



DC Greenworks, 1341 H Street NE, Suite 203, Washington, DC 20002

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growing livable communities using living materials



Family Dollar Store Installation

DC Greenworks, installed a sizable greenroof atop the Family Dollar store at 1121 H Street NE on January 17, 18, and 19, with volunteers from STRIVE DC, Greater DC Cares, and DC Net Impact among other local organizations.

The Neighborhood Investment Fund provided the dollars for this and other green roof projects on H Street, NE through the Deputy Mayor's Office of Planning and Economic Development. Known as "greeNEr," these projects benefit the community economically and socially as well as environmentally.

"We are thrilled to be constructing a green roof for neighbors a block away on their fifty-year-old building. These retrofit projects take time to reach this stage. Now the heavy lifting begins with the coming together of volunteers from across the city," said Peter Ensign, Executive Director of DC Greenworks. "Here is yet another reason to come to H Street NE, where transportation and economic development are driving a cultural and entrepreneurial renaissance in a once-neglected stretch of town."



Upcoming Events

- *American University Ward Circle Building and Mary Graydon Center March 5-13*
- *W Street residential green roof installation*



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practices in the green roof and wall industry:

1. Expert Sessions will provide you with the knowledge to build and grow your business while deriving maximum economic performance from latest technologies and green job potential.

2. Green Roof Professional (GRP) Training will provide ongoing professional development courses and accreditation, helping you stay on the leading edge of the industry.

3. Advanced Green Roof Maintenance is a new half day course taught by industry experts from across North America that is being offered for the very first time in Washington.

4. Networking Opportunities will abound as you meet with many leading organizations in the green roof and wall industry who will be exhibiting on the trade show floor.

5. Federal Agency Representatives will be in attendance providing you with an opportunity to make valuable contacts amongst this important target group.

Don't miss out on attending this exciting conference - To register or for a full agenda and further information, visit:

[the conference website](#)



View of plant materials from the roof



Setting the perimeter

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Now more than ever, your donation will support our



Volunteers finish installation and insert metal edging



Some of our excellent volunteers on a very cold day!



expanding efforts. Please go to www.dcgreenworks.org to make a donation!

*** A gift of \$5,000.00 will help us buy another truck for our expanding workload.**

* A gift of \$2,500.00 will enable a staff member to get certification as a Green Roof Professional.

*** A gift of \$1,000.00 will send Peter to Vancouver, BC for CitiesAlive 2010.**

* A gift of \$500.00 purchases all of the green roof plants for a typical rowhouse installation.

*** A gift of \$250.00 provides ongoing educational sessions for Stanton Elementary students and maintenance for their site.**

* A gift of \$100.00 funds the installation of a rain barrel.

* A gift of \$50.00 outfits a volunteer for a green roof training experience.

* A gift of \$25.00 provides a shovel, trowel and gloves to a community gardener.

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Want to Volunteer?

Become a DC Greenworks volunteer in the office or in the field and receive a recycled-content t-shirt. Please e-mail volunteer@dcgreenworks.org

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