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## 200 Ways to Improve Water Quality in Eastern CT

*A project to clean the storm water that enters our streams, rivers, lakes and Long Island Sound.*



### RAIN GARDENS

...are small depressions that are planted with flowers and shrubs. They collect rainwater from driveways, sidewalks, or rooftops and help it seep into the ground. This filters water before it enters local streams and ponds.

The **Boy Scouts** have partnered with the **Eastern CT Conservation District** and other organizations to install **100 RAIN GARDENS and 100 RAIN BARRELS in Eastern Connecticut in 2018!**

**When?** This spring, summer and fall

**What can you do?** Contact us now to find out if your property is a good site for a rain barrel or rain garden, then attend one of our workshops

**CONTACT US** for more info, and to register for upcoming workshops:

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### RAIN BARRELS

...are connected to gutter downspouts to catch rainwater from rooftops. This protects nearby streams, ponds, and wetlands by slowing down the rush of stormwater.

