

Eco-Friendly Outdoor Spaces



From no to low-cost options all the way to larger investments, these eco-friendly ideas can help you transform your outdoor space. Every change you make is meaningful, so get creative!



No or Low-Cost

- Upcycle containers by using old food tins, coffee cans, or old tires as planters.
- Place containers under eaves to collect rainwater to water your plants with.
- Repurpose unused wood into garden furniture, pet homes, or compost bins.
- Make your own bird bath with an upturned terracotta pot and saucer.

Budget-Friendly

- Plant drought-resistant seeds and grow native wildflowers or herbs from seed.
- Install gravel paths with recycled construction materials or locally sourced stones.
- Repurpose a metal tub or basin for a DIY water feature. Add a solar bubbler.
- Refresh existing fences or furniture with eco-friendly paint.

Moderate Upgrades

- Add permeable paving with recycled concrete or gravel from local sources.
- Install simple solar-powered LED lighting along walkways and at entries.
- Create privacy and encourage wildlife by planting native shrubs and trees.
- Replace the ground cover in your planter with organic mulch.

Large Investments

- Xeriscape landscaping to replace grass with drought-tolerant plants and rocks.
- Buy sustainable or recycled-material outdoor furniture.
- Choose saltwater over chlorine for your pool to reduce chemical spread.
- Build a living garden wall with native and non-invasive vegetation.



Ready to learn how these changes impact the value of your home? Call me today!