Haselwood YMCA Parking Lot
Cleans Runoff and Protects Puget Sound

Clean Stormwater = Healthy Waterways
The Haselwood YMCA parking lot is a demonstration of “green stormwater infrastructure.” By treating stormwater naturally, these features help improve the health of Dyes Inlet and Puget Sound. Rain that falls on the parking lot and paved paths is piped to the nine rain gardens distributed throughout the property. The soil and plants in these rain gardens remove commonly found pollutants, such as metals and oils from our cars.

Green Stormwater Infrastructure at the Y

- **Permeable Paving**
  - Pervious Concrete
  - Permeable Interlocking Pavers

  This parking lot has pervious concrete and permeable interlocking paver paths, which allow water to flow through into a gravel storage area underneath. Some water quality treatment occurs in the gravel, and then the water flows into the rain gardens.

- **Rain Gardens**

  The nine rain gardens on-site collect water from the gravel storage areas under the permeable pavement and from the conventional asphalt’s surface runoff. These gardens soak up and filter the runoff.

At your workplace or home, there are opportunities to soak up runoff, including:
- rain gardens,
- permeable interlocking pavers,
- rain barrels and cisterns,
- planting trees,
- adding compost to build soils.

For more information, visit www.kitsapgov.com/sswm or call: (360) 337-5777

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