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Stormwater Reduction in the Town of Brandon

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Rutland Natural Resources Conservation District (RNRCD) was awarded funding through a Natural Resources Conservation Council (NRCC) Block Grant to continue working with the Town of Brandon to implement projects identified in their Stormwater Master Plan completed by Watershed Consulting Associates, LLC October 31, 2017.

As part of the Stormwater Master Plan a 30% conceptual design was completed for a Stormwater Best Management Practice (BMP) at West Seminary Street Public Park. This public area includes a basketball court, playing field and dog park.

Through a bidding process the RNRCD recently signed a contract with Watershed Consulting Associates, LLC to complete 100% level plans with construction details, bid documents for construction contractor with costs, permit documentation and operation & maintenance plan for this stormwater BMP.

The focus is to continue improving water quality by reducing and treating stormwater runoff in the Neshobe watershed in the Town of Brandon.