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Stormwater Drainage Survey - 2008  
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Dear Northfield Neighbor:

Because flooding is such a prevalent problem in Northfield, the Village Board has retained an engineering firm to undertake a comprehensive Stormwater Drainage Study for our community. A critical component of this study is determining and documenting known drainage problems in order to investigate possible solutions.

Please complete and return the attached survey by July 14, 2008 providing as much detail as possible. Refold the survey so the Business Reply Mail and the Village address are face up (tape or staple closed). Completed responses will be forwarded to our engineering consultant for review and inclusion in the study. The more responses received, the more thorough the study. This survey is also available on the Village website, [www.northfieldil.org](http://www.northfieldil.org). Please complete the survey only one time per household.

We also encourage you to **attend the Public Meeting on Stormwater Drainage that will be held Monday, July 21 at 7:00 PM in the Village Hall, 361 Happ Road, Northfield, Illinois.** Village staff will describe the nature of the study, goals/objectives and collect additional information about drainage issues.

We appreciate your participation.

*(When returning your survey, fold in thirds with the Business Reply Mail showing)*

# Stormwater Drainage Survey - 2008

## Village of Northfield

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Property Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Years a Resident in Northfield \_\_\_\_\_

**1. Type(s) of drainage problem(s):** *(Check all that apply)*

- Yard/Site Flooding       Front       Rear       Side  
 Basement flooding caused by surface flow through a window or other source  
 Basement flooding caused by sump pump failure  
 Basement flooding from sewer backup  
 First floor flooding  
 Flooding from rivers/streams       Stream bank/channel erosion  
 Surface structural problems (blocked drainage inlets, changes in land elevations, etc.)  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. How many times have you experienced flooding problems at this location?**

\_\_\_\_\_

**3. Dates of flooding:** \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Do you have any information regarding the elevation obtained by floodwaters during any storm events (e.g. water marks, photographs, description of what flooded, etc.)?**

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

*If "Yes," please provide materials noting the date of the event. Please Note: Materials submitted will not be able to be returned.*

**5. Description of problem(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

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**6. If deemed necessary, do you authorize a site visit by Village staff on your property?**

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

*Please mail the completed form to the Village postage free by re-folding and taping or stapling closed with the "Business Reply Mail" side showing. This survey is also available on the Village website, [www.northfieldil.org](http://www.northfieldil.org). Please complete the survey only one time per household.*