



# Marjetica Potrč

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## Dry Toilet

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**Initiator:**  
Marjetica Potrč

**Location:**  
Venezuela

**Category:**  
urban-development, economy,  
environment, social

**Users:**  
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**Duration:**  
2003 - ongoing

**Description:**

The project consists of a waterless and ecologically safe toilet that collects waste and turns into fertiliser for La Vega barrio in Caracas, an area with no running water. The toilet was built with the residents, a neighbourhood association and architect Liyat Esakov.

**Goals:**

The project provides an 'informal' infrastructure to residents who receive water from municipal authorities no more than two days per week.

**Beneficial Outcomes:**

Collects waste and turns it into fertilizer.

**Images:**

