### The City of Berwyn



# **Engineering Department**

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January 13, 2017

Re: Residential Downspout Disconnection Assistance Program Now Open

Dear Homeowner,

The City Council passed a resolution adopting a Residential Downspout Disconnection Assistance Program on April 14, 2015. This program is a reimbursement program made possible by the Illinois Green Infrastructure Grant (IGIG) Program administered by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA). This program will provide homeowners financial assistance in the disconnection of their downspouts from their sewer. Downspout disconnection has been identified as a best management practice with flood prevention in reducing the discharge of large volumes of rooftop water into sewers during a heavy rain event. This assistance program is now available to the Council for final adoption.

Please carefully review the attached Residential Downspout Disconnection Assistance Program Guidelines. If you wish to be placed on the waiting list for participation in this program, submit the attached form to the Engineering Department, at City Hall, stormwater@ci.berwyn.il.us or fax 708-749-6593. Please check the City's website at <a href="http://www.berwyn-il.gov/government/departmental-directory/traffic-services">http://www.berwyn-il.gov/government/departmental-directory/traffic-services</a> for any updates on flood-related items.

To be eligible for reimbursement, do not perform any improvements prior to receiving City approval of your application.

If the homeowner is interested in the downspout disconnection program offered by the City, a preliminary inspection by the Engineering Department will be required prior to the disconnection of the downspouts.

Please feel free to contact the Engineering Department at 708-749-6434 at any time with questions regarding this program.

Sincerely,

Engineering Department, City of Berwyn

Fax: (708)749-6593

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January 3, 2017 Re: Waiting List Application I am interested in the following programs and would like to be added to the waiting list (please check all programs of interest): ☐ Flood Mitigation Shared Cost Program ☐ <u>Downspout Disconnection Program</u> Homeowner Name Address Phone E-mail Address\_\_\_\_\_ To be eliqible for these programs, do not make any changes to the property listed at the above address prior to receiving City approval of your application(s). Please forward to the attention of the Engineering Department, City Hall, at 6700 W. 26th Street, Berwyn, IL 60402, stormwater@ci.berwyn.il.us or fax 708-749-6593. Please check the City's website: http://www.berwyn-il.gov/government/departmentaldirectory/traffic-services for any updates on flood-related items. Please feel free to contact the Engineering Department at 708-749-6434 any time with questions regarding these programs. Sincerely, Engineering Department, City of Berwyn

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