



*The Essex County Environmental Center is an inspiring resource for all ages. Learning about nature and our environment is a life-long process and one that is continually filled with wonder. Whether you join us for a walk in the woods, a skills-based workshop, or for yoga, we look forward to your visit at the Environmental Center.*

*Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr.*

**Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr., Essex County Executive  
And The Board of Chosen Freeholders  
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**ESSEX COUNTY  
PARK SYSTEM**



# Intro to Permaculture Design

*Learn the basics of Permaculture Design (ethics, principles, methods and practices) to be applied and integrated into design solutions for food, water, shelter and community-building (in hands-on classes and real-life projects offered in the certification course). Starting with the three ethics of Earth Care, People Care and Fair Share (distribution of surplus), this course covers the practical realities of the damaged ecosystem in our bioregion and worldwide, and will offer a hopeful view of the future with permaculture design solutions for local regeneration and renewal. Learn how you can contribute to reversing global warming with soil, plant and water solutions for the diverse landscapes of New Jersey.*



**Instructor: Wanda Knapik**

Wanda has been teaching permaculture design for 10 years. She uses the principles and practices in her ecological design business, implementing food and water solutions in NJ and NY. She also teaches at Seton Hall University, where she designed and built an outdoor classroom that is an organic vegetable, herb, fruit and flower garden. She connects students of all ages with nature, from middle school, high school and college students, to retirees, inspiring them to respect the web of life and regenerate urban and suburban landscapes.

## PROGRAM DETAILS

**Fee: \$60 for three classes held on Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> from 11:30am to 1:30pm  
(The 6 hours can be counted toward a 72-hour Permaculture Design Certificate program.)**



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Pre-registration and advance payment are required. Please make checks payable to "Essex County Parks."  
Cash, check, money orders and credit cards also accepted.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*Registration is recorded in the order in which it is received. You will receive confirmation regarding your status in the program.  
Please cut and return this section along with your payment (check, cash or money order).*

*There are no refunds or credits for missed classes. Thank you!*