

# Low Impact Development Manual for Coastal South Carolina

## A NERRS SCIENCE COLLABORATIVE-FUNDED PROJECT



### PROJECT AT A GLANCE

#### Location

South Carolina Coastal Counties

#### Project Team Partners

ACE Basin NERR/SCDNR

North Inlet-Winyah Bay NERR

Center for Watershed Protection

S.C. Sea Grant Consortium

#### Timeline

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The North Inlet-Winyah Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, ACE Basin National Estuarine Research Reserve, Center for Watershed Protection, and South Carolina Sea Grant have been awarded funding to develop a Low Impact Development Manual for coastal South Carolina.

#### *Project Summary*

The overall goal of the project is to create an interdisciplinary, user-defined *Low Impact Development Manual for Coastal South Carolina* through a series of collaborative meetings with researchers, engineers, planners, landscape architects, and other practitioners. The end product will be an LID guidance document that is defined and vetted by end-users. The Manual will serve as a source of coastal-specific LID information, tools, and resources for South Carolina.

#### *Stakeholder Involvement*

Many stakeholders have already participated in focus groups to help determine the necessary components of the Manual. We are now digging deeper to adapt engineering tools and BMP specifications for coastal South Carolina and research relevant case studies. The ACE Basin NERR and North Inlet-Winyah Bay Coastal Training Programs will host a series of workshops to get input from stakeholders. Stay tuned for Workshop dates, Manual progress, and other relevant LID information:

<http://northinlet.sc.edu/LID/>

