

Received Date	March 18, 2019
Meeting Date	March 25, 2019
Open or Closed	Open Session

His Worship Don Darling and Members of Common Council

Your Worship and Councillors:

Subject: Queen Square West: Rain Garden Proposal

## Background:

As part of the Climate Change Adaptation Planning Process, ACAP Saint John is proposing three pilot projects to complete in the city that will showcase adaptation methods in practice. ACAP Saint John has received funding from Green Communities Canada to construct a small rain garden that will act as a demonstration of stormwater management infrastructure. We are proposing to construct this rain garden in Queen Square West.

Staff from the Parks Department and the Transportation and Environment Department are supportive of the project and have agreed to provide in-kind support for the installation of the garden. Volunteers will also help with planting and maintenance.

## Motion:

That Common Council approve the construction of a rain garden in Queen Square West as proposed by ACAP Saint John.

Respectfully Submitted,

(Received via email)

Donna Reardon Ward 3 Councillor City of Saint John

