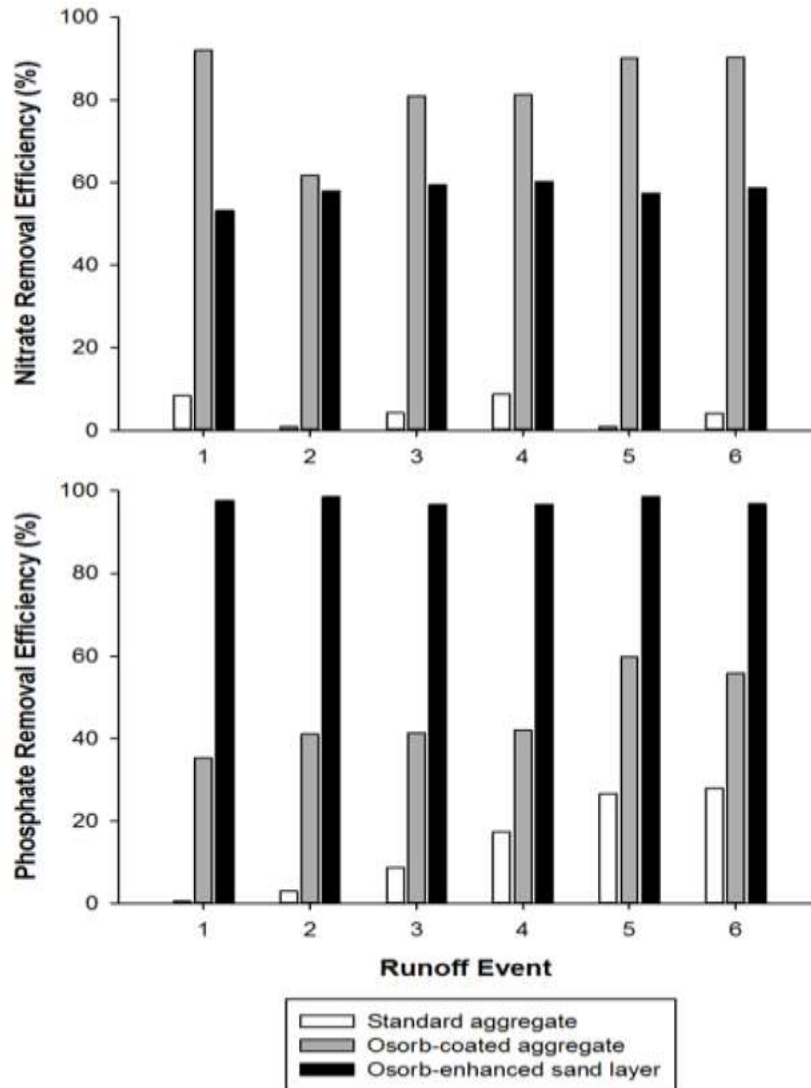
# Hydraulic Performance





# Pollutant Removal

**(A) Net Mass Removal Efficiency**



**Nutrient Treatment**  
**Metals Treatment**  
**VOC Treatment**



# PermeCapture™ Stormwater Management System



**1. Maintenance Access**

**2. Permeable Pavers**

**3. Drainage Aggregate**

**4. Permeable Base**

**5. HydraPorts™**

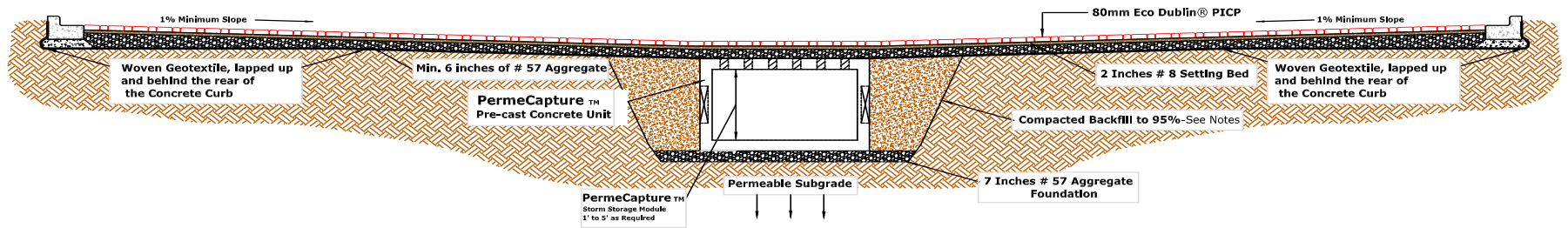
**6. Storm Capture Modules**

**7. Subgrade Soils**

Patent Pending



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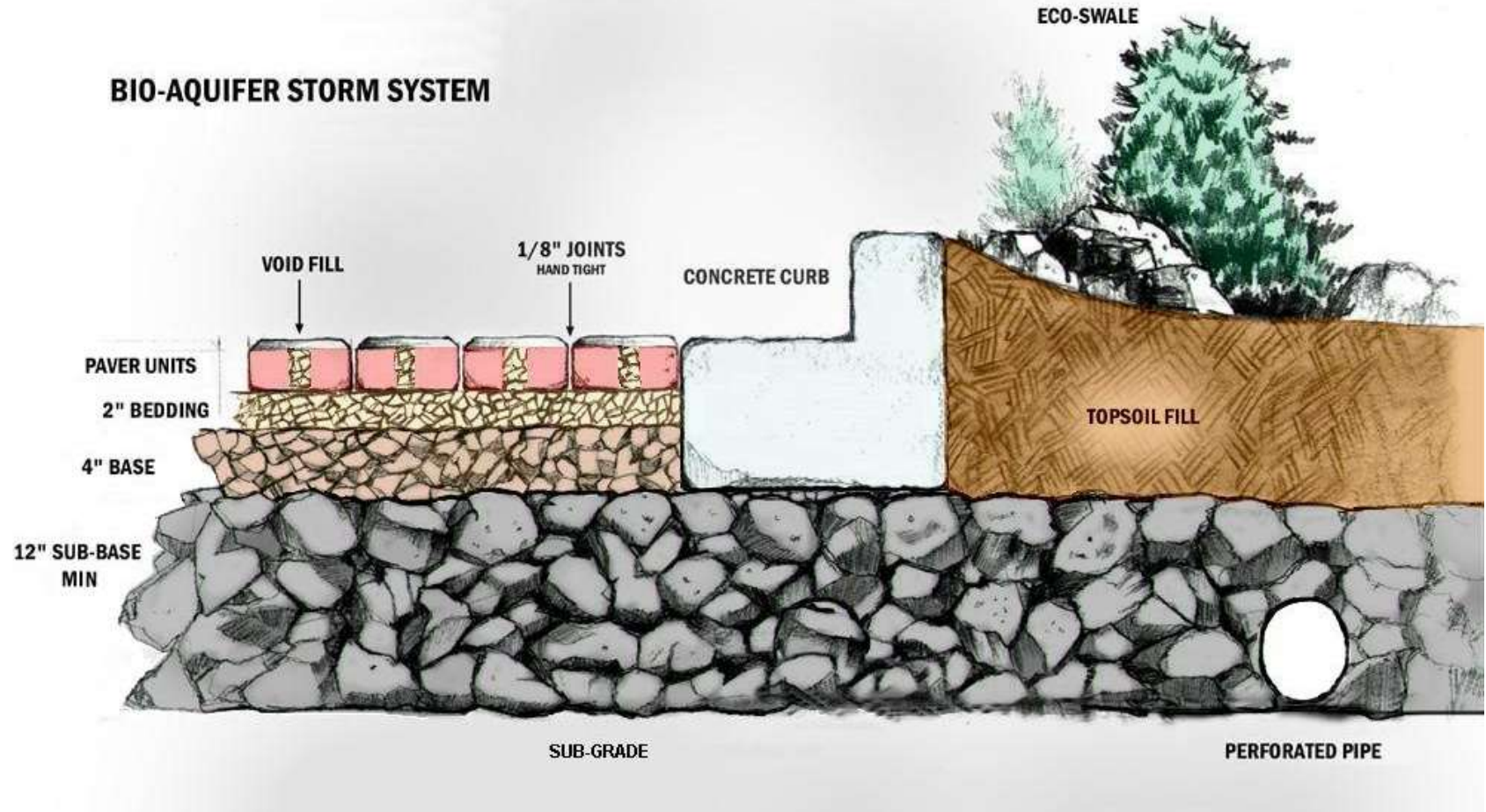
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PermeCapture™ Pre-cast Storm  
Storage Module w/ 80mm Eco Dublin® PICP  
Pavement Surface Cross Section Detail

This cross section drawing is intended for preliminary design purposes only. The actual structural design and site evaluation shall be performed by a qualified Professional Engineer. Oldcastle accepts no liability for the improper use of this detail.



# Stormwater Management





# Remedial Maintenance



**Estimated 15-20 year cycles**



**Vacuum Type Sweeper**

# Schmutzedecke



**Morton Arboretum Workshop  
Dr. Wm. Hunt-NCSU 2009**



**Sediment travel limited to 1"-1 1/2"**





# Sedimentation Travel

## Forensic Documentation



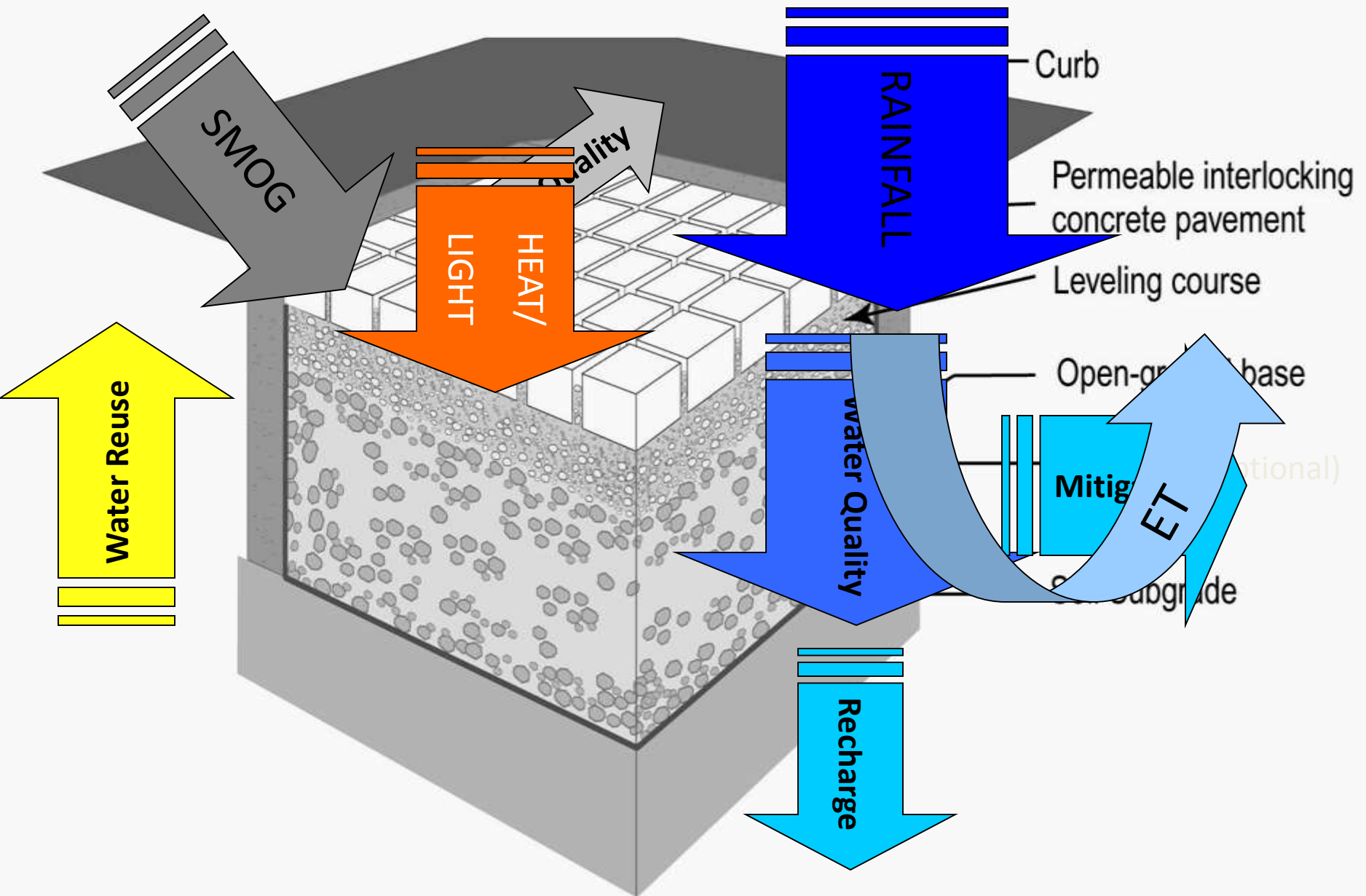
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**Seven Years**

# BEST Multi-Tasking Eco-Machine





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This concludes The American Institute of  
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