



District Department of Transportation

Green Infrastructure in DC

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Introduction

Objective

- Update the Green Infrastructure (GI) team Geographic Information System (GIS) map with GI projects that are currently in construction or have been recently completed.

Background

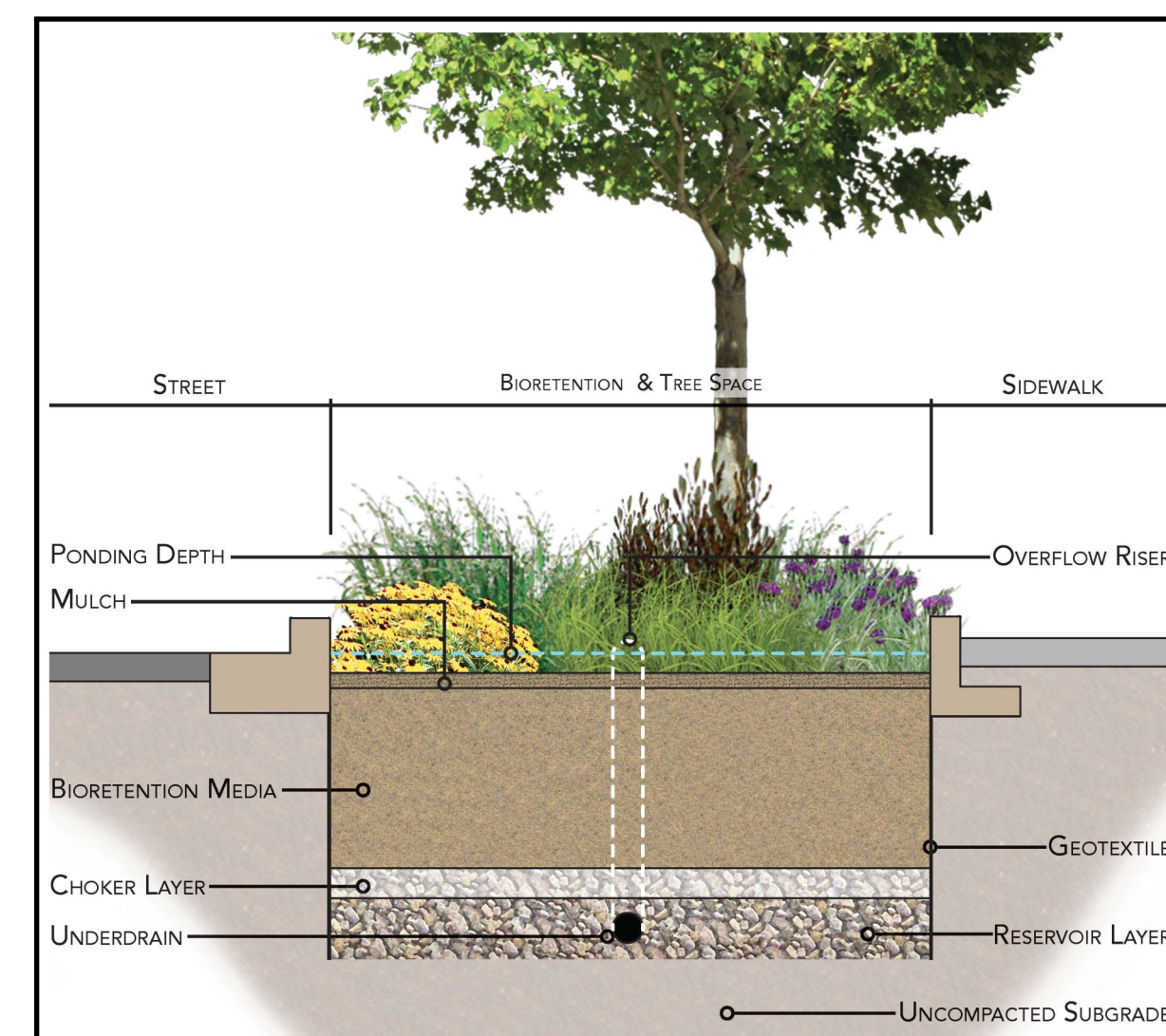
- GI is an approach to managing stormwater in an urban environment. Stormwater runoff is the main cause of water pollution in urban areas as it carries trash, heavy metals, and other pollutants found in cities.
- Green infrastructure promotes the natural movement of stormwater through the collection and management of runoff from impervious surfaces

Types of GI

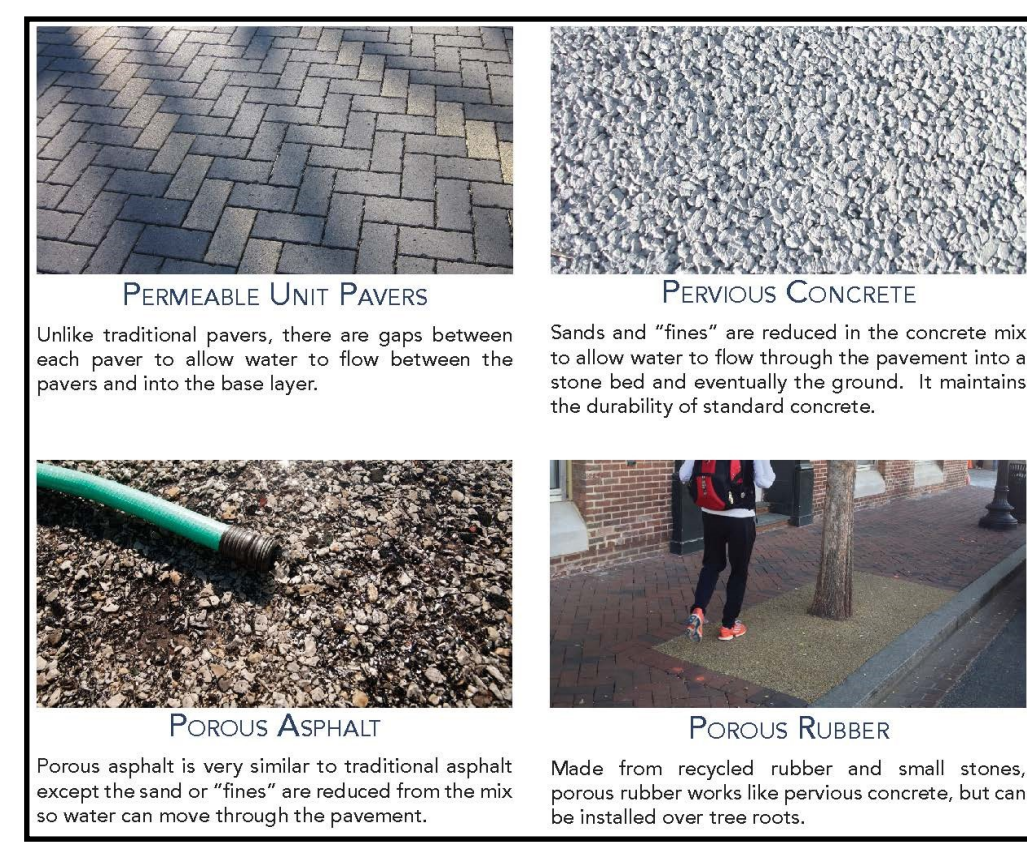
- Bioretention
- Permeable pavement
- Landscape areas
- Street trees



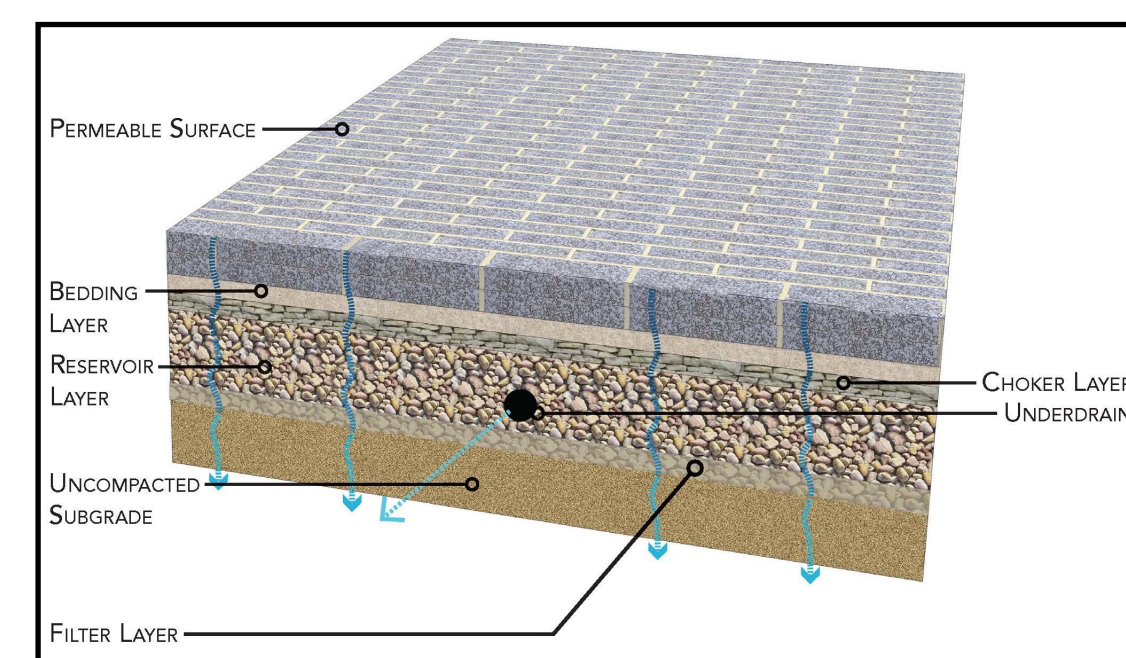
Bioretention



Bioretention cross-section



Permeable pavement



Permeable pavement cross-section

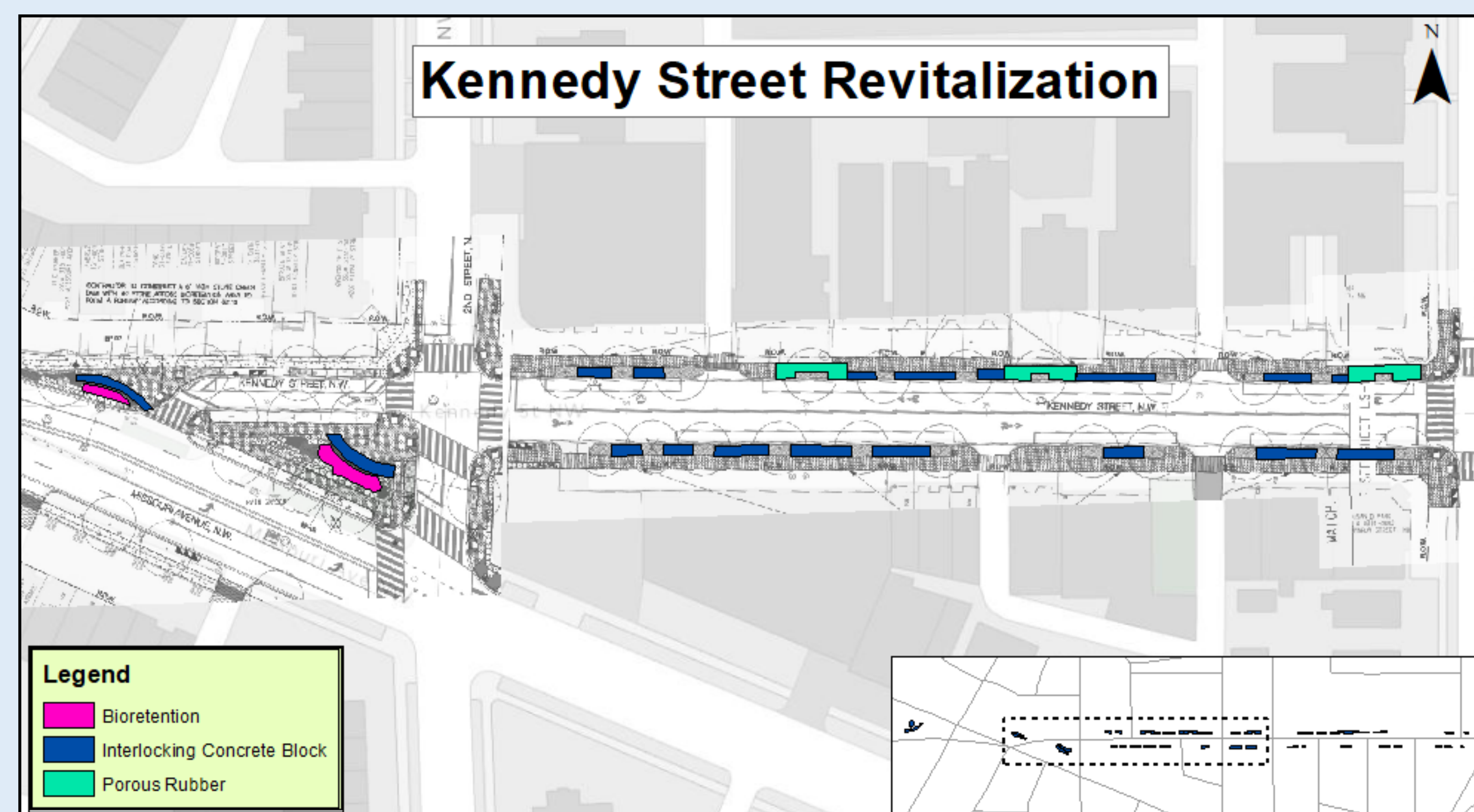
Methodology

Steps

1. Talk to people from all teams (1,2,3,4, GI) to confirm if they have green infrastructure in their projects
2. Locate those plans in DDOTs sharedrive and find GI in those plans
3. Georeference pdf images into ArcMap
4. Draw green infrastructure onto ArcMap
5. Input data into the created shapefiles (type of GI, owner, date created, and status of project)
6. Move on to the next project



Results

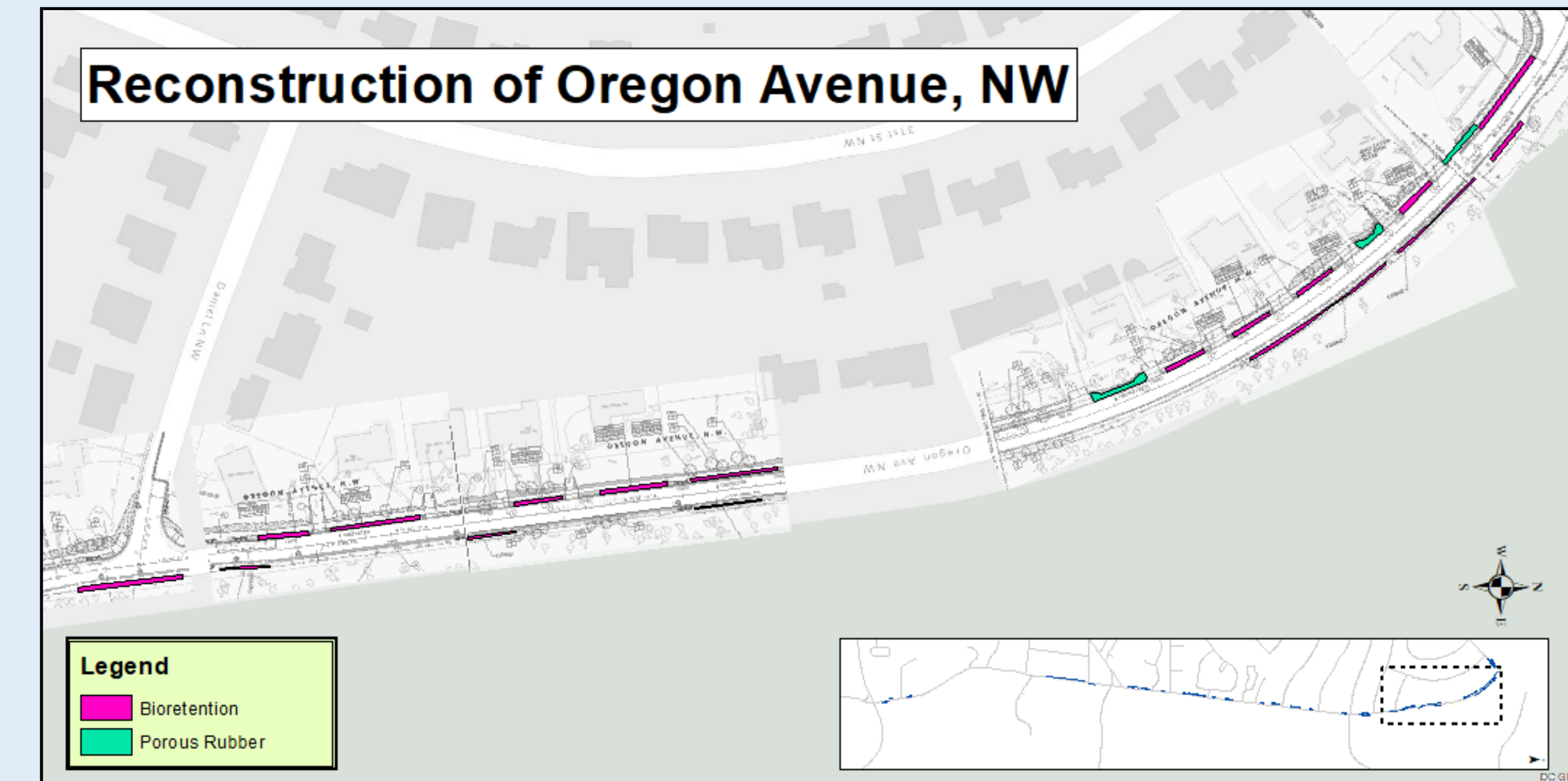


Total Amount of GI

- Interlocking Concrete Block: 35
- Porous Rubber: 3
- Bioretention: 3

Results

Reconstruction of Oregon Avenue, NW



Total Amount of GI

- Interlocking Concrete Block: 3
- Porous Rubber: 9
- Bioretention: 30

Next Steps

Mapping all GI in DC

- First things to complete mapping are all of the GI projects from the GI team
- Next step is to go from team to team, mapping all projects that have GI that are either completed or in construction.

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