

Dear GEAA members and friends,

This morning I was delighted to read a report from SXSW on GEAA's <u>Community Rain Gardens Project</u>. You can read the report <u>here</u>.

GEAA has been heavily involved for the past eight years in promoting the use of Low Impact Development as a means of improving water quality and enhancing recharge to our aquifers. This spring we will begin working with neighborhoods over the Edwards Aquifer Recharge Zone in Bexar County on eight LID projects. If you are interested in working with us on these pilot projects, please let me know by sending a message to ne at annalisa@aquiferalliance.org.

We are extremely grateful to SXSW for choosing GEAA as one of the five recipients of the <u>SXSW Community Fund Grants</u> reflecting their support for the work GEAA is doing to create better communities.

Perhaps we will see you in Austin next spring at SXSW!

Annalisa Peace Executive Director Greater Edwards Aquifer Alliance

PS. We have lots of great information about LID, including our <u>manual</u>, on our website library under <u>LID and Rainwater Harvesting</u>.

You can always keep up with interesting water news on GEAA's Face Book page

You can donate to GEAA <u>on line</u> or mail a check to PO Box 15618, San Antonio, Texas 78212