



Workshop Announcement (October 13, 2014)

Workshop Title: **Gardening for Clean Water**

Date: **November 15th, 2014**

Time: **Registration: 8am**

Workshop: 8:30am to 12pm

Location: **Stratford Ecological Center, 3083 Liberty Rd, Delaware, OH 43015**

Cost: \$5 (Free for Delco customers)

Collaborators/Co-Sponsors (for program and construction of educational rain gardens):

- Delco Water Supply Company
- Ohio Environmental Education Fund (OEEF), Ohio EPA (OEPA)
- Advanced Drainage Systems (ADS)
- URS
- Friends of the Lower Olentangy Watershed (FLOW)
- Central Ohio Rain Garden Initiative (CORGI)
- Franklin County SWCD
- Engineers without Borders (The Ohio State University)
- Scioto Gardens
- Scotts Miracle Gro
- Kurtz Brothers
- Price Farms Organics
- Rain Brothers

Program Schedule:

8 – 8:30 Registration, coffee and donuts

8:30 – 9:30 ***“You can make a difference: How to design a beautiful home landscape to save our streams”*** - Amy Dutt, Urban Wild, Ltd

9:30 – 10:00 **Tour of Stratford’s Edible Rain Gardens**

10:00 – 10:15 **Break**

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10:15 – 11:00 ***“Rainwater Harvesting: from the Gutter to the Garden”*** – Jonathan Meiers,

11:00 – 11:30 ***“Appropriate Plants for Your Rain Garden”***, Michael Johnson, Scioto Gardens

11:30 – 12:00 **Q&A with a Panel of Rain Garden Resources** (Amy Dutt, Jonathan Meiers, Michael Johnson, Sara Ernst (Central Ohio Rain Garden Initiatives), Laura Fay (Friends of the Lower Olentangy), Nathan Winkler (Engineers without Borders, OSU), Kari A. Mackenbach (CFM, BCES, URS Corporation), and Nora Hiland (retired from Columbus Zoo and Aquarium and Franklin SWCD)

12:00 to? ***Drawing and Visit Resource Exhibits and Panel Experts Individually***

Available Resources:

- **Drawing for Free Installation by EWB/OSU**
- Panel Experts
- Literature/Brochure Table
- Plant Exhibit/Vouchers for Spring Plant Purchases @ Scioto Gardens
- Rain Brothers Exhibit
- On-line Resource List