

For a limited time Rutgers Cooperative Extension is offering free **rain gardens** to Rahway residents.

- Rutgers and the City of Rahway are working on a grant funded project to improve flooding and pollution in the Robinson's Branch stream. The project includes building rain gardens on residential properties.
- Rutgers will work with you to choose a rain garden design that will beautify your landscape.
- Selection and design will happen in the Spring, 2014.

What is a rain garden? Rain gardens are designed to manage stormwater runoff, mainly from rooftops, but also driveways, roads, and parking lots. Rain gardens are beautiful additions to a landscape, while at the same time performing an important environmental function...reducing flooding and pollution in the local river or stream.



http://water.epa.gov/infrastructure/gi/2008/infrastructure/gi_what.cfm

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