

URBAN HOMESTEADER

How To Create Sustainable Life in the City by ELLY BLUE, RALEIGH BRIGGS, & ROBYN JASKO

On *Everyday Bicycling*:

"Blue takes cycling and makes it digestible to cyclists and would-be's in a friendly, laid-back tone. Absent of any authoritarian voice, this is the book I wish I had years ago." —www.UrbanVelo.org

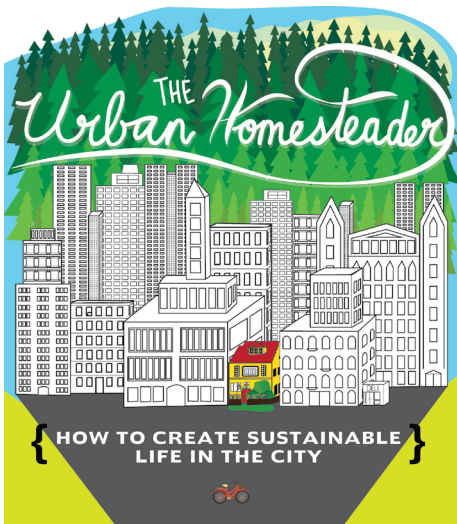
About *Make Your Place*:

"There are about 100 levels of cool here. As someone who makes her own deodorant and underwear, I feel a urge to stalk this woman." —Angry Chicken

"I went online and ordered all the necessary ingredients and equipment: funnels, plastic squeeze bottles, spray bottles, vinegar, borax, castille soap, baking soda, and oils of peppermint, tea tree, lavender, and eucalyptus. Most of the ingredients were inexpensive, except the oils, which were quite costly. Fortunately, the recipes called for just a few drops of the fragrant oils. A little goes a very long way. I estimate that home-made cleaning solutions cost about half as much as store bought products." —Boing Boing

About *Homesweet Homegrown*:

"An extremely helpful handbook that reads like a primer of lessons learned from garden-tending grandparents—insightful, informative, and maybe most importantly, honest." —Alexa Fornoff, Assistant Editor, *Readymade Magazine*



Raleigh Briggs' previous book, *Make Your Place*, sold over 100,000 copies. Sustainable living is economical, healthy, and fun. Interest in self sufficiency continues to grow.

Learn to grow organic food, make your own household products, fix things, and ride bicycles.

Families who want to be more self-sufficient and sustainable at home and in the world.

Want to learn to make your own soap? Mend your torn clothes? Grow your own cucumbers? Carry your groceries and children on a bicycle? This four book box set teaches you the basics and beyond. Authors Raleigh Briggs, Robyn Jasko, and Elly Blue are your friendly guides to a new, cozy, sustainable life at home and in the world. Live your own revolution!

Books included in this set:

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Make It Last by Raleigh Briggs
Homesweet Homegrown by Robyn Jasko
Everyday Bicycling by Elly Blue

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Become sustainable and self-sufficient in your home, garden, and transportation choices.



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