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NBU's Rain Barrel DIY Workshop Returns to Westside Community Center

New Braunfels, TX — Anyone searching for a straightforward, concrete way to have a positive environmental impact for Earth Day this year can register now for the Rain Barrel DIY Workshop scheduled for Thursday, April 18th, at 4 p.m. at the Westside Community Center. The Center is located at **2932 S. IH-35 Frontage Road**.

Kory Foster and Wyatt Kunde of New Braunfels Utilities (NBU) will lead the workshop and walk participants through the process of creating their own rain barrel.

“The Rain Barrel DIY remains one of our most popular programs throughout the year,” said Outreach Coordinator Jennifer Hernandez. “NBU always does an amazing job leading their programs, so anyone who has been considering making a rain barrel but isn’t sure of the specifics should definitely register, because seats tend to fill up fast.”

Rain Barrel DIY Workshop attendees are required to bring a 32-gallon trashcan (with the lid), and NBU will provide the fixtures and fittings free of charge. Participants should be prepared to follow the step-by-step process with assistance from NBU staff.

Rain barrels capture water from a roof and hold it for later use. Collecting roof runoff in rain barrels reduces the amount of water that flows from your property and is a great way to conserve water. It's also free water for use in your landscape.

Space is limited for this event, and registration is required. Those interested in participating can register online at <https://nbtexas.libcal.com/event/4938723>.

For more information about the Rain Barrel DIY Workshop or to register by phone, call the Westside Community Center at 830-221-4630.

For more information on NBU's water and energy conservation efforts, including NBU's rain barrel rebate, visit www.nbutexas.com/conservation.

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