

Mahoning SWCD Backyard Conservation Grant

Site Assessment Checklist

Site Data:

- Location & Parcel ID:
- Owner Name and Email/Phone #:
- Date:
- Square footage of Proposed Project:
- Square footage of impervious surface area runoff being mitigated:
- Distance to Stormwater Conveyance System, such as Ditch, Storm Drain or swale/stream:

Observations:

- Soil Conditions – Compaction; Bare or exposed subsoil; Previous Soil Testing; Previous Soil Amendments
- Drainage Conditions – Flow Paths; Contributing Drainage Area; Evidence of Flooding, Standing Water or Erosion/Deposition; Infiltration Test
- Vegetation – Dominant Vegetation; Native and Non-Native Plants; Invasive Plants; Health and Density; Full Sun, Partial Sun or Full Shade; Hardiness Zone and Physiographic Province
- Utilities and Easements – Underground and Overhead (By law before doing any yard or housework you must contact the Ohio Utilities Protection Service at 811); Well/Septic; HOA Requirements; Local Zoning Ordinances; Resource Protection Areas and Resource Management Areas
- Other – Safety Concerns (children/pets play area); Previous Pesticide Applications; Recent Disturbances; Soil Contamination; Wildlife Concerns

This assessment will identify site project and potential areas at a site to implement practices that address the area of concern.

SITE PROJECT: Briefly describe the project for the site; Landowner Goals/Concerns; and Area of concern needing to be addressed. Attach photo documentation of current location of proposed project & site conditions.

SITE PHOTOS: