

Honolulu Board of Water Supply

Media Advisory



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CHEMICAL-FREE INSECT & PEST TRAPS *Halawa Xeriscape Garden Workshop*

WHAT: The Board of Water Supply (BWS) and Friends of Halawa Xeriscape Garden (FOHXG) offer an out-of-the-box solution for pest control in outdoor spaces. Controlling unwanted insects without the use of chemicals is a fun, organic method which supports healthy plants and a healthy planet. Participants will be introduced to chemical free techniques that will change the way they garden!



WHEN: Saturday, April 23, 2016
10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

WHERE: Halawa Xeriscape Garden
99-1268 Iwaena Street
Halawa Valley's Central Park Industrial Area

COST: \$5.00 per person, (Free to Supporting, Corporate and Lifetime FOHXG members).

DETAILS: This informative workshop introduces you to Integrated Pest Management (IPM) techniques, companion planting, and how to make creative pest traps from repurposed materials found at home. Homeowners who apply these techniques will minimize contaminating the environment. Participants will make a mosquito or white fly trap to take home. **All participants are required to supply a plastic liter bottle for the workshop.**

REGISTER: **Advanced Registration is Required.** Registration opens on Tuesday, April 5, 2016, and closes at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, April 22, 2016, or when all spaces are filled. Call 748-5320 or email workshops@hbws.org to register. For more information about xeriscaping or classes at the Halawa Xeriscape Garden, log on to www.boardofwatersupply.com. BWS security requires full name and address of all participants.

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