Share the Inspiration!

For twenty-five years, the Xeriscape Demonstration Garden at Mesa Road has inspired visitors to create beautiful, livable landscapes while saving water. This year, we invite your group to inspire others. Bring your members to explore two acres of water wise plants and landscapes, soak up the surroundings, and launch your own conservation project or program.

**Are you a writing, filmmaking, photography or composing group?**

- Challenge your members to design a project about the garden and its mission.

**Are you a plein air painting or sketching group?**

- Organize a paint-out or sketch-out day in the garden.

**Are you a dance group, meditation group or yoga studio?**

- Hold a class in the garden. There are several lawn and seating areas.

**Are you a youth organization or senior group?**

- Schedule a “Water Smart Plants” program, which includes an overview of our water system plus a Xeriscape Garden tour. Available to groups of 20 or more.

**Are you a civic non-profit organization?**

- Invite your membership to learn more about conservation through the free classes held at the Conservation and Environmental Center

Help spread the word about this important community resource, and we’ll help promote your event. Follow the Friends of the Mesa Road Garden on Facebook and post your group’s visit or project.

For information on classes, volunteering, and garden tours, visit csu.org or contact the Conservation and Environmental Center at 719-668-8232.

**Colorado Springs Utilities**  
**Xeriscape Demonstration Garden**  
2855 Mesa Road, Colorado Springs  
Directions: From Interstate 25, take the Fillmore Street exit and proceed west to Mesa Road. Turn north on Mesa Road. The Xeriscape Demonstration Garden is one-half mile on the right. The garden is always free and open to the public. The lobby, where you can get additional information and assistance, is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.