

# What is Rain Check?

Rain Check helps pay for home improvements that fight stormwater pollution. Landscaping tools like rain barrels, downspout planters, rain gardens and permeable pavers keep runoff out of our waterways and beautify our yards and properties.

## Residential Stormwater Projects



### Rain Gardens

A shallow, planted depression that absorbs water flowing from your roof, patio, or yard—and attracts birds and butterflies! One of the simplest and most effective ways to manage stormwater.



### Downspout Planters

Decorative garden planter filled with gravel, soil and vegetation that uses rainfall from your roof to irrigate the plants. Works in sun or shade.



### Rain Barrels

A plastic storage container connected to a downspout that captures stormwater runoff from your roof. The rain water can be reused for gardens and lawns.



### Permeable Pavers

Specially designed pavers, stones or bricks that allow water to soak into the ground below. Can reduce ice in the winter.

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