

## **Public Notice East End Detention Basin Project**

Construction of a storm water detention basin upgrade to the City's East End storm sewer system was financed by the Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF). The SRF program is administered by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and receives a portion of its money to fund these types of projects from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. This project includes the construction of a 5 acre storm water detention pond, a pump station and force main to drain the basin and miscellaneous improvements to an existing ditch system to allow the runoff to permeate into the soil, reduce stream bank erosion and provide new wetland development. Once complete, it will improve water quality for area residents and businesses in the City by reducing the occurrence of flooding and providing development opportunities. SRF programs operate in each state to provide communities the resources necessary to build, maintain, and improve the infrastructure that protects one of our most valuable resources: water.