



NELSON'S HIGHVIEW (NEWTON & SECOND)

PROJECT DETAILS

LOCATION

Unincorporated Glendale Heights
Milton Township

ISSUE

Multiple properties and roadways experience significant flooding during storm events

SOLUTION

Expansion of detention in the area and storm sewer improvements

BENEFIT

The reduction and elimination of flooding for 20+ properties

COST ESTIMATE

\$350,000

DISTRICTS REPRESENTED

- US Senate - Illinois
- US Representative District 8
- IL Senate District 23
- IL Representative District 46
- County Board District 4



PROJECT HISTORY & INFORMATION

The Nelson's Highview neighborhood in Unincorporated Glendale Heights has an existing storm sewer system and vacant land to control flooding. However, during medium to large storm events, the existing system cannot handle the flows. The excess stormwater causes damage to numerous residential properties and creates road closures, which potentially limits

emergency vehicle access. The solution includes excavating a local detention/retention pond, installing storm sewer to transport floodwater to the pond and outlet improvements and downstream main lines. In addition, native wetland enhancements and the installation of best management practices could be incorporated to improve natural habitat.