

# Contractor Skill-Building Webinar: Design Challenges - How do you make it work?

Fortalecimiento de capacidades para contratistas: Como superar los retos que se presentan en el diseño?



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## Agenda





- RainWise ProgramOverview
- 2. Designing a RainWise Installation
- 3. Using the RebateCalculator and DeterminingBudget
- 4. Design Challenges

## Working Together to Reduce Polluted Runoff with Green Stormwater Infrastructure



#### Juntos utilizamos infraestructura verde para reducir la escorrentía de agua pluviales contaminada

Infraestructura Verde en **Propiedad** Privada

Techo Verde

Cisterna

Alcantarilla desconectada

Jardín de Agua **Pluviales** 



Infraestructura Verde en el espacio público

Arboles de la Via Publica

**Jardines** Pluviales en la carretera

**Pavimento Permeable** 



RainWise







Meta de RainWise



Disminuir la sobrecapacidad de los desagües

#### Methods

#### Métodos

- 1. Cistern storage, with slow release Cisterna de almacenamiento, con liberación lenta
- 2. Rain garden infiltration Infiltración de jardines Pluviales







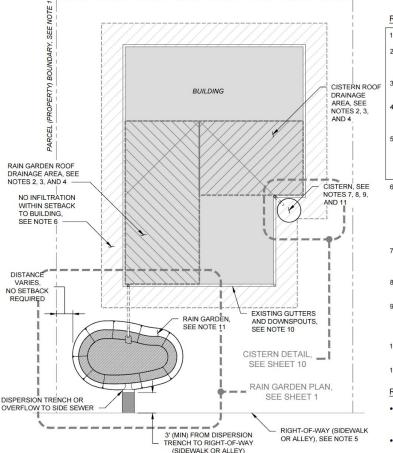
### Design **Details for** Rain Gardens and **Cisterns**

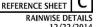
Detalles de Diseños para Jardines Pluviales v Cisternas





#### **RAINWISE SITE REQUIREMENTS**







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#### RAINWISE SITE REQUIREMENTS:

- SUBJECT PARCEL MUST BE IN A QUALIFYING CSO BASIN.
- 2 A MINIMUM OF 400 SQUARE FEET OF ROOF DRAINAGE AREA MUST BE COLLECTED AND CONVEYED TO RAIN GARDEN OR CISTERN TO QUALIFY FOR REBATE
- ROOF DRAINAGE GREATER THAN 2,000 SQUARE FEET REQUIRES CONSULTATION WITH RAINWISE INSPECTOR.
- PROJECTS INFILTRATING MORE THAN 2,000 SQUARE FEET OF IMPERVIOUS SURFACE MUST ADHERE TO THE SEATTLE STORMWATER MANUAL
- 5. NO MORE THAN 1,000 SQUARE FEET OF CONTRIBUTING IMPERVIOUS SURFACE MAY OVERFLOW TO CITY SIDEWALK AT A SINGLE LOCATION. SYSTEMS IN EXCESS OF 1,000 SQUARE FEET SHALL HAVE TWO OR MORE OVERFLOWS (AS NECESSARY), EACH SEPARATED BY A DISTANCE OF 10 FEET OR MORE
- INFILTRATION PROHIBITED WITHIN 5 FEET OF FOUNDATION WALL FOR DWELLING WITHOUT BASEMENT AND WITHIN 10 FEET OF FOUNDATION WALL FOR DWELLING WITH BASEMENT UP TO 5 FEET DEEP, FOR BASEMENTS DEEPER THAN 5 FEET, INFILTRATION PROHIBITED WITHIN A DISTANCE OF 2 TIMES THE BASEMENT DEPTH MEASURED FROM FOUNDATION WALL, CONVEYANCE WITHIN THIS SETBACK MUST BE IMPERVIOUS (I.E., LINED OR PIPED)
- 7. QUALIFYING CISTERNS MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 200 GALLONS, HAVE A 1/4 INCH DIAMETER LOW FLOW ORIFICE, AND A MINIMUM HEAD OF 3.0 FEET.
- 8. ROUTE CISTERN OVERFLOWS TO RAIN GARDEN, RIGHT-OF-WAY, OR SANITARY SEWER.
- 9. CISTERN SITING SHALL CONFORM TO SETBACK AND YARD REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN SEATTLE LAND USE CODE. FOR SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL APPLICATIONS, SEE SECTION 23 44 014: YARDS
- 10. REMOVE DOWNSPOUT PIPING AND PLUG AND SEAL GUTTER INLETS AT ALL ABANDONED DOWNSPOUT LOCATIONS.
- 11. FOR RAIN GARDEN AND CISTERN SIZING, REFER TO RAINWISE SIZING TABLES.

#### REFERENCE MATERIALS:

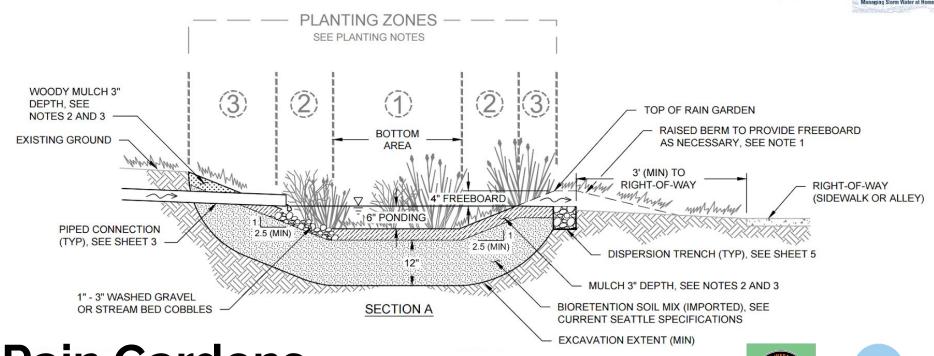
- RAINWISE SIZING AND REBATE TABLES AND CISTERN REBATE CALCULATOR https://rainwise.seattle.gov/city/seattle/contractor\_corner
- SEATTLE LAND USE CODE http://www.seattle.gov/dpd/codesrules/codes/landuse/

https://www.700milliongallons.org/rainwise/contractor-resources/

SHEET 2
RAINWISE DETAILS
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RainWise



### **Rain Gardens**

*Jardines Pluviales* 

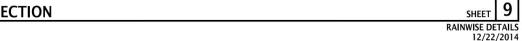
### **Cisterns**

Cisternas









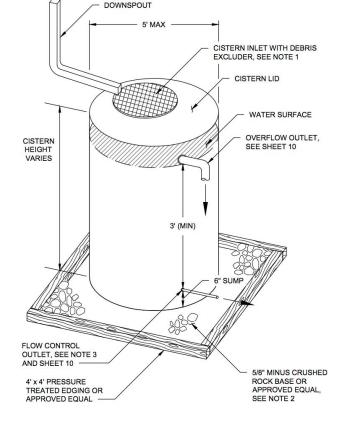




- PROVIDE DEBRIS EXCLUDER WITH 1/16 INCH MINIMUM SCREEN CAPACITY AT CISTERN INI ET
- CRUSHED ROCK BASE SHALL BE COMPACTED WITH 12 POUND HAND TAMPER TO FORM LEVEL, NON-YEILDING BASE FOR CISTERN. EXTEND BASE BEYOND EDGE OF CISTERN. BASE DIMENSIONS WILL VARY BY CISTERN.
- FLOW CONTROL OUTLET SHALL INCLUDE A UNIFORM 1/4 INCH DIAMETER INSPECTABLE AND CLEANABLE ORIFICE. NO ADDITIONAL VALVES OR FLOW RESTRICTOR PERMITTED DOWNSTREAM OF FLOW CONTROL OUTLET. SEE SHEET 13 FOR AN EXAMPLE CONFIGURATION.

#### **GENERAL NOTES:**

- A. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE SECURED AS TO BE CHILD PROOF.
- CISTERNS WITH HIGH TIPPING POTENTIAL SHALL BE RESTRAINED TO PREVENT OVERTURNING.
- C. SYSTEM MUST BE DESIGNED TO PROVIDE ACCESS AND EGRESS TO CISTERN AND CISTERN FITTINGS FOR CLEANING AND REMOVAL OF SEDIMENT AND ALGAE. ACCESS SHALL BE THROUGH REMOVABLE LID OR 6 INCH (MINIMUM) INSPECTION PORT. CLEANOUT SHALL BE PROVIDED AT BOTTOM OF TANK (VIA BOTTOM BULKHEAD FITTING).
- D. CISTERNS OVER 6.5 FEET TALL OR WITH STORAGE CAPACITY GREATER THAN 1.100 GALLONS REQUIRE CONSULTATION WITH RAINWISE INSPECTOR.
- E. ALL CISTERN PIPING MATERIALS SHALL BE RIGID. 12 LINEAR INCHES OF 2 INCH (MAXIMUM) DIAMETER FLEXIBLE PIPE MAY BE USED TO CONNECT TERMINUS OF FLOW CONTROL OUTLET TO OVERFLOW PIPING.
- F. OVERFLOW AND LOW FLOW PIPE CONFIGURATIONS (FITTINGS AND PIPE LENGTH) MAY VARY BY CISTERN. PIPE SUPPORT TO BE PROVIDED WITHIN 2 FEET OF UNIONS AND AT LEAST EVERY 4 FEET OF PIPE RUN. SEE SHEET 10.
- G. PLASTIC CISTERNS MUST BE U.V. STABILIZED. ALL CISTERNS MUST BE NON-COLLAPSABLE, WATERTIGHT, AND OF DURABLE MATERIAL TO PROVIDE A LONG SERVICE LIFE.
- H. TO PREVENT FREEZING DAMAGE, ALL EXPOSED PIPE MUST BE FREE DRAINING.
- PROVIDE WATER TIGHT FITTINGS AT ALL CISTERN CONNECTIONS.
- J. LOCATE CISTERNS TO AVOID OBSTRUCTION OF UTILITIES, WINDOWS, OR OTHER SITE FEATURES THAT REQUIRE REGULAR ACCESS.
- K. SEE REFERENCE SHEET C FOR CISTERN SETBACK REQUIREMENTS.
- L. SEE SHEET 11 FOR DESIGN REQUIREMENTS FOR CISTERNS IN SERIES.





## Questions

¿Preguntas?



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### Considerations in designing a Rainwise installation

Consideraciones para el diseño e instalación de RainWise

- Current roof drainage pattern
   Drenaje actualizado del techo
- Site opportunities and constrictions Oportunidades y constricciones del sitio
- Rainwise Specifications
   Especificaciones de RainWise
- Homeowner goals and preferences
   Preferencias y metas del cliente
- Aesthetic choices
   Elecciones de estética
- Budget
   Presupuesto





### **Gather Site Information**

Recopile información del sitio

Check Rainwise eligibility:

700milliongallons.org/rainwise-testing/eligibility-map/

King County Imap:

kingcounty.gov/services/gis/Maps/imap.aspx

Side Sewer Card:

web6.seattle.gov/dpd/sidesewercardsv2/default.aspx

Google Earth

https://www.google.com/earth/

Site Visit & Homeowner Meeting







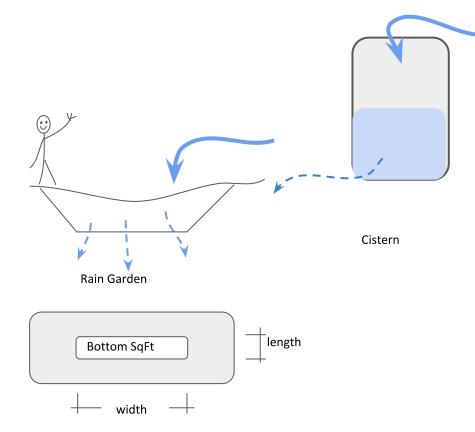


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### **Sizing Calculations**

calculo de tamano

#### **Rain Garden**

- Bottom square feet
- Length X width

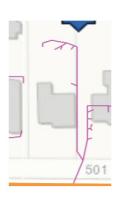
#### Cistern

- Gallon capacity
- ½" low-flow orifice
- $(\frac{3}{2})$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$ )









Total Roof Area:

**Estimated Capture:** 

**Estimated Rebate:** 

**ROOF AREA** 

Area de techo

Square feet A: 703 sf Square Feet B: 624 sf

Total roof: 1327sf

Different options yield Different rebate amounts! Diferentes opciones permitieron diferentes cantidades de reembolso!

Rain gardens = \$4.00 Sf

Cisterns = Sf/efficiency

Aster Rosa Ecology Seattle, WA Draft design December 15, 2018



Roof Connection

cistern locations aingarden location

1.0

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## **Using the Rebate Calculator**

Usando la calculadora de reembolso





## Rebate Calculator

Calculadora de Reembolso

### **Budget** Presupuesto





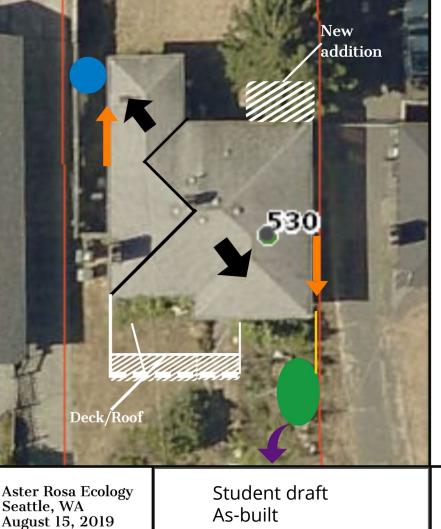
Bushman Cisterns - Conservation Corps		our cost	customer price (+ 25%)
delivery fee	up to 3	\$100.00	\$125.00
5-6 wk large size	1	\$50.00	
Fitting kits	1 each	\$75.00	
205 gal (5' tall x 2'11" wide)		\$310.00	\$387.00
265 Slimline (5'4" tall x 2'1" wide x 4'11 long)		\$500.00	\$635.00
420 gal (5'4" tall x 3'9" wide)		\$475.00	\$594.00
530 Slimline (6'6' tall x2'1" wise x 7'2" long)		\$750.00	\$937.00
660 R (4' tall x 5'11 wide)		\$650.00	\$812.00
865 RTall (6'3" tall x 5'1 wide)		\$850.00	\$1,062.00
1110 R (7'0" tall x 4'8" wide)		\$950.00	\$1,187.50
1320 R (6'0" tall x 6'10" wide)		\$1,110.00	\$1,387.00
2825 R (7'8" tall x 8'6" wide)		\$1,800.00	\$2,175.00





Materials *Materiales* 

Labor Mano de Obra



83%(\$3.31/sf) = \$1347.171,600 gal annually 876 sf to raingarden (>1"/hr) outflow to sidewalk 100% (\$4.00/sf) = \$3,504

Total Roof Area: 1,283 sf

407 sf to 530 cistern

outflow to sidesewer

12,500 gal annually

Estimated capture: 1,283 sf

Raingarden location Cistern Location



**Roof connection Gutter Redirect** 





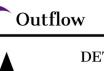












As-built

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#### Outlet Higher than the Inlet

Salida más Alta que la Entrada



Podría causar la inundación del jardín pluvial en un aguacero torrencial

- Digout outlet, reinforce with cobble
   Al cavar la salida, refuerce con piedras/guijarros
- When building a rain garden, always make sure the outlet is according to RainWise specifications

Cuando construya un jardín pluvial, asegúrese de que la salida siempre esté de acuerdo con las especificaciones de RainWise











#### **Buried or Blocked Inlet / Side Sewer**





Entrada Enterrada o Bloqueada

 Possibility of water backing up and flooding

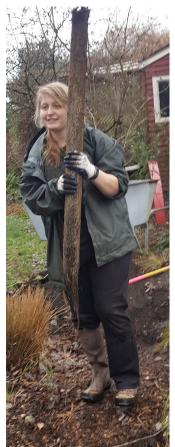
Posibilidad de que el agua se regrese o cause inundación

 When building the rain garden, make sure inlet is plenty exposed and reinforced with cobble

Al construir el jardín pluvial, asegúrese de que la entrada esté bien expuesta y reforzada con piedras/guijarros

Educate homeowners on maintenance

Educar a los propietarios sobre el mantenimiento











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## Thank You!

