

Rainwater Harvesting

Sponsored by MG and co-hosted by Peoples Grocery, featuring Greywater Action & Brock Dolman of Occidental Arts & Ecology Center and the Water Institute

“Water is Life” is a globally used slogan that captures the critical necessity all living things have for this precious element. And yet, it has been turned into a profit-making commodity which prevents numerous communities from accessing clean water for their health and survival. Now it is even being leveraged against poor communities in the US, violating a fundamental human right and further marginalizing people.

Through this workshop we will talk about **water management** and learn about one step we can take towards becoming stewards of our own water supply again. We will install a simple and effective system to capture & store rainwater that falls on our roofs. This system is low-cost & low-tech and easy to duplicate in many urban settings!



Barrels being installed at MG during permaculture course

Saturday Nov 5, 10am-4pm Located at the California Hotel Garden & Greenhouse

3501 San Pablo Ave., Oakland (enter garden at 35th & Chestnut at the back of the hotel)

What to bring:

- Comfortable clothes & shoes that can get dirty
- Hat in case of sun or drizzle
- Notebook and pencil for drawing & taking notes
- Work gloves (optional)

What you get:

- Lunch!
- Hands-on experience installing water catchment barrels
- Reference materials to take home
- Meet and work along side other community members working for justice & resilience in their communities!

For more information and to reserve your space, please contact Carla M. Perez with Movement Generation at: 510.649.1475 or carla@movementgeneration.org