

*“Helping Scott County Citizens
Protect and Preserve
our Soil and Water Resources since 1941”*



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Scott SWCD is selling rain barrels this spring; orders must be placed by Friday, April 23



The Scott Soil and Water Conservation District in Jordan has had great response from Scott County residents who are interested in purchasing rain barrels for water conservation on their properties. In response to the interest shown, the Scott SWCD is selling 55-gallon rain barrels for homes and businesses.

The environmental benefits of rain barrels are many:

- Rain barrel-gathered water is not subject to community watering restrictions.
- Rain barrels provide naturally soft water with no additives to irritate your plants.
- You can save money on your water bill.
- This conservation effort reduces water pollution in our rivers and lakes by reducing stormwater runoff.
- You can save money on your sewage treatment bill by decreasing the amount of water going into the sewer system.
- This water-saving effort decreases energy consumption used to treat wastewater and delay building/expanding wastewater treatment plants.

Instructions on placement and use will be provided at the pick-up site. Pre-paid orders for rain barrels must be placed by Friday, April 23. The barrels will come assembled and ready to install and use, with pickup scheduled from 9 to 11 a.m. Saturday, May 1. All orders will include instructions for placement and usage as well as benefits and suggestions for rain-barrel care. Cash or checks will be accepted.

For more information or order forms, contact Diane Hrabe, Communications Specialist, Scott SWCD, 7151 West 190th Street, Suite 125, Jordan MN 55352, or (952) 492-5416. You may also get a copy of the rain barrel order form on the green bar below.