

Capitol Region Watershed District

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Raingarden Gets the Gold

Capitol Region Watershed District (CRWD) received a 2007 Golden Bloom Award for the beautiful raingarden at Frankson and McKinley Streets in St. Paul. The City of St. Paul and the St. Paul Garden Club presented the 3rd annual awards on January 28th at Como Park Conservatory. One of 95 nominations, and built in cooperation with the St. Paul Department of Public Works, the Frankson-McKinley garden won in the Environmental category which recognizes gardens that reduce negative environmental impacts. CRWD staff and Board Managers Mike Thienes and Marylyn Deneen were on hand to accept the award. John Thomas, a CRWD Stewardship Grant recipient, received a Good Gardener award for the raingarden at his home in the St. Anthony Park neighborhood.



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“Our mission is to protect, manage, and improve the water resources of the Capitol Region Watershed District.”