



Partners for A Clean Environment (PACE) is an environmental education and recognition program for Boulder County businesses. Beginning in 2003, the PACE Certification in Sustainable Landscaping program became available. Many companies currently hold PACE certification. A few of these are:

- Redwood Landscaping
- Water Carriers Inc.
- Ingrid's Landscape Design
- Nature's Design
- Mountain Meadow Design
- Garden Nurse Design

This Landscaping Conference is part of the required training. Along with another short course, exam and a brief summary each year are required for the certification. Many of the PACE guidelines are based on current sustainable practices. Why should you become PACE certified? Because the PACE program will promote those businesses that are "green" and it will be promoted by the Boulder County Public Health, Cities of Boulder and Longmont and Boulder Chamber of Commerce.

The 2009 Green Industry Sustainable Landscape Conference is a cooperative effort. Partners for this course include:

- PACE program
- City of Boulder Parks and Recreation
- City of Boulder Water Conservation
- Colorado State University Extension
- Associated Landscape Contractors of Colorado (ALCC)
- Green Industry Advisory Committee

*Colorado Master Gardeners of  
Boulder County*

### **Zero Waste Event**

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Extension programs are available to all  
without discrimination



## 2009 SUSTAINABLE LANDSCAPING CONFERENCE

**Colorado  
State  
University**

# Extension

*Eighth Annual Short Course*

Saturday, March 7, 2009

8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Boulder County Fairgrounds

Barn A

Longmont, Colorado

(New Location)



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

8:00 - 8:30	<b>Registration/Coffee/Snacks</b>
8:30 - 9:30	<b><u>Carol O'Meara</u></b> – A local Extension expert helps you understand the various organic products on the market today for use in landscapes and gardens
9:30 - 10:30	<b><u>Pat Hayward</u></b> – Executive Director of the Plant Select program discusses how the program can help you create a sustainable landscape
10:30 - 10:45	<b>Morning Break</b>
10:45 - 11:45	<b><u>Kip Nash</u></b> – A local innovator discusses his plan for growing food crops in urban landscapes
11:45 - 12:45	<b>Lunch</b>
12:45 - 1:45	<b><u>Sheri Leyshon</u></b> – Director of the Boulder Fruit Tree Project talks about how we can reduce waste and create food in our landscapes
1:45 - 2:45	<b><u>Mark Fusco</u></b> – Denver Botanic Garden expert talks about 'green roofs' for the Front Range
2:45 - 3:00	<b>Afternoon Break</b>
3:00 - 4:00	<b><u>Whitney Cranshaw</u></b> – Renowned C.S.U. professor talks about how we can sustain native plants and their pollinators through our landscape practices.
4:00 - 5:00	<b><u>Brenda O'Brien / Keith Williamson</u></b> – Introduce the GreenCo "Best Management Practices" guidelines and how they can be used.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Cost:

\$ 55 postmarked by February 27th,

Late registration: \$ 65

Cost Includes:

- ◊ **Gourmet Catered Lunch Buffet**  
(With delicious selections available for vegetarians and non-vegetarians)

*Mail Registration with*

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