

# WHAT'S BENEATH YOUR FEET

Capitol Region Watershed District and its partners built a clean water project beneath Parkview Center School's favorite sledding hill. It's busy at work on rainy days collecting and filtering polluted rainwater from the school and surrounding neighborhood, and delivering cleaner water to Lake McCarrons.


**1** Rainwater collects dirt, leaves, oil, and trash as it flows from our streets into storm drains

**2** Polluted rainwater flows into sewer pipes

**3** Underground pipes collect rainwater

**4** Water flows into a vault filled with filters that remove pollutants

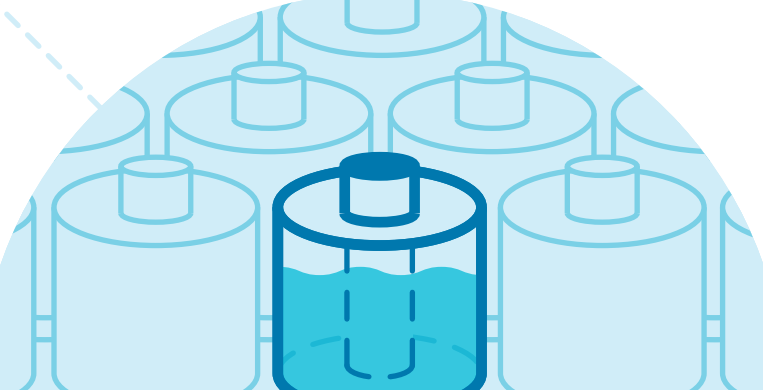
**5** Cleaner water flows to lake McCarrons



**46 acre**  
project drainage area



**10 foot**  
diameter pipes collect rainwater



**53 filters**  
clean 12.5 million gallons of water per year

Without projects like this, polluted rainwater would flow untreated from streets into our nearby streams, lakes and rivers.

Help protect Lake McCarrons by removing trash, picking up after your pet, and keeping leaves out of storm drains.



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