

How to Embrace Water in the Landscape and Promote Biodiversity

Resources from presenter, *Kate Cholakis, Landscape architect*

Town of Greenfield GIS Viewer (Online Map): <https://gis.data.mass.gov/apps/massgis::town-of-greenfield-ma-gis-viewer/explore>

MassMapper (Statewide Maps): <https://maps.massgis.digital.mass.gov/MassMapper/MassMapper.html>

FEMA Maps (Franklin County): <https://msc.fema.gov/portal/home>
_____ **Preliminary Updated maps:** <https://frcog.org/franklin-county-floodplain-maps/>

FEMA Protect your Home from Natural Hazards (including flooding): <https://www.fema.gov/flood-maps/know-your-risk/homeowners/protect-property-brochures>

FEMA Homeowner's Guide to Retrofitting (Flood Protection): https://nchh.org/resource-library/fema_homeowners-guide-to-retrofitting.pdf

Redfin: www.redfin.com

Conway School: www.csld.edu/

_____ **Conway School Residential/Small Site Projects:** <https://csld.edu/real-projects/for-small-sites/>

Ecological Landscape Alliance: www.ecolandscaping.org/

_____ **Eco-Directory:** www.ecolandscaping.org/member-directory/

Montgomery County Rain Gardens Technical Design Manual:

www.montgomerycountymd.gov/DEP/Resources/Files/rainscapes/raingarden/rain-gardens-technical-design-manual.pdf

Montgomery County Permeable Pavement Technical Design Manual:

www.montgomerycountymd.gov/DEP/Resources/Files/rainscapes/perm-paving/permeable-pavement-technical-manual.pdf

Massachusetts Stormwater Solutions for Homeowners Guide: www.mass.gov/info-details/stormwater-solutions-for-homeowners

Native Plant Trust: www.nativeplanttrust.org/

_____ **Garden Plant Finder:** <https://plantfinder.nativeplanttrust.org/Plant-Search>

Wild Seed Project: www.wildseedproject.net

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