‘How high is your river?’ asks CrowdHydrology citizen science project

Now in its eighth year of data collection, the CrowdHydrology project has established dozens of observation stations in waterways across 14 U.S. states. And thanks to a new multidisciplinary partnership funded by the U.S. National Science Foundation, data from this project will soon be part of the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration National Water Model.

Learn how this project started, how citizens contribute, and how the data are being used.

Federal stormwater legislation update: U.S. Congress passes policies proposed by WEF and partners

When President Trump signed into law the America’s Water Infrastructure Act (S. 3021) on Oct. 23, a special federal stormwater financing task force was created. The Water Environment Federation (WEF; Alexandria, Va.) and the National Municipal Stormwater Alliance (Alexandria, Va.) have proposed and advocated for this task force during the last year. The bill includes several provisions that WEF advocated for that will benefit stormwater infrastructure funding resources for communities nationwide.

Read about all of the stormwater-related provisions of the new law.

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Abstracts due Nov. 12 for the WEF Stormwater and Green Infrastructure Symposium 2019

The Water Environment Federation (WEF; Alexandria, Va.) is soliciting research, technology, operations, regulatory, environmental, communications and management abstracts to develop oral and poster presentations, panel discussions, and pre-conference workshops at the WEF Stormwater and Green Infrastructure Symposium 2019: Integrated Stormwater Management.

Submit your abstract by Nov. 12

MS4 survey results executive summary released at WEFTEC

Earlier this year, the Water Environment Federation (Alexandria, Va.) Stormwater Institute conducted the National Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) Needs Assessment Survey. The primary objectives of this survey were to identify the information and technical resource needs of MS4 permittees and to better understand MS4 stormwater program challenges.

Download the executive summary of the survey results.