

Flood-Resilient Infrastructure

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Introduction

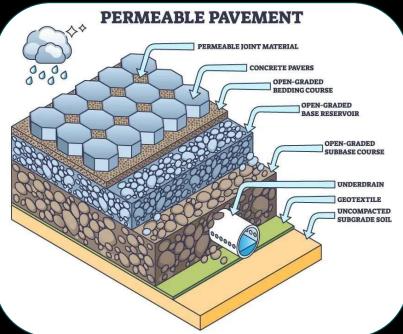
- •Flooding is a major global concern due to climate change and urbanization.
- •Resilient infrastructure helps cities adapt to frequent and severe floods.
- •Combining engineering solutions with nature-based approaches can minimize flood damage.



Permeable Pavements

- → Allows rainwater to percolate into the ground
- → Reduces surface runoff and prevents floods
- → Replenishes groundwater supply
- → Used in roads, parking lots, and sidewalks





Green Roofs

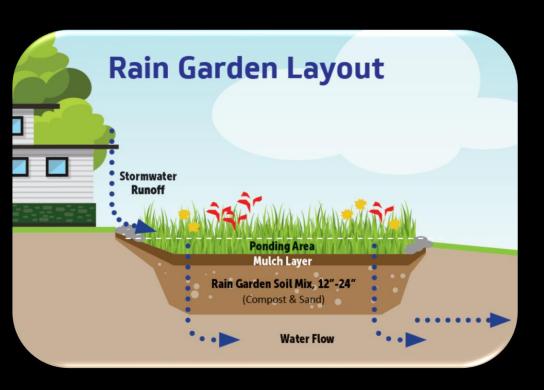
- → Vegetation on roofs absorbs rainwater
- → Reduces runoff and provides insulation
- → Improves air quality and reduces heat islands





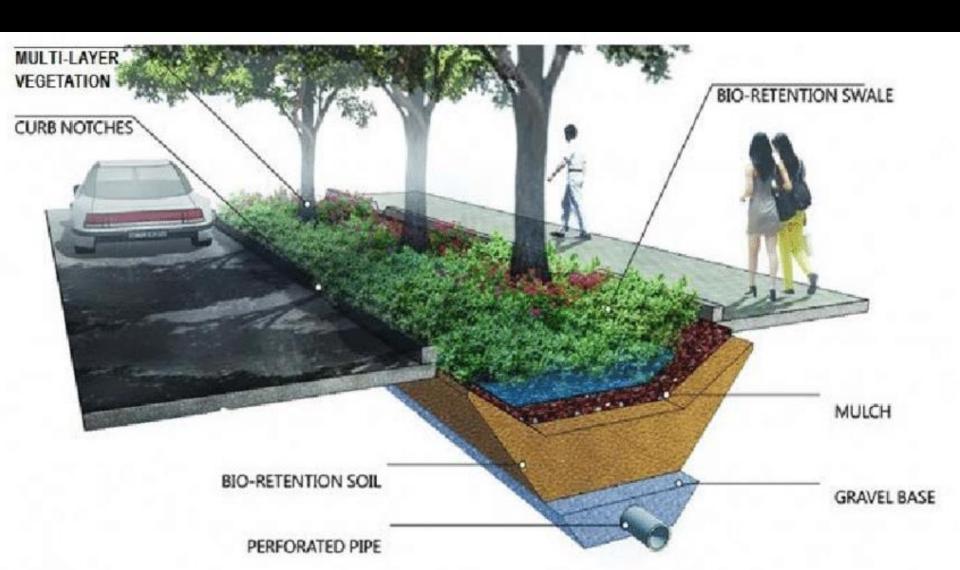
Bioswales and Rain Gardens

- → Vegetated channels or landscaped depressions
- → Captures and filters stormwater runoff
- → Slows water flow and reduces pressure on drainage systems



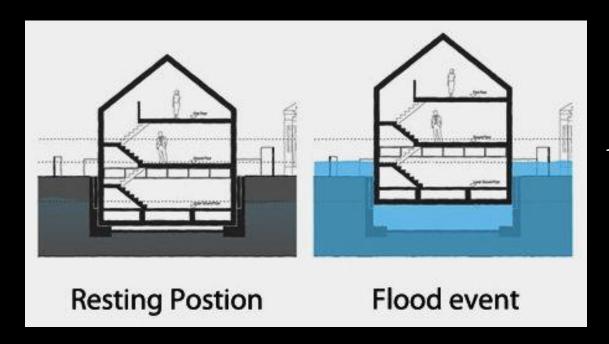


Bioswales



Flood-Proof Buildings

- → Buildings designed to withstand floods
- → Elevated structures or flood-resistant materials
- → Protects against flood damage



 $Amphibious\, Architecture$

High Rise Building



Smart Drainage Systems

- → Incorporates sensors and real-time data
- → Manages stormwater flow during heavy rains
- → Reduces risk of urban flooding

- •Real-time Monitoring: Sensors placed in drainage systems monitor water levels, rainfall intensity, and flow rates. This allows city authorities to track conditions in real-time and identify areas at risk of flooding.
- •Automated Control Systems: Smart systems can automatically open or close gates and valves in response to water levels, ensuring optimal flow and preventing water from backing up during heavy rainfall.
- •Improved Maintenance: With sensors detecting blockages or damage, smart drainage systems alert maintenance crews immediately. Quick intervention helps prevent flooding caused by clogged drains.
- •Dynamic Storage Management: Some systems use underground storage tanks or reservoirs that can be managed dynamically. During heavy rains, excess water is temporarily stored and gradually released to prevent overwhelming the drainage network.

Floodable Parks and Public Spaces

- → Parks or spaces that temporarily hold water
- → Acts as reservoirs during heavy rainfall
- → Gradually releases water to prevent flooding

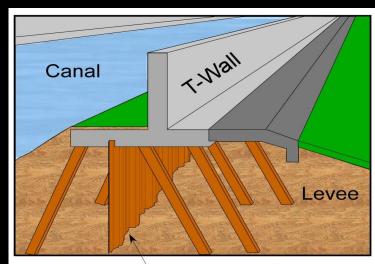
Floodable Park



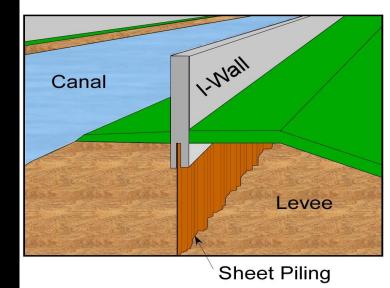
Levee and Flood Wall Systems

- → Engineered embankments or walls along rivers
- → Protects areas from flooding
- → Automated floodgates for controlling water flow



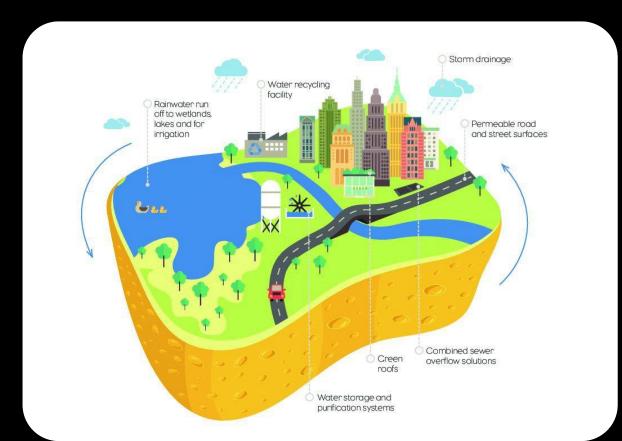


Sheet Piling



Sponge Cities

- → Urban design approach using natural water storage
- → Incorporates wetlands, green infrastructure, permeable surfaces
- → Absorbs excess water and prevents urban flooding



River and Coastal Flood Barriers

- → Movable or fixed barriers in coastal or river regions
- → Protects cities from tidal surges and river overflow
- → Strategically placed for flood defense





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