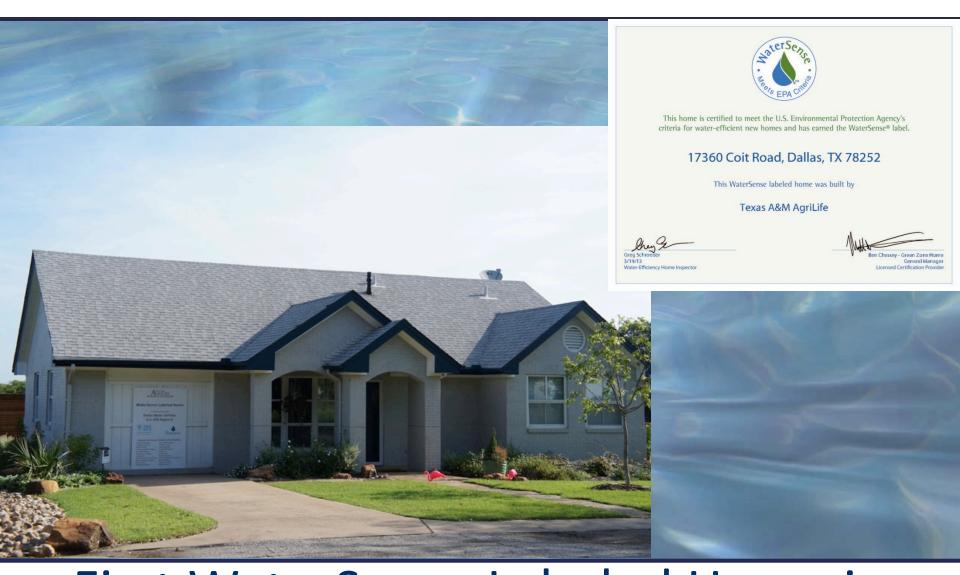
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The Retro-Fit WaterSense Labeled Home Classroom





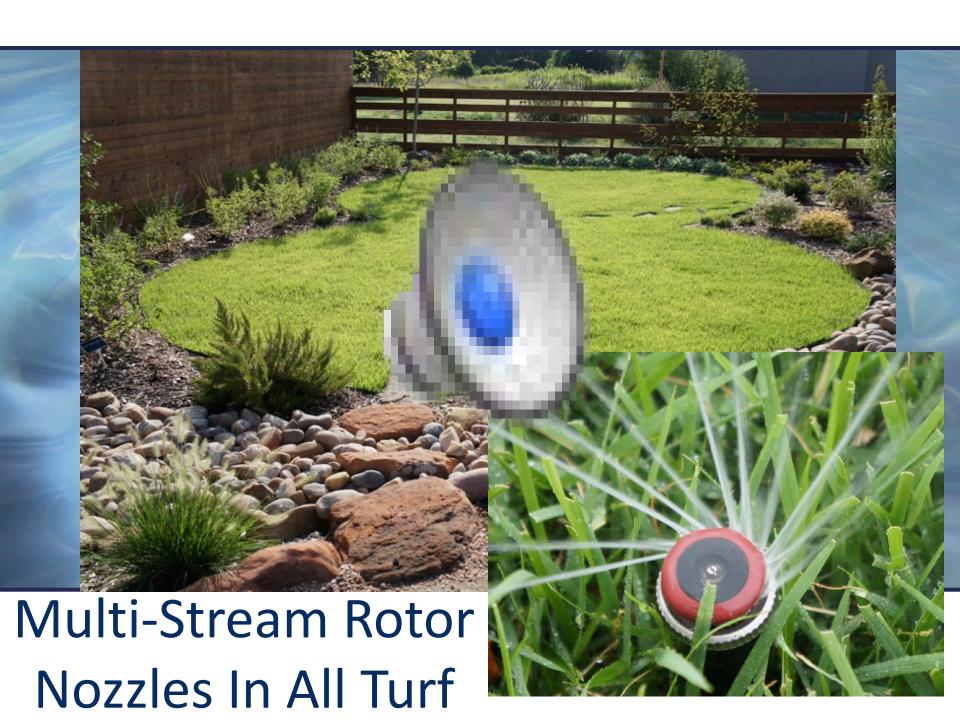
First WaterSense Labeled Home in Dallas Fort Worth

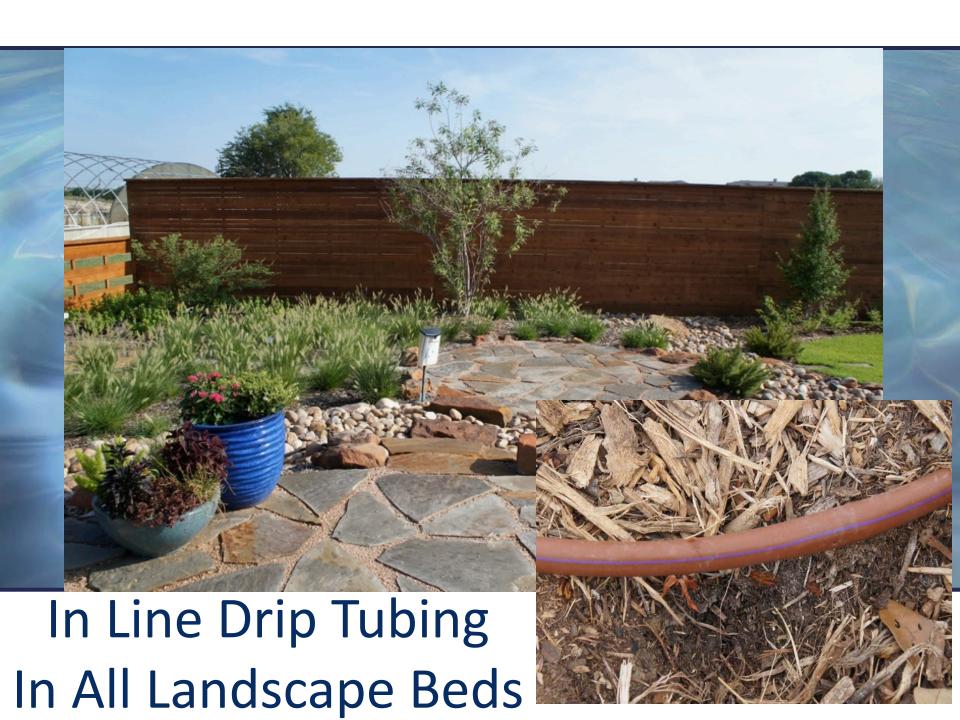




- 30% Turf
- 40% Planted Beds
- 30% Hardscape
- All Native and Adaptive Plant Material
- Multi-Stream Rotors
- Inline Drip Irrigation
- ET Controller with Rain/Freeze Sensor

Landscape and Irrigation









Plant Selection and Design

- -Native & Adaptive Plants
- -Pervious Surfaces

Traditional North Texas Landscape

- Would use 25,000 gal/month
- WaterSense Labeled Homes
 - Landscape utilizes 64% less water
 - Irrigation system 90% more efficient
 - 1,000 gallon rainwater harvesting tank should provide all landscape irrigation needs once established
 - Savings of \$800 a year

Water Savings

101 Landscape Basics
102 Lawn Care Maintenance
103 Trees For North Texas
104 Container Gardening
105 Sprinkler System Basics
106 Drip Irrigation DIY
107 Saving from a Rainy Day-Rain Barrel
108 Rainwater Harvesting-Large System
109 Rain Gardens
110 The Edible Front Yard

Water University

- 16 Classes
- 20 Group Tours
- 2,600 Visitors
- Audiences
 - Homeowners
 - Professional (irrigators, landscape architects, engineers, horticulturalist, Master Gardeners, Designers, etc.)

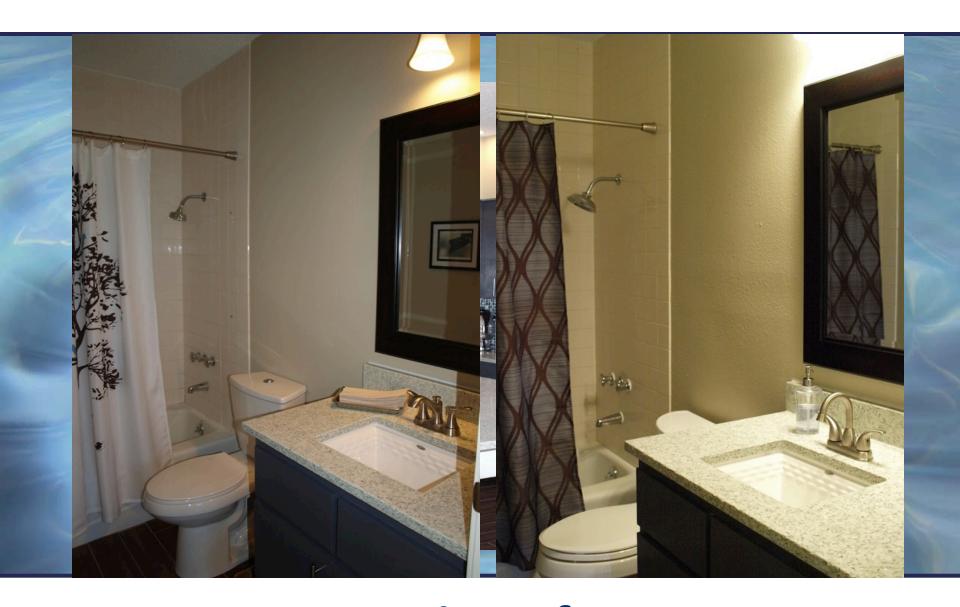
Participants

- 94 % of participants said they would adopt a water efficiency practice
- 75 % increase in knowledge gain by participants
- 100% said that the hands on experience increased there understanding or the practices being asked of them to implement

Effectiveness



Interior Before



Interior After



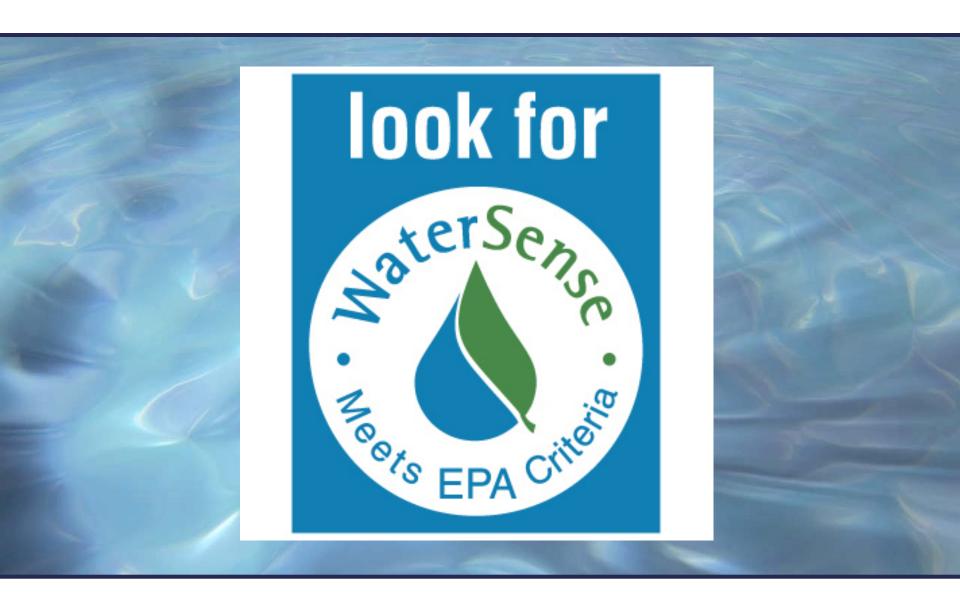
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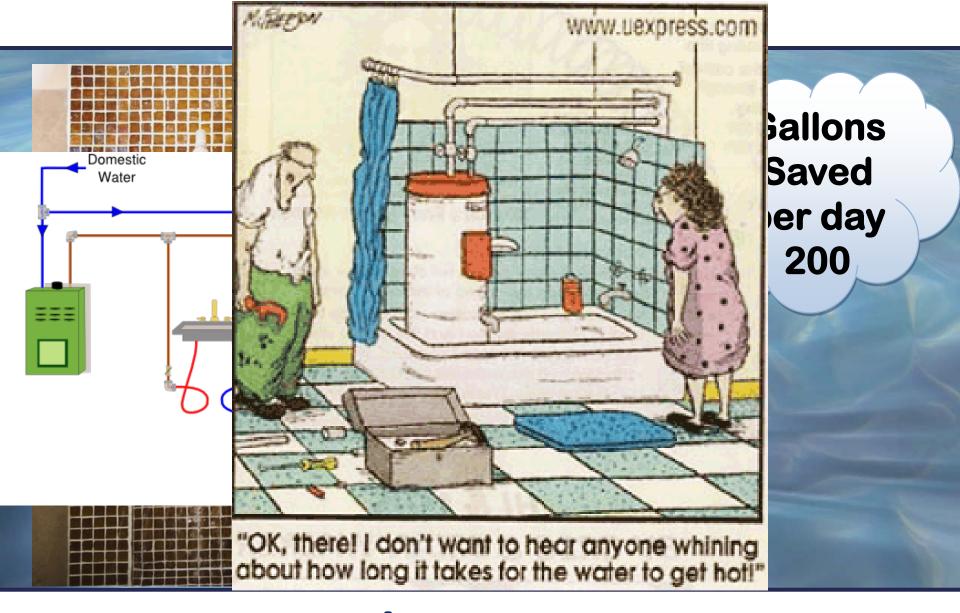


Bathroom Faucets



Dual Flush Toilets





On Demand Hot Water System



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