

West Basin Rain Barrel Program



Got Leaks?

It's not common...but if
your rain barrel is leaking
here's what to do

► To replace a missing or
broken spigot, contact:

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Quick Fix

First, try tightening the spigot.
If the problem persists, try this:

► Step 1



Get Teflon tape

► Step 2



Remove spigot from rain barrel

► Step 3



Unscrew the two parts

► Step 4



Apply 4-5 layers of Teflon tape
around the spigot threads

► Step 5



Screw parts back together
and reattach to the rain barrel

Helpful Tip: When you screw the spigot
back onto the rain barrel, make sure it's
screwed on snugly (but not too tight).

Test It Out

Add some water to the rain barrel
to ensure the leak has stopped