

Sustainable Rainwater Management: What Does It Look Like?

Integrating the Site
with the Watershed
and the Stream



The 'Cowichan Valley Regional Team'
presents:

Rainwater Management
in the Cowichan Valley

Rainwater Management in
Central Saanich

Rainwater Management in a
Watershed Sustainability Context

An Introduction to the
Rebuilt Water Balance Model

Collaboration via the **'Inter-Regional Education Initiative'** will result in alignment and a consistent approach to **'Rainwater Management in a Watershed Sustainability Context'**. This will help everyone to go farther, more efficiently and effectively.

Georgia Basin Initiatives:

- 1** Comox Valley: *An Integrated Watershed Approach to Settlement*
- 2** Nanaimo Region: *Drinking Water & Watershed Protection Plan*
- 3** Cowichan Valley: *Cowichan Basin Water Management Plan*
- 4** Capital Region: *Integrated Watershed Management Implementation*
- 5** Metro Vancouver: *Integrated Liquid Waste & Resource Management Plan*



In the first half of 2012, program elements for the Inter-Regional Education Initiative comprise:

Cowichan Valley hosted the Water Balance Model Partners Forum this morning

Comox Valley's 2012 Learning Lunch Series starts tomorrow

THEN:

Nanaimo Region will host a Water Balance Model Training Workshop

Capital Region will host the 2nd in the “Course on the ISMP Course Correction Series”

In summary, the benefits of the Inter-Regional Education Initiative are:

- Aligns with regional plans, priorities and workloads.
- Builds on the experience of local government leaders.
- Provides access to tools and lessons learned.
- Creates opportunities for everyone to be more effective in moving forward with “integrated rainwater management”