

## PRACTICES FOR HEALTHY SOIL & CLIMATE

- **Increase Soil Organic Matter**
- **Use Compost, Not Chemicals**
- **Maximize Living Roots**
- **Minimize Soil Disturbance**
- **Keep Soil Covered**
- **Increase Plant Diversity**
- **Practice Judicious Water Use**
- **Reduce Energy**

*Let's Help the Earth Sequester Carbon!*



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