



Conserving Water

Solutions for Your Landscape

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:30 Public Service Announcement

Rain Gardens

No matter the weather, it's important that rain returns to the aquifer system, our source for water. Rain gardens are a great way to help ensure that aquifer gets its share of rainwater.

Rain gardens are shallow depressions in the landscape planted with plants and grasses that filter water before letting it flow naturally into the ground. They work best when placed at the bottom of downspouts or in areas where water tends to puddle.

This public service announcement is brought to you by Gardening in a Minute. For more information about water conservation, visit Gardening in a Minute dot com or contact your University of Florida/IFAS county Extension office.

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