

# Willamette River Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) Program

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October 20, 2010

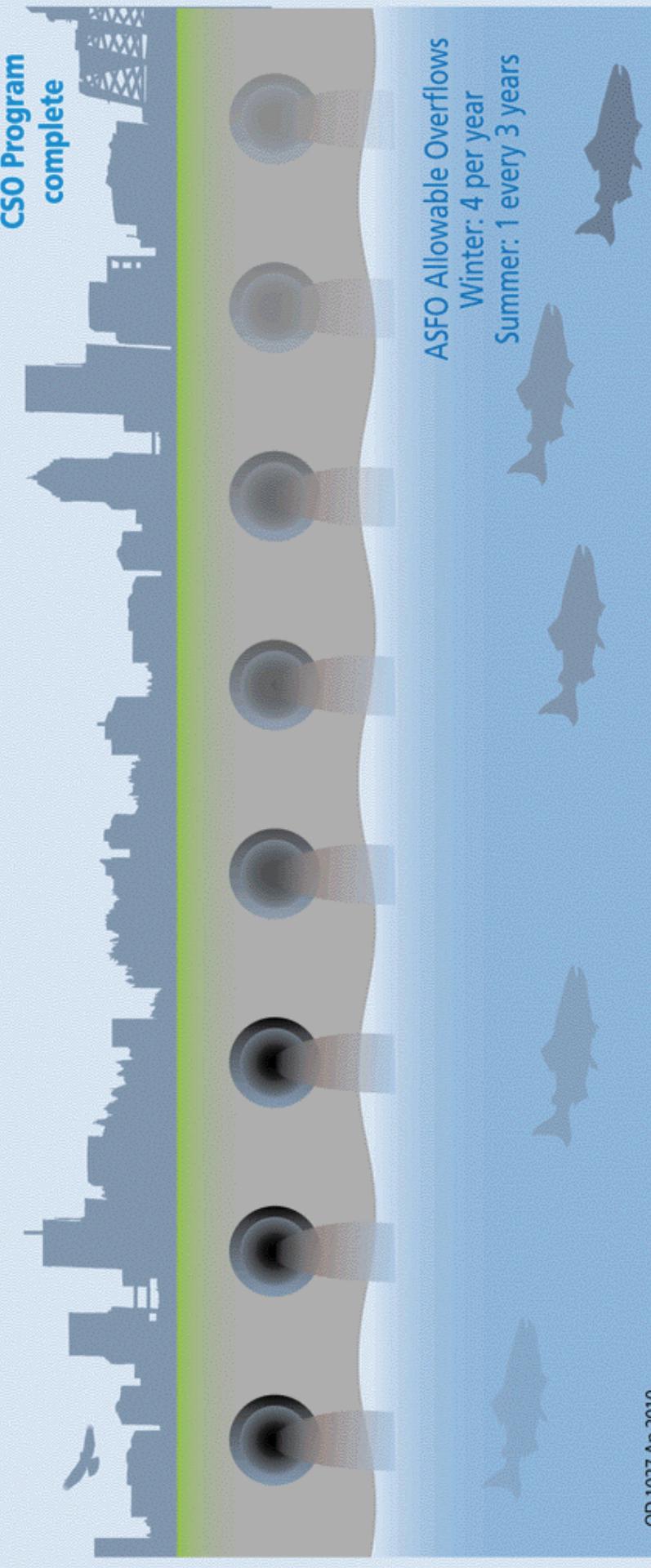


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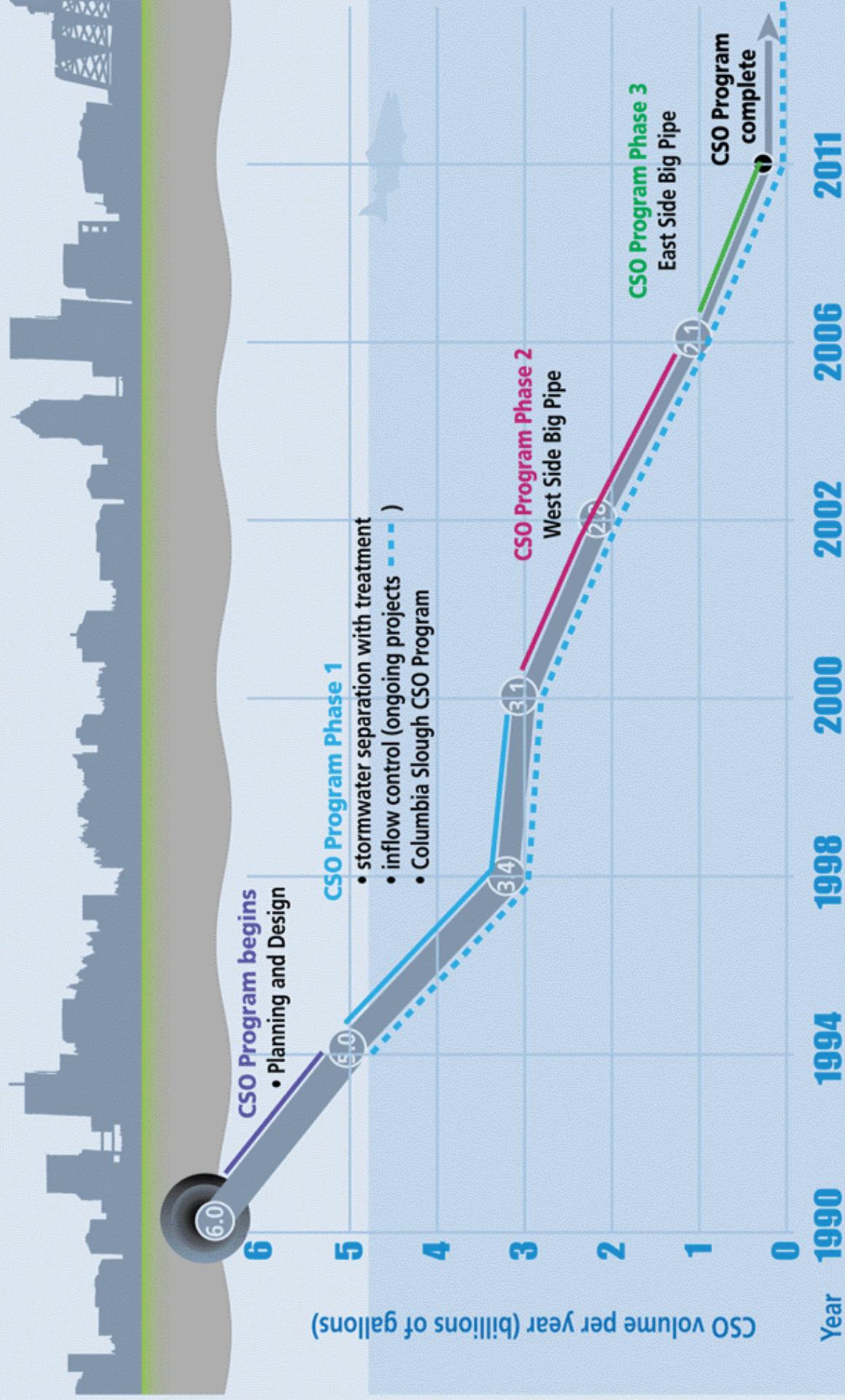
# Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) Program Milestones

<b>1991</b>	DEQ issues SFO CSO Program starts	CSO Facilities Plan completed	1994	CSO issues ASFO	2000	Columbia Slough outfalls controlled	2006	Willamette River west side outfalls controlled (16)	2011	Willamette River east side outfalls controlled
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ASFO Allowable Overflows  
Winter: 4 per year  
Summer: 1 every 3 years

# Portland's Combined Sewer Overflow Reductions



# Countdown to Control CSO Outfalls

- All 13 Columbia Slough Outfalls controlled by  
✓ December 2000 - Completed
- 7 Willamette River Outfalls controlled by  
✓ December 2001 - Completed
- Next 16 Willamette River Outfalls controlled by  
✓ December 2006 - Completed
- Final 19 Willamette River Outfalls controlled by  
December 2011 - Underway

# Downspout Disconnection Program



- Begun in 1996 - One of the CSO Cornerstone Programs
- Nearly 26,000 property owners have disconnected more than 52,000 downspouts
- Disconnections keep 1.5-billion gallons of stormwater out of sewers annually

# Green Infrastructure

EcoRoofs



Swales

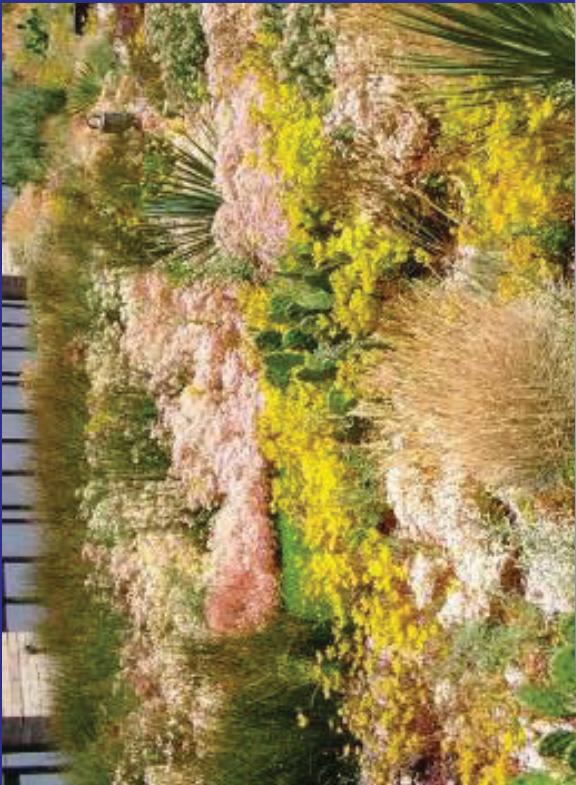


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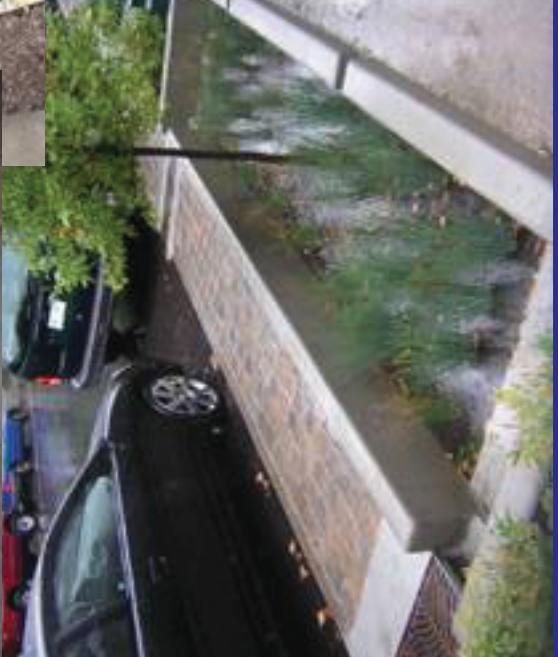
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# Ecoroofs



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# Green Infrastructure Jobs

- Estimated FY 2010 Environmental Services Green Infrastructure Jobs: 123

- Estimated FY 2010 Private Sector Jobs Created by BES Capital Program Related to Green Investments:  
300

- Total Green Jobs Created in FY 2010: 423

# East Side CSO Tunnel Project

- 6 mile long tunnel
- 22 foot diameter
- 85 to 165 feet deep
- Seven large shafts – approximately 50 feet in diameter
- Overall project is 90% complete
- Expected Completion - late Summer 2011



# ESCSO Construction Contract

- Contractor: Kiewit/Bilfinger Berger JV
- Base Contract Amount (2011 \$): \$426,291,149
- Mining has been completed four months ahead of schedule
- Most of project risk has been mitigated at this point

# ESCSO Employment

- 195 first-tier subcontracts so far, mostly local (over 400 total subcontracts)
- \$30,070,000 M/W/ESB subcontracting to date exceeds goal by over \$4,000,000
- 190 craft workers currently employed on the tunnel project

# Loss Prevention and Worker Safety on the East Side CSO Project

- The incident rate on the East Side project is 2.9, compared to the statewide average of 5.4
- Out of nine owner controlled insurance program projects insured by SAIF in Oregon, the East Side project ranks second

# Remaining Challenges to Meet the 2011 CSO Deadline

- Sellwood CSO Pump Station - construction underway
- Balch Consolidation Conduit - construction underway
- Portsmouth Force Main Segments 1 and 2 - construction underway. (Segment 2 requires construction acceleration)
- Swan Island CSO Pump Station Phase 2 - construction underway
- Portland Streetcar and Tri-Met Light Rail also working in ESCSO staging area in 2010 and 2011

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- 1 Portsmouth Force Main
- 2 Swan Island Pump Station
- 3 Balch Consolidation Conduit
- 4 Sellwood Pump Station



# Segment 1 – Swan Island Alignment



- Install and test a 3-mile, 66-inch diameter pressurized pipeline
  - Will carry flow from east and west side tunnels to the Portsmouth Tunnel and on to the treatment plant

# Segment 2 – Bluff Alignment

- Difficult construction under base of Waud Bluff
- Differing site conditions encountered
- Will require alternate TBM and construction acceleration



# Portsmouth Force Main Segment 2

- Engineers Estimate:
- Low bid:

\$30,007,000  
\$19,353,144

- Unexpected ground conditions during mining have resulted in extra work and eight-month delay to date
  - Alternate tunnel boring machine and construction acceleration required to meet 2011 dry weather window for completion
- Council Item No. 1375:
  - Requested contract amount plus 5% contingency: \$32,000,000

# The TBM Has Reached the End

- "Rosie" has reached the last shaft at S.E. 18<sup>th</sup> and McLoughlin St.
- Four years and 30,000 feet of mining on the East Side is finished
- "Rosie" will soon be removed at the McLoughlin Shaft and prepared for return to the manufacturer
- A last opportunity to view the tunnel will occur early November



# East Side CSO Review Committee

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Bill Martinak, Chair