2011 Residential Environmental Program Series.

Xeriscape Programs. Drake Centre, 802 W. Drake Rd.

(Pre-registration is not necessary for these free programs.)

Xeriscape: Beyond the Basics. March 16, 7-9 p.m.

Tanya Fisher, Colorado Vista Landscape Design, will help you understand the process of transforming your landscape into a more sustabinable area. Whether renovating an existing landscape or starting from scratch, learn a few tricks to create an attractive setting and reduce water use and maintenance.

Landscape Design for Water-wise Beauty. March 30, 7-9 p.m.

Loretta Mannix, The Horticulture Consultant, will share basic design principles to help you create a beautiful landscape for year-round enjoyment. Learn about alternative landscaping ideas that reduce lawn area, create useable spaces and enhance visual appeal.

Photo by Anne Clark

The Lowdown on Low Water Plants. April 13, 7-9 p.m.

Landscape designers Anne Clark and Sally Guthart will introduce you to trees, shrubs and perennials for a low water-using landscape. Integrate water-wise plants into your landscape to create seasonal interest and beauty throughout the year.

These classes are recommended prior to participating in a Xeriscape Design Clinic.

For more information, visit fcgov.com/reps, e-mail utilities@fcgov.com, call (970) 221-6700 or TDD (970) 224-6003.

Xeriscape Design Clinics.

Sign up for a private, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -hour session with a landscape design professional and create a xeriscape plan for a portion of your yard. Clinic dates are April 23, 27 and 30. See details at *fcgov.com/designclinics*.

Please help us make this a zero-waste event.



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