Tour Fact Sheet – Sydney's Sustainable House and Chippendale Road Gardens

Sydney's Sustainable House	Chippendale Road Gardens	Your project	Books
 If four people live there, each year it saves: over \$3,000 a year – only \$300 a year for energy and water bills 4 tonnes of coal from being burnt 8 tonnes of greenhouse gases from polluting Earth 100,000 litres sewage polluting the ocean 100,000 litres stormwater polluting Sydney Harbour Leaves 100,000 litres water in dam 	Over 1,000 fruit trees, herbs and plants both native and introduced are in Chippendale road gardens:• Midgenberry• Lemon grass• Lilli pilli• Bush lemon• Lemon Myrtle Tea Tree• Paw paw• Fejoia• Native raspberry• Rosemary• Tahitian lime• Caffre lime• Macadamia• Comfrey, parsley, nasturtiums	What will you choose for your project?	Facts, examples, how to go green, drawings, photos:
 Same as any other house to live in because: Use same electrical appliances as any house The water and energy appliances use less energy and water because they are efficient No special training or qualifications required Can buy and use same plumbing, electrical equipment at any hardware shop in Australia No batteries – electricity is mains quality as back up is from the mains power lines 	 For less than \$300 using leaky drains which we built ourselves we residents and businesses keep over 4 million litres of stormwater from roofs to irrigate road verge gardens. Cool roads here cool cities anywhere. Residents, businesses and Sydney City Council are working together to make Chippendale Sustainable – see: www.sustainablechippendale.com 		SUSTAINABLE HOUSE HOUSE MICHAEL MOBBS Mobbs Books may be purchased on the tour