

## 83a – 2022 Public Education and Outreach General Awareness Report

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### 83a – Stewardship Opportunities

<b>Program</b>	<b>Stewardship Opportunity</b>	<b>Impact</b>
Adopt a Drain	Removing trash and debris from adopted drains	Prevents pollutants entering stormwater system and reduces flooding
Master Composters	Tabling at events to provide information on yard chemical reduction, best waste management practices, and compost use	Engages residents in natural yard care practices that reduce pollutants and runoff
Pet waste	Refilling mutt mitt dispensers to provide free baggies for picking up pet waste	Prevents pollutants from entering stormwater system
RainWise	Installing rain gardens on private property	Reduces stormwater volume
Salmon Stewards	Docent opportunities to engage the public in conversations around water quality in conjunction with returning salmon runs	Engages residents in behavior changes to keep water clean
Storm drain stenciling	Stenciling neighborhood drains with awareness messages	Raises visibility of storm drain system and prevents pollution discharging and dumping in storm drains
Trees for Seattle	Tree planting and stewardship	Grows and maintains healthy urban forest to reduce stormwater runoff and trap pollutants