

March Updates



Global Greening (Cairo, Egypt):

DC Greenworks is thrilled to take our message of urban sustainable development international in our first ever overseas partnership! DC Greenworks will partner with the U.S. Forest Service to provide technical guidance to the Desert Development Center of the American University in Cairo as they develop a model for rooftop gardens in the region. Cairo is one of the most densely populated cities in the world and offers few urban green spaces. Cairenes enjoy their rooftops for entertaining and relaxation. With rising food prices and transportation costs, rooftop gardens offer a local and nutritious alternative.

Read more about the current status of green infrastructure in Egypt here...

<http://thinkafricapress.com/egypt/new-roof-top-revolution-emerges>



Clean Schools, Clean Rivers:



DC Greenworks is the proud recipient of our second two-year grant from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation's Chesapeake Bay Small Watershed Program. Throughout January and February, we have been busy touring the campuses of Maury Elementary, Eliot-Hine Middle School, and Eastern High School with faculty and staff. Together, we have created an exciting list of greening projects to break ground this Spring! We look forward to keeping you updated on our progress as we green-up these Capital Hill schools.

Tune into DC Greenworks on WAMU:

Throughout the month of February and March, you can hear Executive Director, Peter Ensign, when you tune into WAMU. This month's Community Minute discusses DC Greenwork's wonderful rooftop garden project at [Bread for the City](#).

Listen here...

http://wamu.org/community/13/01/31/community_minute_creating_green_industry_in_dc

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Peter Ensign
Executive Director, DC Greenworks

