BENEFIT TO WILDLIFE

Wildlife need a dependable supply of fresh, clean water for drinking and bathing. Putting a birdbath in your yard may attract birds that don’t eat seeds and wouldn’t otherwise come to your feeders. Provide water to animals and be rewarded with more birds, bees, butterflies, and mammals in your yard.

INSTRUCTIONS

Place your new water dish in your yard (preferably on the ground), on your porch, deck or an area that wildlife can access. If you currently feed birds, placing the water near, but not right next to feeders may help birds locate it. Offer some form of shelter, either a shrub or brush pile near the water source, to provide perching places and protection to animals using the water resource.

ADDITIONAL INFO

http://content.yardmap.org/learn/water/
http://content.yardmap.org/learn/placing-habitat-features/