Pre-Workshop Seminar:
Advanced Bioretention Design

March 20, 2013, 12:30-4:30, East Campus Union, UNL East Campus

Instructors: Steve Rodie, FASLA, University of Nebraska; Ted Hartsig, CPSS, Olsson Associates; Andy Szatko, City of Omaha

Bioretention gardens are natural stormwater solutions that can be effectively implemented in relatively small areas compared to their associated drainage basins. This best management practice is used to control and treat stormwater runoff where it falls, rather than directing it to the nearest river or lake. Bioretention gardens are efficient in removing pollutants, conserving water, and creating attractive natural amenities for development and construction projects. Bioretention gardens, like their smaller sister rain gardens, are some of the most commonly used stormwater management strategies in urban environments. They are called gardens because, in addition to their intended stormwater function, they can enhance the aesthetic and ecological qualities of project and community landscapes.

This course will provide a detailed review of a variety of advanced bioretention design, installation and maintenance considerations learned through numerous local and regional project experiences. Along with attendance at this course you will receive design guidance documentation.
NOTE: Only 50 Attendees, maximum, for this course.

Register at http://go.unl.edu/stormwaterworkshop

Bioretention pre-workshop (March 20) — $30
Post-construction Stormwater Management Workshop (March 21) — $65

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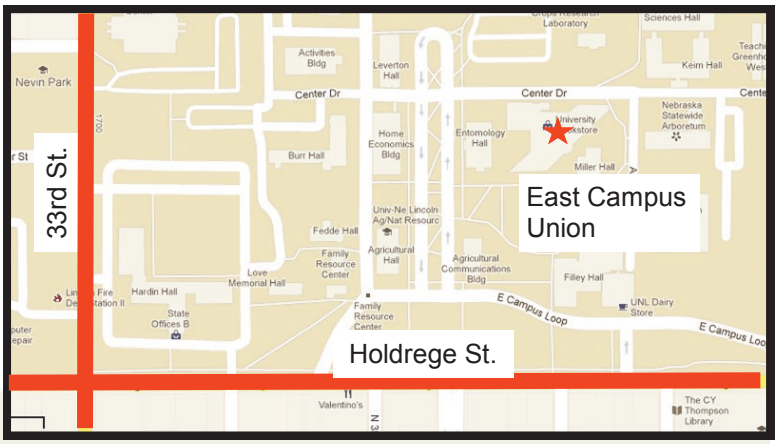

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