

Integrated Water Management

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Over the past two hundred and some odd years the municipalities have grown and developed without consideration of the impacts to the natural systems that sustain them. In the face of present day environmental issues; global warming, degraded salmon habitat, clean air, etc., and the expected continuing population growth, we must collectively rethink how we develop our built environments and the impacts on the hydrology and other supporting natural systems. This presentation addresses the importance, techniques and tools for restoring/healing site hydrology in the built environment to predevelopment levels.

Mike has extensive experience in the construction trades as a contractor and designer with a low impact and sustainable approach to environmentally sensitive ventures. His experience includes project management overseeing contracts and regulatory compliance. He is a trainer and has presented at numerous workshops and seminars. Focusing on integrated water management, Mike is committed to advancing environmental stewardship by promoting economically viable solutions to environmental problems with individuals, businesses and government entities.

In addition to serving as the Phinney Neighborhood Association as Well Home Program Director, He is a member of the City of Shoreline Planning Commission, Bond Advisory Committee and Arts Jury. He is also a Washington Native Plant Steward, a King County Forest Adviser, a certified Sustainable Building Advisor and Compost Facility Operator. He offers his experience and a broad network of contacts across the low-impact design community.

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