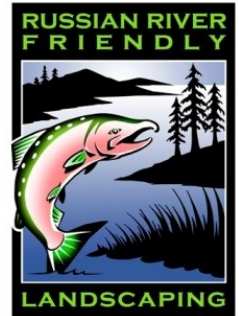


# Russian River Watershed Association Presents: Russian River-Friendly Landscape Guidelines STEWARDED OUR WATER RESOURCES

**Date:** Wednesday, January 28, 2015  
**Time:** 7:30 AM - Noon  
**Location:** City of Santa Rosa Utilities Field Office  
35 Stony Point Road  
Santa Rosa, California  
**Cost:** **FREE - Registration Required**  
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## EVENT PROGRAM:

### 7:30 Check-in, Lite Breakfast, and Table Resources

- Master Gardeners - Mendocino County and Sonoma County
- Sonoma Resource Conservation District (RCD)
- Santa Rosa Junior College (SRJC)
- Qualified Water Efficient Landscaper (QWEL)/Statewide Perspective

### 8:00 Welcome from RRWA and City of Santa Rosa

### 8:15 Regional Water Supply Update

Brad Sherwood, Community and Government Affairs, Sonoma County Water Agency

### 8:30 Guidelines Overview and Update - RRWA Staff

### 9:00 Keynote: Water and Integrated Design

Art Ludwig, Oasis Design

### 10:00 Break

### 10:15 Panel Discussion: Cornerstone Practices for Water Resource Stewardship

Moderator - Susie Dowd Markarian, Susie Dowd Markarian Landscape Designs

- **Creating drought-resistant soils** - Will Bakx, Sonoma Compost, SRJC
- **Growing drought-resistant native and Mediterranean plants** - Kate Frey, Kate Frey Sustainable Gardens
- **Design and manage irrigation according to plant needs** - Kris Loomis, Wyatt Irrigation Supply, Mendocino College
- **Develop alternate supplies** - Christopher Reamer, Go to the Garden
- **Lawn Removal** - Susan Foley, Garden Sense Coordinator, Sonoma County Master Gardeners

### Noon Adjourn

*This event qualifies for Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for QWEL and Bay-Friendly Landscaping, and may also qualify for CEUs for other professional landscape certification.*