

**Media Release**

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**Bedrock Industries, makers of recycled-glass products,  
now offers plants and gardening workshops at its retail facility in Seattle**

Bedrock Industries, which produces an array of earth-friendly glass, gift and garden products, is ushering in spring with “glass and green.”

The company announces a new partnership with the award-winning Fremont Gardens to sell plants and trees at the Stoneyard (Bedrock’s factory outlet) in Seattle, Wash. In addition, the Stoneyard will be the site of monthly gardening clinics offered by the King County Master Gardeners program. The first clinic on “Natural Lawn Care/Ground Cover as Lawn Alternatives” will be held Sat., May 1, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. The clinics will continue on the first Saturday of each month through October.

“We are pleased to be able to provide more gardening products and services at the Stoneyard,” says Keith Everett, chief executive officer, Bedrock Industries. “The beautiful plants and trees provided by Fremont Gardens make the perfect complement to the earth-friendly products Bedrock makes from recycled glass. Together, we hope to provide glass-and-green installations that will delight and inspire gardeners throughout the area.”

The Stoneyard carries a distinctive selection of home and garden products handcrafted from 100 percent recycled glass. Visitors can buy tile overruns and seconds, glass plant markers, crushed glass for flower beds and garden paths, and a wide range of gift items. The Stoneyard also carries rock by the pound or by the pallet, concrete statuary, stone slabs and other outdoor products. With the addition of plants and trees from Fremont Gardens, the Stoneyard becomes a one-stop shop for the discriminating gardener, home decorator and outdoor aficionado.

For more than a decade, Bedrock Industries has handcrafted tiles and other products from recycled glass. Its glass tiles, sold under the brand name Blazestone, are valued by designers and architects nationwide for their distinctive, rich hues. Available in more than 20 colors, Blazestone tiles are perfect for hot tub and pool surrounds as well as kitchen and bathroom use. Last year, Blazestone was selected as one of the top 100 design objects by *Metropolitan Home* magazine.

Bedrock gets its glass from bottles recycled through curbside collection programs, the company’s own bottle drive, and scrap glass salvaged from commercial enterprises, such as window and stained-glass manufacturers. The company recycles more than 100,000 pounds of glass annually.

Because of its commitment to using recycled glass, Bedrock was selected in 2002 to participate in LinkUp, a program sponsored by King County’s Solid Waste Division. Through LinkUp, King County hopes to expand markets for glass by encouraging manufacturers like Bedrock to use more recycled glass and by increasing consumer awareness of recycled-glass products.

For more information on Bedrock Industries, call 206-283-7625 or visit [www.bedrockindustries.com](http://www.bedrockindustries.com). The Stoneyard is open Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m., and Sunday, noon – 5 p.m., at 1401 West Garfield, Seattle, Wash.

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