

City of Falls Church RESIDENTIAL SWPPP APPLICATION FORM (Form SW2)

Applicant Name:

Date:

Email:

Phone #:

Property Information:

Owner:

Street:

City, State, ZIP Code:

Mailing Address (If different from property address):

Street:

City, State, ZIP Code:

<i>Watershed Stewardship</i>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Hours</u>
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(1 hour = 1 point)

Total Points:

Total Hours:

<i>Rain Barrels</i> - include a picture of new barrels installed this year	<u>Year Installed</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u># Installed</u>
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(1 rain barrel = 2 points)

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Total Points:

Total Barrels:

<i>Rain Garden</i>	<u>Area</u>	<u>City Approval Date</u>
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(5 points for ≥ 50 SF,

10 points for ≥ 100 SF)

Total Points:

Total Area:

<i>Tree Planting</i>	<u># of Trees</u>	<u>City Approval Date</u>
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(1 tree = 2 points)

Total Points:

Total Trees:

<i>Conservation Landscaping</i>	<u>Area</u>	<u>City Approval Date</u>
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(Each 100 SF = 3 points)

Total Points:

Total Area:

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Downspout Disconnection Year Disconnected City Approval Date
(1 disconnection = 1 points;
No credit for disconnection
> 5 years)
Total Points:

Permeable Pavers Area City Approval Date
(5 points for ≥ 250 SF,
10 points for ≥ 500 SF)
Total Points:
Total Area:

No Fertilizer Pledge I pledge that I will not apply commercial fertilizer on my property
(Yes = 1 point) during the credit year.
Total Points:

Green Streetscape City Approval Date
Total Points (Provided by City):

Total Residential SWPPP Points: _____ (minimum of 10 points needed)

Please Initial

_____ I certify that the above information, to the best of my knowledge and belief, is true, accurate and complete.

_____ I certify that practices installed on my property for which I am taking credit are functioning as intended and are being maintained in accordance with guidance provided by the City.

_____ I certify that I have received proper authorization from my homeowners or condominium association for the practices installed, if applicable.

_____ I agree that City staff may have access to my site for the sole purpose of verifying these practices. Should City staff find a deficiency, I also understand that I must correct the deficiency in the time frame provided by the City and that if corrective action is not taken in a timely manner, that I will no longer be able to take credit for the practice.

Signature _____ Date _____

Official Use Only:

Comments:

Reviewer: _____ Approval Date: _____

Individual Residential SWPPP Credit Toolbox

A property owner achieving 10 points or more will receive the SWPPP credit of 10% off the annual storm-water fee. The following table presents practices and requirements for obtaining points toward the individual residential SWPPP credit. Refer to *Important Resources* for cited technical manuals and specifications. All credits, except where noted, are ongoing provided that the property owner maintains the practice and submits an annual Residential SWPPP Application Form.

Practice	Description	Points	Requirements
Watershed Stewardship	Participate in a City-sanctioned volunteer event, including but not limited to stream clean-ups, storm drain stenciling projects, adopt-a-highway, and tree planting. Refer to the City’s webpage for a list of sanctioned events.	1 point per hour volunteered. Multiple members of a household may participate and accumulate points.	Indicate hours worked on Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Rain Barrels	Install a rain barrel with a capacity of at least 50 gallons to capture stormwater from a downspout. Construction and installation guidance provided on the Northern Virginia Soil and Water Conservation District web page.	2 points for each rain barrel that captures stormwater from a separate downspout.	Verify size and number of barrels on the Residential SWPPP Application Form. Include picture(s) with the initial application. Verify continued maintenance using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Rain Garden	Install a rain garden that meets the requirements of the Virginia Department of Forestry Rain Gardens Technical Guide or the Northern Virginia Soil and Water Conservation District Rain Garden Design and Construction Guide.	5 points for a rain garden covering 50 square feet or more. 10 points for a rain garden covering 100 square feet or more.	Verify continued maintenance using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Tree Planting	Plant a tree through the City’s Neighborhood Tree Program or privately plant a tree with approval from the City Arborist.	2 points per tree	The City Arborist must review and approve the type of tree and placement prior to planting. Verify continued maintenance using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.

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Conservation Landscaping	Convert turf grass to conservation landscaping in accordance with requirements of the Homeowner Guide for a More Bay-Friendly Property published by the Chesapeake Stormwater Network.	3 points for every 100 square feet of conservation landscaping that replaces turf.	City staff must be contacted to approve the design and inspect the final result. Verify continued maintenance using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Downspout Disconnection	Disconnect downspouts that currently drain to a public street or other impervious area. The downspout must be redirected to a pervious area that will not cause erosion or flooding problems.	1 point per disconnected downspout. Credit available for 5 years after disconnection.	City staff must be contacted to approve the disconnection and ensure that it will not cause erosion or flooding. Verify continued disconnection using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Permeable Pavers and Porous Pavement	Replace traditional driveway, patio, or other impervious areas with permeable pavers or porous pavement in accordance with state standards .	5 points for 250 square feet or greater; 10 points for 500 square feet or greater.	City staff must be contacted to approve the design and inspect the final result. Verify continued maintenance using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
No Fertilizer Pledge	Sign a pledge to not apply fertilizer to your lawn or landscaped areas.	1 point	Sign statement using the Residential SWPPP Application Form.
Green Streetscape	Allow the City to install stormwater management techniques as part of the streetscape in front of your home.	Number of points at the discretion of the DPW Director.	Requirements at the discretion of the DPW Director.