



Create beautiful gardens to keep water clean

Design a Native Garden



Native gardens are beautiful, save water and your time.

Create a Raingarden



Raingardens filter dirty stormwater from streets and rooftops before it enters creeks and rivers.

Stabilize Shorelines



Long roots of native plants anchor soil, filter out pollutants and discourage geese from congregating.

Join us for a **free** Planting for Clean Water workshop on **Tuesday, March 24, 6-7:30pm at the Stillwater Library** (224 3rd St. N, Margaret Waters Room B) or **Tuesday, April 28, 6-7:30pm at Lake Elmo City Hall** (3800 Laverne Avenue N.) to see dozens of inspirational and affordable garden designs that integrate native plants and clean our waters.

After attending you can receive design and installation assistance. People living in high priority areas within their watershed may also qualify for financial incentives to install their new gardens.

Registration Required

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