

Retain the Rain

Rainwater Harvesting Basics



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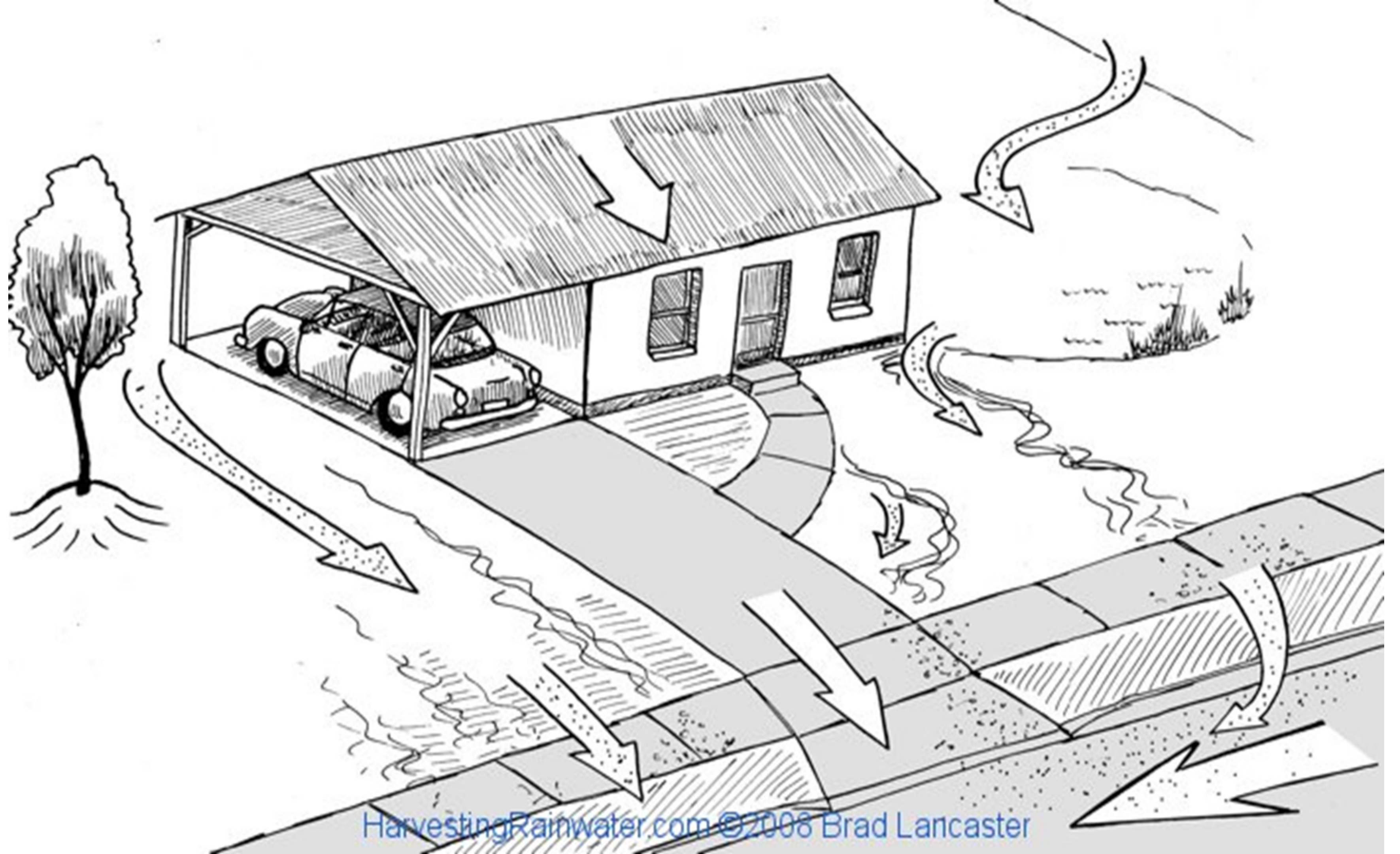


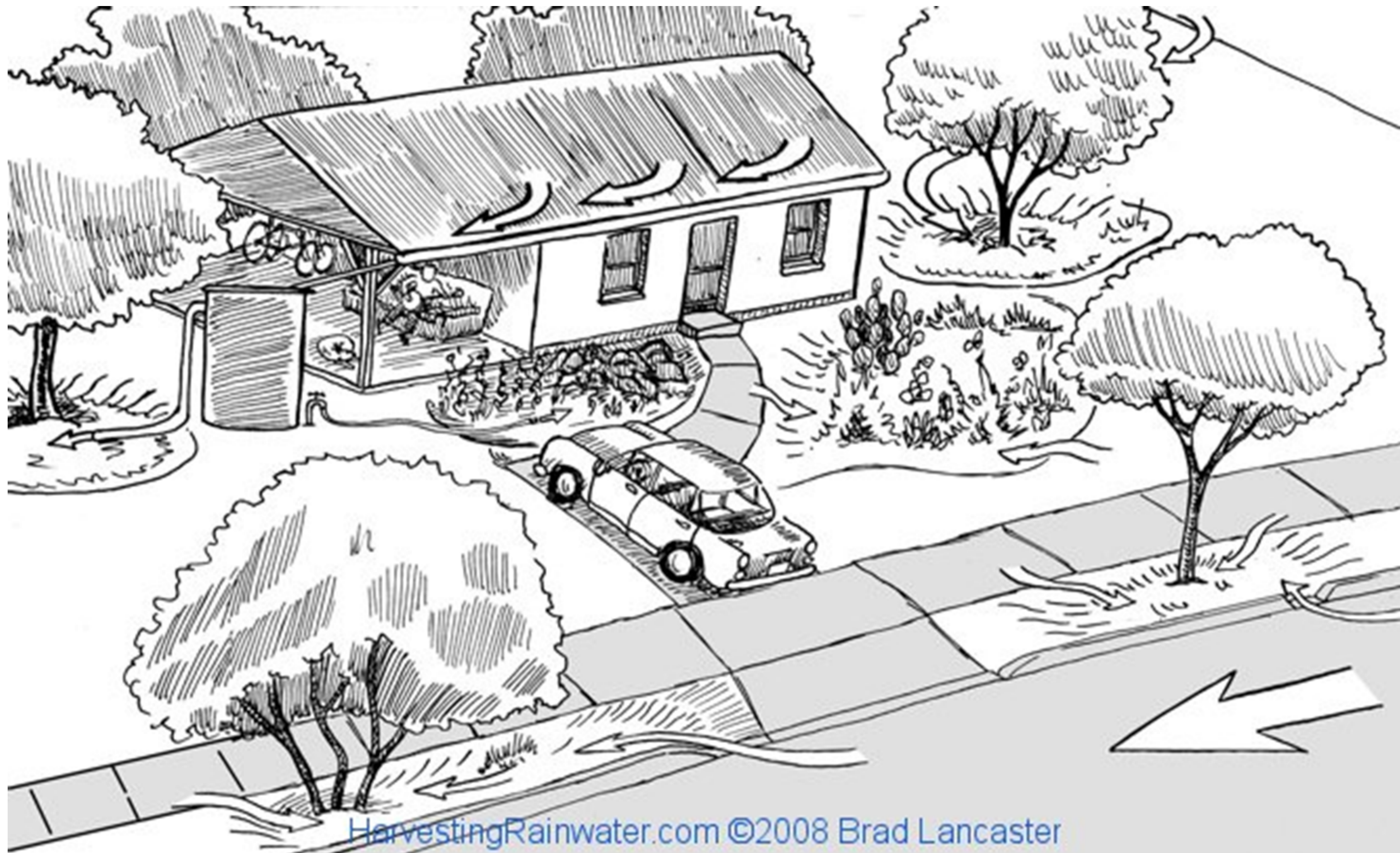
Mission:

Inspire transformative action that creates connected, equitable, and climate-resilient communities.

Values & Principles

Ripples | Be the Change
Reverence | Start with Your Heart
Relations | Nurture Community
Resilience | Persevere with Joy





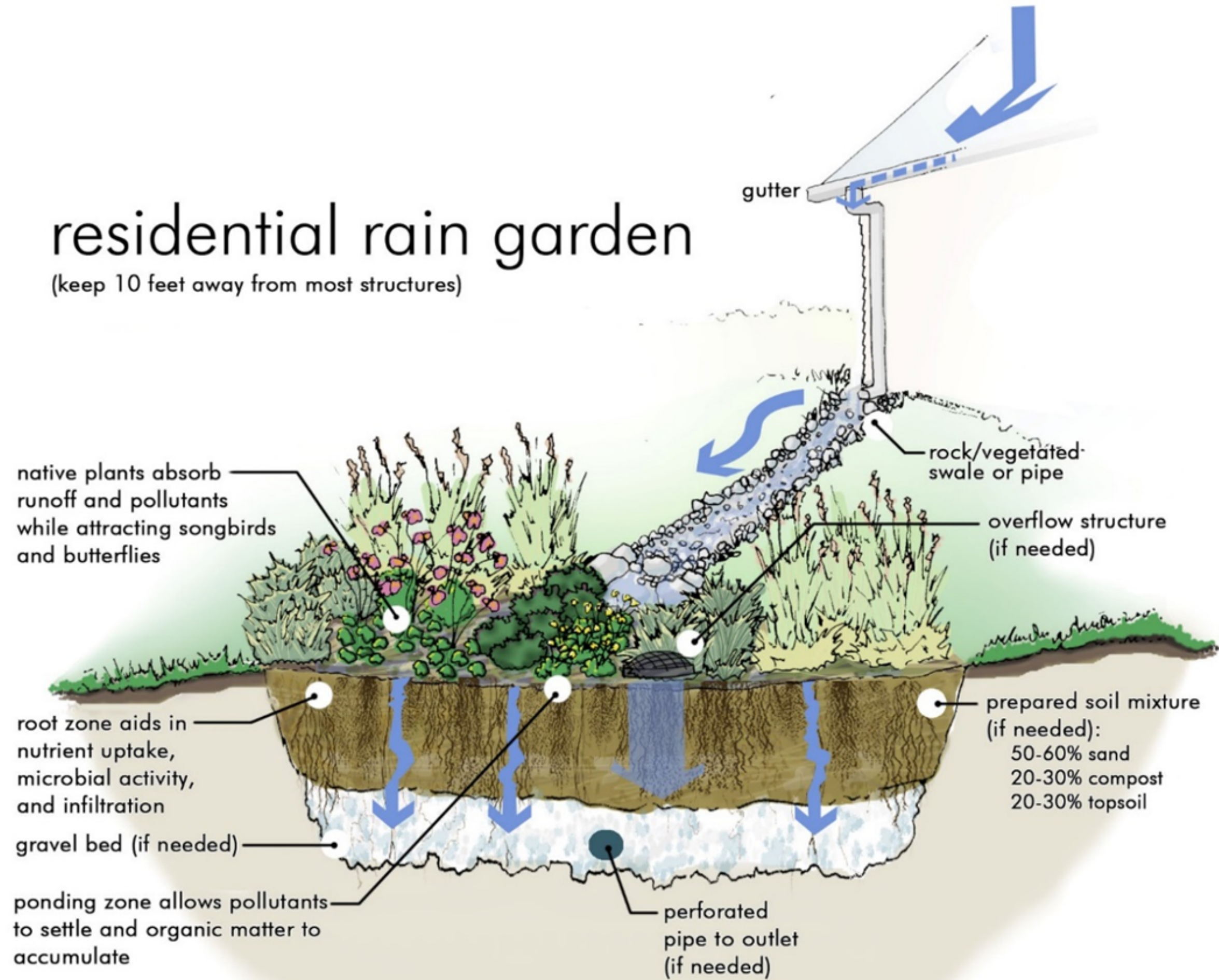
A Drop in the Bucket

- **1in of rainfall on a 1000 square foot roof = at least 600 gallons of water**
- **1in of rainfall on an acre of land = 27,154 gallons**
- **1in of rainfall on Petaluma = about 250 million gallons**
- **1in of rainfall on Sonoma County = about 30.7 billion gallons**
- **1in of rainfall on California = about 2.75 trillion gallons**

We have a water storage issue, not a water shortage issue!

residential rain garden

(keep 10 feet away from most structures)



Rain Gardens



BEFORE

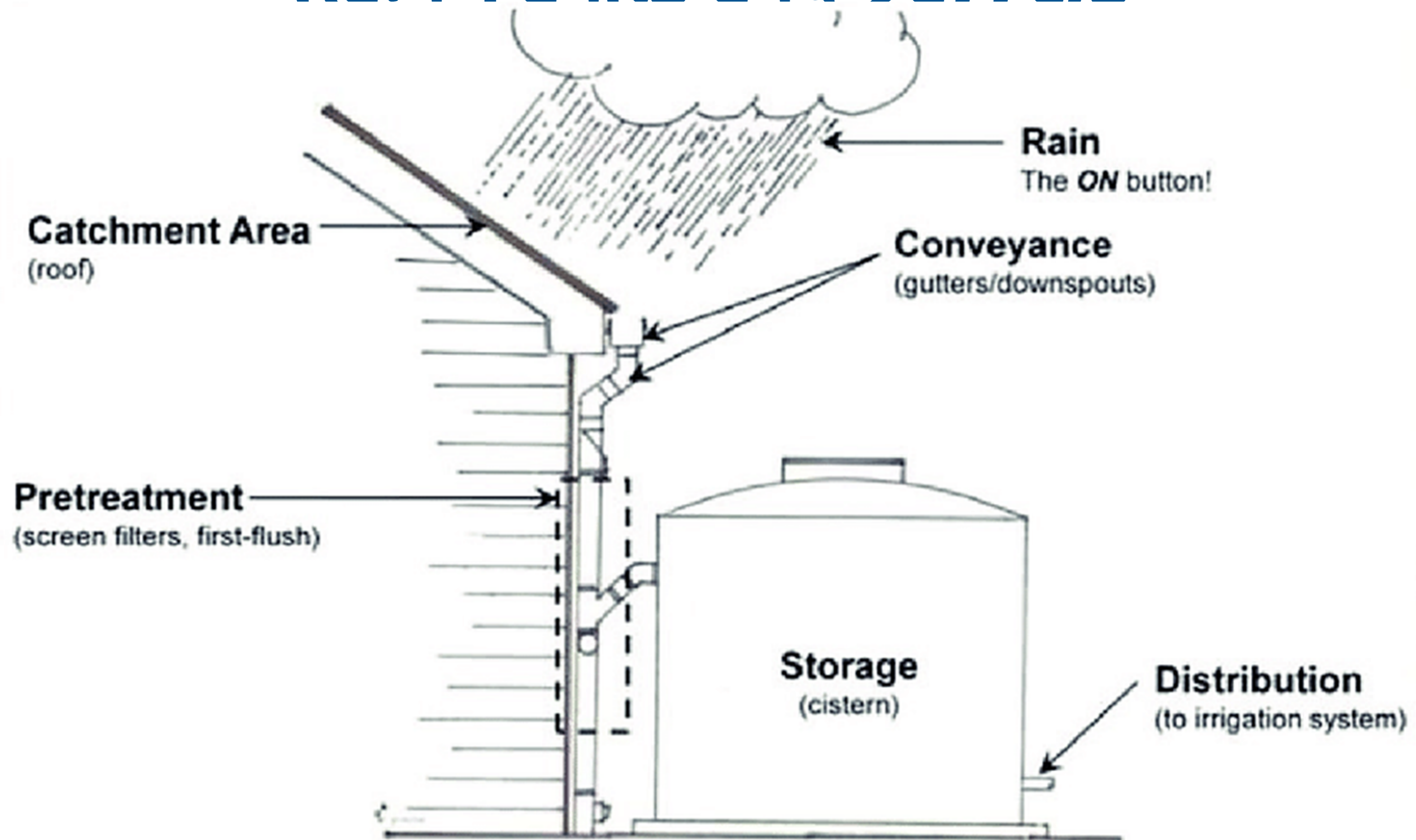


AFTER

Rain Gardens



Rain Tanks and Barrels



Rain Barrels



Rain Totes and Tanks



Rebates

- **COUNTY WIDE: \$0.50/gallon of storage, minimum 100 gallons, up to \$2500 per site**
- **SANTA ROSA: \$0.50/gallon of storage, min. 100gal**
- **HEALDSBURG: \$0.50/gallon of storage, min 50gal, up to \$500 per site**

Need tools? Check out the Santa Rosa Tool Lending Library!

Upcoming Events

FREE WEBINAR
Re-Using the Rain: DIY Rain Barrel Systems
Tuesday, November 1st 5:30pm - 7pm
Register today at srcity.org/workshops

Participants will be entered to win a free rainwater harvesting system!

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SEMINARO WEB GRATUITO
Reutilizando la Lluvia: Sistemas de barriles de lluvia DIY
Martes, 8 de noviembre 5:30pm - 7:pm
Regístrese hoy en srcity.org/workshops

¡Los participantes podrán ganar un sistema de recolección de agua de lluvia!

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visit DailyActs.org for additional resources and webinar recordings