



GARDEN GUARDIANS OF THE BAY

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Garden Guardians of the Bay will save the day - protecting Geographe Bay for all of us.

Composted manures slowly release nutrients and improve the soil. The nutrients are in a form that plants easily take up. Fresh manures can burn roots and introduce weeds and disease, so pop it into your compost bin for 6-8 weeks.

Apply in spring and early autumn at our recommended rates: up to 2kg per m² for cow manure, 1kg per m² for chicken manure and 2.5kg per m² for sheep or horse manure.

PROTECT OUR BAY

The fertilisers that we put on our gardens run off into waterways and groundwater. The health of Geographe Bay and local wildlife is at risk if this nutrient runoff increases.

GARDEN THIS WAY

- Garden Guardians keep nutrients where they belong:
- Grow native plants. Add clay to sandy soils. Apply soil wetter.
- Use mulch. Use composted manures.
- Use slow release fertilisers.

Become a

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and have a beautiful garden that also takes care of the environment.

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