To accelerate the affordable and equitable implementation of green stormwater infrastructure (GSI) throughout North America by supporting peer learning, innovation and collaboration among cities, counties and utilities.

**MISSION**

Communities with thriving GSI systems that further social equity, public health, and climate resilience.

**VISION**

Connection, Inspiration, Collaboration, Leadership, Community, Equity, Innovation

**VALUES**

Member Orgs: 63
Individual Members: 264
Peer Learning Workgroups: 7

**BACKGROUND**

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**OUR WORK & PROGRAMS**

**Workgroups**

We work primarily through peer learning workgroups focused on priority issues identified by members each year at our Annual Meeting. These workgroups are forums where members share information, experiment and work together to create better GSI solutions faster. Learn more

**Collaborative Grant Program**

Our Collaborative Grant Program provides GI Exchange members with the opportunity to work jointly and share knowledge that can creatively improve the speed, cost, or effectiveness of local GSI programs. Each year, the GI Exchange funds 2-3 projects, the products of which become components of our emerging GSI “playbook.” The Collaborative Grant Program is currently entering its 4th Round. Learn more

**Annual Meeting**

Each year, we host a co-created network-wide gathering where members exchange resources and knowledge, make new connections, build relationships, and take part in network decision-making. Members contribute input and feedback about all elements of the program’s design and planning, as well as generate the majority of the content and output throughout the convening. Learn more

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**MEMBERSHIP**

Our members are cities, counties, and utilities who have committed to green stormwater infrastructure as a strategy for community resilience and to sharing their knowledge with their peers. The specific individual(s) from an agency applying for membership are normally the GSI Program Managers or lead implementers. To learn more about membership, including eligibility requirements and the application process, visit the membership page on our website or email membership@giexchange.org.