

Paynesville Spring Rain Barrel Sale

Sponsored by the City of Paynesville's Wellhead Protection Committee & Koronis Lake Association

Preserve, Protect, Restore

Pre order yours by April 6th to guarantee your rain barrel for only \$55!

Placing rain barrels alongside your homes and other structures is an easy way to help the environment and reduce your bills. Barrels can capture and store run off flowing from rooftops during rain events that can be used later to irrigate flowers and landscaped areas. As well as, reducing the amounts of water that immediately flows in the storm drains. This cuts down the amount of contact water has with contaminants such as, oil, salt, pesticides, fertilizers, and trash.

Deadline extended to April 22nd for newsletter recipients!! Order yours today! Stock is limited!

To order contact Charlene at 763-682-1933 ext. 122 or at Charlene.brooks@mn.nacdn.net



Pre-Order Yours Today

Features:
Expandable, debris screen, durable, easy assemblage, flat back, & 54 gallons

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Groundwater News

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This is the second in a series of newsletters providing information on drinking water protection. The residents of Paynesville and the surrounding area rely on groundwater for their drinking water supply. A Wellhead Protection Plan was developed by the City of Paynesville to identify potential risks and strategies to manage these risks. Groundwater aquifers in this area are vulnerable to contamination from land use activities on the surface. **Check the map below to determine if your property is included in the Drinking Water Supply Management Area (DWSMA).** In this newsletter we'll highlight how you can participate in the protection of the drinking water aquifer and what programs are available to help you.



Steps YOU can take to protect your drinking water: *Properly dispose of household products such as insecticides, pesticides, paints, used motor oil, etc. Don't pour them on the ground or into storm drains. *Use pesticides and fertilizers sparingly and in the recommend amounts. *Sweep up litter and debris from sidewalks, driveways, and parking lots, especially around storm drains. Compost or mulch yard waste. *Pick up pet waste and dispose of it properly. *Use a commercial car wash that treats or recycles its wastewater, or wash your car on your yard so the water infiltrates into the ground. *Dispose of oil filters, used auto fluids, and batteries at designated drop-off sites or recycling locations. *Don't over-water your lawn. *Use Rain Barrels to capture stormwater runoff from your roof and use to water your lawn.

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