

City of Houston—Public Works & Engineering  
**Code Enforcement Green Building Resource Center**



Presents an Education Seminar in partnership with the Texas Gulf Coast Chapter of the US Green Building Council

# Green Roofs, Walls, & Bioswales

**Plants can be very beneficial as we all know.** Green roofs retain storm water, insulate the roof membrane from heat gain, and protect it from ultraviolet degradation to lengthen its' useful life. Not to mention a pleasant view... Green walls are an emerging industry and can be installed indoors and outside using different technologies. Bioswales are a pleasant tool of Low Impact Development to retain and remove pollution from storm water that can range in scale from acreage down to your yard.

Join us to learn about these technologies, the window from a green roof, and look out to



where you will be sitting just inside a demonstration bioswale.

## Speakers.....

- David Batts**, Director, Construction ECO Services
- Mark Illian**, Founder, Nature Healing Nature
- Dr. Donna Pattison**, Professor, University of Houston
- Alison West**, Principal, Cleveland's Flowers & Gardens, LLC

## When.....

Wednesday, September 28, 2016:  
 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
**Free and open to the public**  
**PLEASE RSVP:** [usgbctexasgulfcoast.org](http://usgbctexasgulfcoast.org)  
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 Houston Permitting Center  
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