



GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE in New Jersey



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TYPE OF GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE:

RAIN BARREL

LOCATION:

Stony Brook Millstone Watershed Association, Pennington, New Jersey

ORGANIZATION:

New Jersey AmeriCorps Watershed Ambassadors Program, the Holistic Mothers of New Jersey, Hopewell Environmental Commission

DESCRIPTION:

Tom McKeon, New Jersey AmeriCorps Watershed Ambassador in WMA 10 has hosted and participated in several rain barrel projects during the 2012-2013 term of service. He hosted a rain barrel workshop at the Stony Brook Millstone Watershed Association to Holistic Mothers of New Jersey and the Hopewell Environmental Commission. Tom has also assisted in installing and reaching out to community members in Princeton for the Harry's Brook Rain Barrel initiative.

IMPACT:

Educated hundreds of people about stormwater runoff, helped build 50 barrels which are estimated to save 65,000 gallons of rainfall from stressing our stormwater infrastructure.

Watershed Ambassadors are available to lead additional workshops in your community. Contact information for your local Ambassador can be found at www.nj.gov/dep/wms/bear/amicorps_contact_info.htm

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