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Dear alison,

This month CRC traditionally begins marketing and selling our "Garden-In-A-Box" easy to plant xeriscape kits. Comprised of drought-tolerant plants that have been carefully selected by landscape designers, the "Garden-In-A-Box" is a product that underscores the strengths of CRC: it saves water, it's beautiful and economical. We've had long-standing partnerships with local municipalities to promote this product, and each year sales have sold out due to their popularity. This year, we will continue with the municipality-promoted sales, but we are also opening up the purchase of Garden-In-A-Box to residents throughout the Front Range. While the phrase "triple bottom line" might be becoming a little threadbare from overuse, CRC's "Garden-In-A-Box" is a perfect illustration of this approach. Sales of this product result in a clear environmental benefit in terms of water saved, an economic benefit in that it is affordably priced and revenues generated from the sale enable us to continue to offer it to what will be an ever-expanding clientele. The more we sell, the more the CRC, the environment and homeowners benefit.

Sincerely,

Keith Frausto, Executive Director

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Three Garden-In-A-Box designs make xeriscape gardening easy for you!

Water Conservation the CRC way...Easy, Affordable and Fun!

- Announcing three top 2011 xeriscape garden collections
- Professionally designed by experts
- Plants chosen for Colorado's arid dry conditions
- Beautiful colors and textures; plants require less water

Sale Starting March 1st

Imagine Our Communities Saving Over "One Million" Gallons of Water in 2011



- Save money on your monthly utilities
- CRC provides all the basics you need
- Conserve water, time and money
- Convenient local Saturday pickups in May

Upcoming Events

Boulder Independent Business Alliance (BIBA) Party Thursday, February 10 from 4:30 - 6pm at Boulder Outlook Hotel

Transition Colorado film series and seminars

9th Annual CRC Earth Day 5k Run/Walk Sunday, May 1st. [Register here today!](#)



CRC Websites

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Trees Across Boulder

Water Conservation the CRC way...Easy,Affordable and Fun!

- Announcing 8 select trees for Boulder
- Chosen by the Urban Forestry Department
- Available as 5-10 foot saplings
- Reasonably priced at \$50 each

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"One Million" Gallons of Water in 2011



Trees available for 2011

American Yellowwood	"Cleveland Select" Pear
Bur Oak	Northern Catalpa
Common Hackberry	Red Oak
Coral Burst Crabapple	Ruby Red Horsechestnut

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Energy 101 Workshops



CRC's Energy Division will be coordinating "Energy 101" workshops for community groups in Boulder County this year. These workshops will help homeowners understand their energy use and how they can take advantage of Boulder County's new residential energy efficiency service EnergySmart

<http://energysmartyes.com/>

If your community group is interested in scheduling a workshop, please contact Beth Beckel bbeckel@bouldercounty.org or 720.564.2720.

ReSource Fort Collins Video



Check out this YouTube video showing the reuse and repurposing of reclaimed building materials. This video features ReSource Fort Collins. A special thanks to the City of Fort Collins for their production work and support. [Click here](#) to see Used, But Not Used Up.

5k Run/Walk Registration Now Open Race set for Sunday, May 1

Come celebrate your commitment to conserving resources by



joining in the fun of the CRC's Earth Day 5k run/walk presented by Whole Foods. Bring your friends, family-and KIDS to the University of Colorado Environmental Center for this fun, flat and fast 5k. This race is also a Bolder Boulder qualifier! The run

starts at 10 am and this year will also feature a fun-run for the KIDS. 100% of proceeds from this event will support CRC efforts to empower citizens to conserve our natural

resources. (Earth Day activities in Boulder will be celebrated on Sunday, May 1st. The CRC is committed to being a community leader in these events and is happy to hold our event in conjunction with those activities!) **To learn more or register, go to our website www.conservationcenter.org or visit or race link on active.com

Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities are still available. For more info, contact [Doug Yetman](#).

Center for ReSource Conservation's Mission To empower our community to conserve natural resources.

Center for ReSource Conservation's Vision
A thriving community that understands the finite nature of natural resources and acts to conserve them.

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