

# Greening Up Stormwater Management: Green Infrastructure in Columbia County

September 15<sup>th</sup>, from 8:45AM to 12:30PM  
Roeliff Jansen Community Library community room

8:45-9:00 **Arrival**

9:00-9:10 **Introductions**

9:10-9:40 **Green Infrastructure Overview and Benefits**

Why green infrastructure is important even in rural and agricultural places

**Emily Vail:** Watershed Outreach Specialist, Hudson River Estuary Program

9:40-10:10 **Stormwater Permits and Regulations**

Towns, developers, and everyone else needs to know current regulations

**Barbara Kendall:** Coordinator, Hudson River Watershed Alliance

10:10-11:10 **Tour of Green Infrastructure at the Roeliff Jansen Library**

See the Library's green infrastructure practices

**Steve Tiger:** former head of the building planning committee

11:10-11:30 **Break**

11:30-11:50 **The Economics of Green Infrastructure**

Examples of green infrastructure practices that are cost effective

**Joe Berger:** Berger Engineering and Surveying

11:50-12:20 **Promoting Green Infrastructure in Your Town**

Encouraging green infrastructure through local ordinances and procedures

**Emily Svenson:** Coordinator, Lower Hudson Coalition of Conservation Districts

12:20-12:30 **Questions and Closing**

*Optional*

12:30-1:00 **Streamside Buffers and Green Infrastructure**

Optional walk to a Trees For Tribs riparian restoration site at the Roeliff Jansen Community Park



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