

Name	Date Submitted	Comment	Response
Renee	2/7/2023	In the event that there's questions about flushing medication: https://www.aap.org/en/patient-care/substance-use-and-prevention/poster-on-safe-storage-and-disposal-of-medications/	Noted
Yvonne Johnson	2/7/2023	I like the proactive approach to monitoring and working with others to maintain a healthy stormwater management program. Thank you.	Noted
Mary C Rumpsa	2/8/2023	I am mostly interested in the disinfectant used in our tap water as it's a very strong chlorine odor. I'm going to purchase a filter for my tap water but need to know if you are using chlorine or chloramine or other. Filters only remove chlorine. Thank you.	DuPage County Stormwater Management does not supply drinking water. Please contact your local public works department for information on drinking water. You may refer to your water bill for their contact information.
Margaret Brouwer	2/8/2023	Our yard floods terribly as there is no storm drain on that end of the subdivision. All 3 neighbors around me are also flooded. It causes erosion and has caused flooding in our basement and garage. Is there anything that can be done please?	This comment does not pertain to the Water Quality Program. Your comment has been forwarded to the DuPage County Drainage Division.
Weldon Johnson	2/9/2023	No comment provided	
Bonnie Gahriss	2/9/2023	Can you tell me if our water is tested for PFAS?	Stormwater and surface water is not currently tested for PFAS.
Sue Sekiguchi	2/10/2023	Salt Creek runs through Springbrook Nature Center, in Itasca. When storm water is released at once, the water level of the creek rises very high and flows at a rapid speed. This floods the areas and has also eroded the sides of the creek. Because the soil is being washed away, the roots of the trees are exposed & trees have died. The walkways are right along the creeks & will become dangerous	Noted
Lisa Barounis	2/11/2023	I live in a neighborhood in Warrenville where we have swales instead of sidewalks in front of the homes and I would like to see residents encouraged to plant native plants in the swales to slow and absorb runoff. Many residents don't know if it's legal or not because it is technically an easement. This will clean the water and remove nitrogen and phosphorous from the runoff.	Noted
Jennifer Ruth	2/12/2023	I am very concerned about the toxins in the Wheaton water supply. According to the EWG website (https://www.ewg.org/tapwater/system.php?pws=IL0431050), Wheaton has 10 different cancer-causing toxins well above the safe level. I personally have had cancer twice since moving to Wheaton. I have copied and pasted below the information on these toxins. We must make our water safe! Please treat this matter with great urgency! Thank you, Jennifer Ruth - 510 Lyon Ave. Wheaton, IL 60187 Bromodichloromethane Potential Effect: cancer 166x EWG'S HEALTH GUIDELINE THIS UTILITY 9.95 ppb EWG HEALTH GUIDELINE 0.06 ppb NO LEGAL LIMIT DETAILS Chloroform Effect: cancer 46x EWG'S HEALTH GUIDELINE THIS UTILITY 18.6 ppb EWG HEALTH GUIDELINE 0.4 ppb NO LEGAL LIMIT DETAILS Chromium (hexavalent) Potential Effect: cancer 10x EWG'S HEALTH GUIDELINE THIS UTILITY 0.201 ppb EWG HEALTH GUIDELINE 0.02 ppb NO LEGAL LIMIT DETAILS Dibromoacetic acid	DuPage County Stormwater Management works to minimize pollutants and collaborates to conduct monitoring of our rivers and streams. The Stormwater Management Department does not distribute drinking water. In most areas of DuPage County, drinking water is supplied by municipalities from Lake Michigan or from private groundwater wells. As you are located in the City of Wheaton, the city would likely be the supplier of your drinking water. You can verify this by checking your water bill. We recommend contacting the City of Wheaton Public Works Department for information on drinking water.

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James Ongtengco	2/13/2023	<p>To whom it may concern, We received your notice of a public hearing pertaining to your Water Quality Program under your Storm Water Management Department. Everything we have reviewed is quite impressive and environmentally friendly. Unfortunately, all the progress in consolidating and strengthening these systems has still missed us at Fenton High School. We just completed two unsuccessful public referendums to improve our school and campus. One major component was to address the storm water, which flows off nearby residential streets and Illinois Route 83- both of which were built at higher elevations after our school was constructed. This continues to be an issue that disrupts our outdoor activities and intrudes upon our classrooms. We do wish for our public rivers and streams to be free from pollutants, but at the moment Fenton High School is the filter for accumulated roadway discharge. Our preference is for an expansion of your system to include the storm water and pollutants our school, students, and staff are taking on.</p>	<p>This comment does not pertain to the Water Quality Program. Your input has been shared with the Village of Bensenville.</p>
Mary Ann Holley	2/14/2023	<p>Not sure if this is part of your study, but I was wondering why there are you curbs on Webster Avenue near North Path? My basement floods when there is excessive rain and I would believe curbs would help direct the water.</p>	<p>This comment does not pertain to the Water Quality Program. Webster Avenue and North Path are under the jurisdiction of the City of Wheaton.</p>
Rex Irby	2/17/2023	<p>You mist provide a pie chart for each water way, i.e Salt Creek that is simple and show the pollutants levels by source ie, WWTP, water runoff, residential, commercial, and roadways that people can understand. Until people understand that True green causes serious impacts and \$20 plus million per WWTP to reduce phosphorous, nothing is going to get better. This pie graph should be updated at min twice a year.</p>	<p>Information on pollutant loading by land use can be found in Watershed-Based Plans which have been completed for much of the County. Links to completed watershed plans, as well as information on Sustainable Lawn Care, can be found on our website: www.dupagecounty.gov/swm</p>