



# A RESOURCE LIST TO HELP YOU BE WATER WISE! FROM THE WATER WISE GULF SOUTH TEAM



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## CONTRACTORS

If you are wanting to skip the do-it-yourself method of installing a green infrastructure project, the contractors below will be able to help you. You could even discuss with them doing a portion of the project that requires heavy lifting like the excavation and removal of soil.

### Boines Services, LLC\*

(504) 218-6121  
mboines@aol.com  
[www.boines.net](http://www.boines.net)

### Greenman Dan

(504) 669-5293  
info@greenmandan.com  
[www.greenmandan.com](http://www.greenmandan.com)

### Greenway, LLC

(504) 469-4424  
greenwaylawninc@yahoo.com

### Mastodonte\*

(504) 264-1352  
[www.lamastodonte.com](http://www.lamastodonte.com)

### Built by Ubuntu\*

(504) 434-0529  
builtbyubuntu@gmail.com  
[www.facebook.com/builtbyubuntu](http://www.facebook.com/builtbyubuntu)

## BIORETENTION SOIL

Ask for bioretention soil that is good for drainage. Ideally, you want the sand mixture to be between 70-90% and a mix of other organic materials for the rest (10%-30%).

### Louisiana Mist LLC

(225) 907-4000  
Prairieville, LA

### Rock n Soil

(504) 488-0908  
9119 Airline Hwy,  
New Orleans, LA 70118

### Reliable Soil

(504) 467-1078  
725 Reverend Richard Wilson Dr,  
Kenner, LA 70062

### Delta Sod

(504) 733-0471  
662 Central Ave.  
Jefferson, LA 70121

[www.deltasod.com/sand-soils](http://www.deltasod.com/sand-soils)

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# PERVIOUS FLEXIBLE PIPE WITH SOCK

## Alligator Irrigation Supply, Inc.

(504) 835-8868

3117 26th St.

Metairie, LA 70002

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8 AM - 12 PM Saturday

## Lowe's

May need to order online for delivery at your nearest store.

### Recommended Products:

- [FLEX-Drain 4" x 25' Solid Polypropylene Pipe, Model #52110D](#)
- [Advanced Drainage Systems 4" x 10' Corex Drain Pipe Perforated, Model #04040010](#)
- [Advanced Drainage Systems 4" x 100' Corex Drain Pipe Perforated, Model #04040010](#)
- [Advanced Drainage Systems 4" x 10' 2 Hole Triplewall Pipe, Model #4520010](#)

# PERVIOUS PAVERS

## Home Depot

May need to order online for delivery at your nearest store. Contact WWGS for other pervious paver options.

### Recommended Products:

- [Techno Earth Permeable Plastic Grass Pavers, 19.7" x 19.7" x 1.9". 4 Pieces/11 SF. Model #PAVER00](#)
- [Azek 4" x 8" Waterwheel Composite Permeable Paver Grid System, 8 Pavers and 1 Grid. Model #P048-005](#)

# TOOL & EQUIPMENT RENTAL

Lowe's  
Home Depot

# NATIVE PLANTS

Native Plants for your rain garden, bioswale or stormwater planter box: If you need a list of native plants, you can start with the Water Wise Handbook on page 39.

## Delta Flora Native Plants

(504) 224-8682

2710 Touro St.

New Orleans, LA 70119

[www.facebook.com/deltafloranativeplants/](http://www.facebook.com/deltafloranativeplants/)

## Pelican Greenhouse

(504) 483-9437

2 Celebration Dr.

New Orleans, LA 70124

[www.neworleanscitypark.com/botanical-garden/pelican-greenhouse-plant-sales](http://www.neworleanscitypark.com/botanical-garden/pelican-greenhouse-plant-sales)

## Barber Laboratories

(504) 739-5715

6444 Jefferson Hwy.

Harahan, LA 70123

[www.barberlaboratories.com](http://www.barberlaboratories.com)

## Citrus Trees Nola

504-931-9768

2032 Pasadena Ave.

Metairie, LA 70001

[www.citrustreesnola.com](http://www.citrustreesnola.com)

## Renaissance Gardens

(504) 682-9981

9123 W Judge Perez Dr.

Chalmette, LA 70043

[www.rengardens.com](http://www.rengardens.com)

## 9 Mile Point Nursery

(504) 436-4915

2141 River Rd

Westwego, LA 70094

[www.nine-mile-point-nursery-farms.hub.biz/](http://www.nine-mile-point-nursery-farms.hub.biz/)



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## MULCH

Pine straw mulch is recommended for green infrastructure. Hardwood mulch is okay, if it does not contain cypress. Do not use dyed or rubber mulch.

### Jefferson Feed

*Multiple locations*

[www.jeffersonfeed.com/locations/](http://www.jeffersonfeed.com/locations/)

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## DUMPSTERS

### Vic's Truck Service

*20 cubic yard capacity*

(504) 431-8383

[www.vicstruckserviceinc.com](http://www.vicstruckserviceinc.com)

### Pete's Disposal\*

*10, 15, 20 cubic yard capacity*

(504) 482-6104

[www.petesdisposal.net](http://www.petesdisposal.net)

### IV Waste

*2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, and 30 cubic yard capacities*

(504) 224-6670

[www.ivwaste.com](http://www.ivwaste.com)

## STORMWATER PLANTER BOXES

### Groundwork New Orleans\*

*Steel box*

(504) 256-1336

[info@groundworknola.org](mailto:info@groundworknola.org)

### Rodney Thomas\*

*Concrete box*

(504) 235-2196

## SUPPORT FROM OTHER NONPROFITS

### Urban Conservancy's [Front Yard Initiative](#)

provides technical and limited financial assistance to help residents remove paving and reduce flooding. They also have a [Green Sector Directory](#) that includes additional contractors.

### [SOUL \(Sustaining Our Urban Landscape\)](#)

plants large, native, water-loving trees for free across New Orleans.

### [NOLA Tree Project](#)

does city-wide planting and tree giveaways in the fall and spring

[connie@nolatreeproject.com](mailto:connie@nolatreeproject.com)

## ANTI-RACISM TRAINING & READING

Systemic racism affects many facets of everyday life, including public health, infrastructure and housing.

[Undoing Racism Training: People's Institute for Survival and Beyond](#)

[Anti-Racist Reading list from Elle](#)

[30+ books to educate your children about racism](#)

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# RAIN BARRELS

Water Wise Gulf South works with black owned contractors for building rain barrels and installing them. There is a fee for this service. Call or text us at 504-475-7749. Additionally, you can reach out to:

## **Recharge NOLA**

(504) 867-9414

[www.facebook.com/rechargenola/](http://www.facebook.com/rechargenola/)

## **Greenlight New Orleans**

504-324-2429

[www.greenlightneworleans.org](http://www.greenlightneworleans.org)

## **Groundwork New Orleans\***

(504) 256-1336

info@groundworknola.org

## **Moore's Urban Rain Barrels\***

(504) 513-0479

A guide to building or installing your own rain barrel was created by Recharge NOLA and [can be found here](#). You can get parts from Lowe's, Home Depot, or your local hardware store.

Artists to contact for rain barrel or planter box art:

## **Sarah Cooper**

s.pearlcooper@gmail.com

## **James Alexander\***

(504) 613-7674

comeupkidz@yahoo.com

## **Journey Allen\***

artistjourneyallen@gmail.com

## **Antoine Prince\***

(504) 283-4631



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