

tremendous. As a result, green roofs and a high quality of life tend to go hand-in-hand in Milwaukee.

systems, either through stormwater runoff into the combined sewer system, or by inflow and infiltration of stormwater into sanitary sewer pipes. MMSD also knows that green infrastructure helps restore some of the earth's natural hydrologic functions. Green roofs funded under MMSD's program total 75,614 sq. ft. (1.7 acres) and hold about 190,000 gallons of stormwater.

The Housing Authority of the City of Milwaukee (HACM) is a national leader in building safe, affordable public housing. Today, HACM owns three buildings with green roofs. These green roofs total 51,332 sq. ft. (1.2 acres), most of which are extensive green roofs (also included is 1,400 sq. ft. of intensive green roof).



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GREEN ROOFS CON

foster PROSPERITY by

- Reducing energy consumption
- Extending roof life

enhance the lives of PEOPLE by

- Contributing to their physical and mental well-being
- Helping to stimulate economic and social improvements

nurture the PLANET by

- Reducing the urban heat island effect
- Improving water quality