

# PROMOTE RAIN GARDENS IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

## Rain Garden Volunteer Training

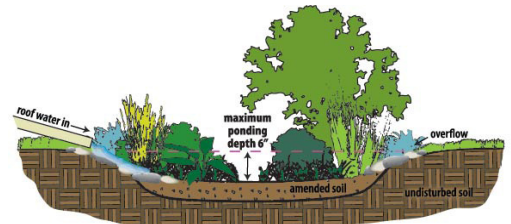
Saturday, September 11, 2010 (8:30 am- 5:00 pm)

Join us for a special two-part volunteer training program that provides 8 hours of classroom instruction and 4 hours of hands-on rain garden installation experience.

In turn, participants make a 10 hour commitment to promote rain garden projects in their community.

### YOU'LL LEARN ABOUT:

- Site assessment, soil testing, calculating slope, permitting
- Rain garden design, construction and maintenance
- Selecting plants that work well in a rain garden



After completing both portions of this training, you will have the information and experience you need to inform people about how rain gardens help manage stormwater and keep urban runoff out of our local sewers and streams!

### WHEN:

The **Classroom Training** is on *Saturday, September 11<sup>th</sup>* from 8:30am – 5:00pm.

The **Hands-On Installation Training** will have several dates for you to choose from. You will sign up for only one of the hands-on installation projects during the classroom session on September 11th:

- Saturday morning, September 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> (installations will occur at a several locations in the Portland metro region)

### WHERE:

Colonial Heights Presbyterian Church  
2828 SE Stephens  
Portland, OR 97214



**This training opportunity is FREE!**

Space is limited and advanced registration is required.  
Dress for both indoor and outdoor training components.

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