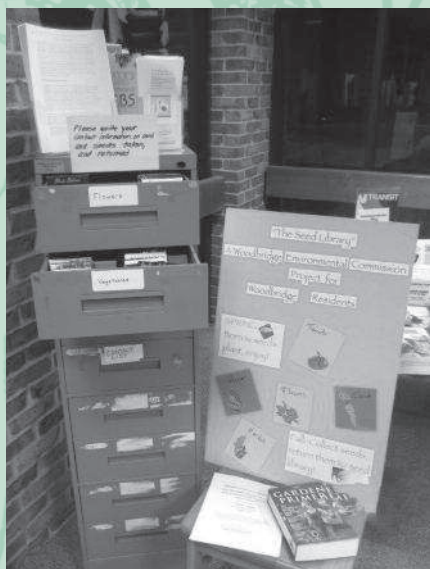


Explore the Seed Library at Fords Library

The Woodbridge Township Environmental Commission's Seed Library has been restocked with a wide variety of vegetable, flower, and herb seeds available FREE of cost. The Seed library operates on the honor system (no library card is required) and is open during regular library hours. Email the Woodbridge Environmental Commission at wbenvironmentalcommission@gmail.com for more information.



Rain Gardens Protect the Environment & Ecosystem

Beautify Your Environment with a Rain Garden

Spring is the best time to start your planting.

Particularly, if you are planting a rain garden - a landscaped, shallow depression that allows rain and melted snow to collect and seep naturally into the ground. Rain gardens work to minimize water runoff into storm drains - runoff that courses throughout a watershed and causes sediment, flooding and damage to shorelines.

With more than 44 inches of rainfall in New Jersey each year, 40 rain gardens in Woodbridge Township - each treating 1,000 square feet of driveway or rooftop runoff - would result in the recharge of more than one million gallons of water per year.



Kennedy Park School rain garden

So, Greenable Woodbridge and the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station of Rutgers University started with the installation of a rain garden outside the Woodbridge Township Health Center. The garden has since become a great source of pride to the Township and a showplace garden of effective rain garden design. And, more recently, students at Kennedy Park School #24 in Iselin created a rain garden in the park area next to the school.



Health Center rain garden