



Geauga Soil and Water  
Conservation District

# 2019 Rain Barrel Yard Art Campaign

Since 2006 Geauga Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) has been sponsoring its Rain Barrel Yard Art Campaign. Through this creative community initiative, local artists transform 55-gallon recycled plastic barrels into beautiful, repurposed rain barrels! By collecting rooftop runoff for watering landscapes, lawns, and flower gardens, these decorated rain barrels help save water, alleviate flooding, and reduce stormwater pollution.

Four talented Geauga County artists have each painted a barrel that uniquely reflects Geauga County's natural, cultural, agricultural, or historical resources. Rain barrels will be displayed at the Geauga SWCD office and the Geauga County Fair and are available for bidding at these locations or on our website until Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup>. **Minimum bids start at \$90. Be sure to check current bid amount for barrels prior to submitting a bid!** For more information visit [geaugaswcd.com](http://geaugaswcd.com) or call 440-834-1122.



*Summer Blossoms*  
by Yvonne Delgado Thomas



*Wondrous Waters*  
by Bob Kolcum



*2K19 Fest*  
by Byron Leffler



*Nature's Kidneys*  
by Nimue Shive

**We sincerely thank the artists for their generosity and Ken's Auto Body, Inc. in Troy Township for protecting the barrels with clear sealant. Proceeds support the District's education programs.**