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It would be a useful comparison between the seven projects in terms of technical and economic efficiency.

A special attention should be given to forecasts systems of wet weather.

Green Stormwater Infrastructure is one part of an Integrated Watershed Management Program. Depending on the constraints and issues that a municipal utility faces, several other strategies should be considered to solve wet weather problems including infiltration and inflow removal, stream habitat restoration and fish passage, storm sewer separation, storage and conveyance tunnels (grey infrastructure), flood relief projects, and water and sewer asset management. The choice should be based on a technical and economic analysis and on the principles / legislation of environmental protection.

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