FEMA Mitigation Funding Opportunities

What is Hazard Mitigation?

Mitigation Is an Investment

Mitigation is an investment in your communities future safety and sustainability.

An independent study completed in 2010 found that for every $1.00 spent on mitigation $4.00-$7.00 were saved during the disaster.

Disaster Resilience

"Instead of repeated damage and continual demands for federal disaster assistance, resilient communities proactively protect themselves against hazards, build self-sufficiency, and become more sustainable."

Godschalk et al. 2009

Mitigation Grant Programs

The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)	The Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM)	The Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)
Funding becomes available after a federal declaration. Cost share: 75% Federal /25% local/tribal	Allocated by congress annually, a nationally competitive program. Cost share: 75% Federal/ 25% local/tribal	Allocated by congress annually, nationally competitive, funding must to goes to those who have national flood insurance. Cost share for this grant varies.

All FEMA grant require a Benefit Cost Analysis to be completed and submitted with the application.

Climate Resilient Mitigation Activities

Before

After

FEMA funded Stream bank restoration project, Fleshman Creek Livingston

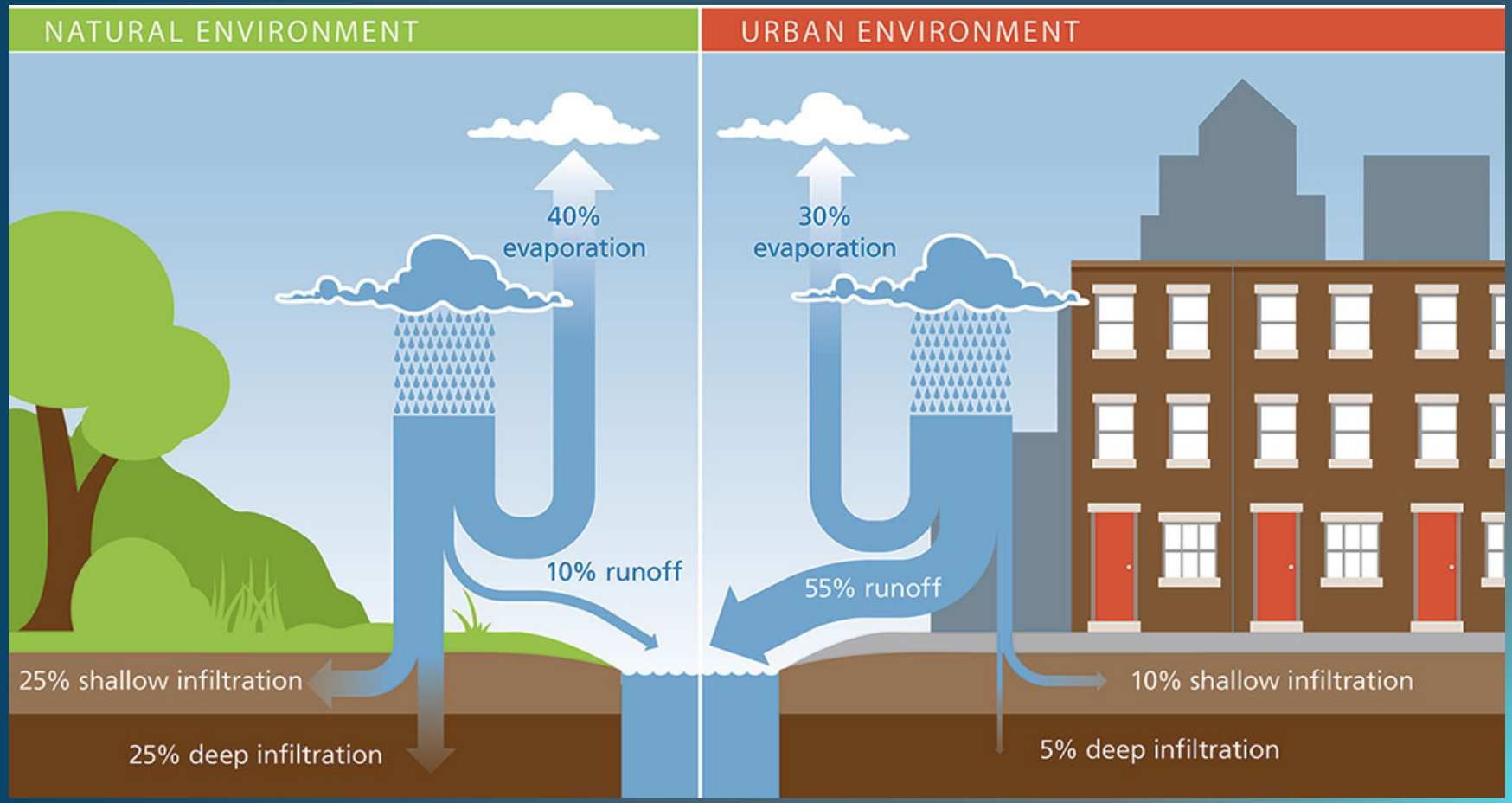
PDM grant 2009 $2.8 Federal Share

Floodplain / Stream Bank Restoration

- Restoration of the original function of floodplains and associated wetlands of flood-prone river and stream systems to pre-development conditions

Green Infrastructure

Focus is on re-establishing a site's pre-development natural hydrology and reducing damage to life and property



Examples of Green Infrastructure Projects

Localized flood risk reduction

- applies to site(s) and/or corridor(s)

Non-localized flood risk reduction

- applies to basin(s), watershed(s), and or region(s)

Soil Stabilization

- applies to all areas at risk of erosion and/or scour

Open Funding Opportunities

Pre Disaster Mitigation Grant 2017	Flood Mitigation Assistance Grant 2017
• $90 Million to compete for nationally	• $170 Million to compete for nationally
• Notice of Intent submitted to MT DES by August 1,2017	• Notice of Intent submitted to MT DES by August 1,2017
• Applications submitted to MT DES by October 24, 2017	• Applications submitted to MT DES by October 24, 2017

Questions?

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