Rain Gardens and More

- The Rain Garden program for Kitsap County may reimburse landowners of Unincorporated Kitsap County for adding green stormwater practices to their existing structures.
- Green Stormwater Solutions include: Rain Gardens, Soaker Trenches,
 Permeable Paving, Cisterns, Rain Barrels, and Landscape Modifications (Lawn Removal w. native planting)
- The program may reimburse landowners for costs for materials and contractor labor, not to exceed \$1000.00 per practice.
- The Rain Garden Program reimbursement process has several steps:
 - 1) Landowner fills out Rain Garden Program application and schedules a site visit with KCD
 - 2) KCD evaluates the application using a matrix of criteria to determine if site meets prioritization criteria
 - 3) If project is approved, Landowner signs and dates the Rain Garden Program Agreements (Cooperator and Assistance agreements). Contractor and/or material receipts must be dated after this date.
 - 4) KCD can contribute technical assistance for design or construction. KCD design specifications must be followed to receive reimbursement, even if using a contractor.
 - 5) Landowner completes project, saves all original receipts and schedules KCD to inspect the finished practice and get completion signatures.
 - 6) Check is issued to landowner



