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# STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

## MEMORANDUM

TO: Stormwater Management Planning Committee

FROM: Claire Kissane, Stormwater Management

SUBJECT: Sustainable Design Challenge

DATE: March 22, 2023

### SWM, SCARCE Hosting Sustainable Design Challenge on April 18

Students from several DuPage County high schools will have their green building projects on display during the 17<sup>th</sup> annual Sustainable Design Challenge on Tuesday, April 18, which will be held in the 1<sup>st</sup> floor Atrium of DuPage County's Administration Building.

Sponsored by DuPage County Stormwater Management, SCARCE coordinates the annual event, which encourages students to construct building and landscape models using environmental and water-friendly design practices. In addition to inspiring students to explore careers in urban planning, architecture and engineering, the competition promotes environmental and stormwater education within Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) curricula in local high schools.

This year's event features 17 student teams from local high schools, including York Community (Elmhurst), Glenbard East (Lombard), Wheaton Academy (West Chicago), Hinsdale Central (Hinsdale), Benet Academy (Lisle), and Chesterton Academy of the Holy Family (Lisle). Projects will be on display from 9 to 11 a.m. All DuPage County Stormwater Management Planning Committee members are invited to attend.