

Charles County Government

# Getting Started with Your Great American Rain Barrel

Congratulations on ordering your new rain barrel. This resource guide provides online access to installation videos, tips, and frequently asked questions on how to properly install, use, and maintain your rain barrel.

## How Does Using a Rain Barrel Help?

- ✓ Harvest rainwater for landscaping and other non-potable water needs
- ✓ Improve residential storm water management
- ✓ Reduce runoff pollution to streams and rivers
- ✓ Lower your water bill or well consumption



Visit online for great information about your new rain barrel:

**GreatAmericanRainBarrel.com**

- Short, step-by-step installation **videos**
- **Tips** to help care for your rain barrel
- Answers to **frequently asked questions**

**Still have questions?** Great American Rain Barrel provides an online contact form using the link shown above, or feel free to call the Charles County Environmental Resources Division at 301-932-3599.



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