

Southern Nevada Regional Planning Coalition
Regional Plant List



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Introduction

The Southern Nevada Regional Planning Coalition (SNRPC) is pleased to present this list of plants that can be adapted to our desert environment in the Las Vegas area for use in new developments and in retrofits to existing developments. It was created by members of the SNRPC's Regional Urban Forestry Working Group in conjunction with local experts including arborists, horticulturists, and urban foresters. Much of the work that went into the creation of this list was built on the foundations of excellent local resources such as the Nevada Division of Forestry's 2007 *Cleaner Air, Tree by Tree* and the 2005 Centennial edition of *Trees for Tomorrow*, a project of the High Desert Resource Conservation & Development Council. Both projects were made possible by grants from the Nevada Division of Forestry and the United States Forest Service.

The intent of this list is to provide a single, region-wide reference for landscape designers, architects and developers to select appropriate plants when designing their projects in the Las Vegas area. In addition, it is a tool for those who review those projects—such as city planners—to determine if those plants meet applicable codes and ordinances. In short—right plant, right place.

This list is not intended to be a list of the only plants allowed in the region, nor is it intended to be an exhaustive, comprehensive list of all desert-appropriate plants. In addition, it is not intended to restrict what plants residents choose to plant in their yards. Rather, we hope that this list will help residents and developers make informed decisions about which plants to choose.

How to Use the List

The list is divided between trees and other plants, including shrubs, groundcovers, vines, succulents and perennials. It is sorted alphabetically by botanical name and includes the common names of the plants. There are several columns of attributes that can be used to determine which plants are appropriate to use in specific situations.

For example, an out-of-state landscape architect is looking to select a Mojave native shrub that can act as a screen or hedge, but is thornless and is highly drought tolerant. A quick look down the attributes reveal a couple of recommendations in *Asclepias subulata* "desert milkweed" and *Foresteria pubescens (neomexicana)* "desert olive," a.k.a. "New Mexico privet."

In another example, a city planner is reviewing a development application that shows an *Arbutus unedo* "strawberry tree" proposed as a tree in a parking lot diamond. A quick review of the tree list reveals that this small tree is not appropriate as a parking lot tree, and the planner is able to recommend several other species that will serve that purpose.

Process for Review and Amendment

The SNRPC Plant List is intended to be a living document and will therefore be open to periodic review and amendment. To that end, the SNRPC Planning Directors shall review the list on an annual basis with input from local plant experts as needed. Any requests to add or delete plants from the list must be submitted to the SNRPC secretary in writing. The request shall include the following information at a minimum: the applicant's name and contact information, the botanical and common name(s) of the plant(s) to be considered, reasons for the plant(s) to be considered, and any supporting documentation. For new plants, supporting documentation shall include the plants' attributes as well as information regarding the plants' history and performance in similar climates. Supporting documentation must be verified by a certified arborist or horticulturist.

| KEY | | Comments: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Comments | |
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| <p>"Bulletproof": Tolerant of heat, cold and wind; water efficient; low-maintenance; non-invasive; pest and disease resistant.</p> <p>Tree Size: Small (< 25 ft), Medium (25-40 ft), Large (>40 ft)</p> <p>Tree Type: Deciduous, Evergreen, Semievergreen</p> <p>Growth Rate: Slow, Moderate, Fast</p> <p>Water Use: Low, Medium, High</p> <p>Litter: Leaves, Flowers, Seeds/Cones/Fruit</p> <p>Biogenic Volatile Organic Compounds (BVOC's): Low, Medium, High, or data not available ---</p> | | <p>1. Organic mulch recommended.</p> <p>2. Many cultivars.</p> <p>3. Some species may form dense thickets</p> <p>4. Not cold hardy below 28°F.</p> <p>5. Invasive species.</p> <p>6. Mojave native.</p> <p>7. Toxic (parts specified).</p> <p>8. May be trained as a small tree.</p> <p>9. Needs a protected site (north facing site or afternoon shade).</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Tree Size | Height (average) | Width (average) | Coverage | Tree Type | Growth Rate | Water Use | Litter | Spines or Thorns | Biogenic Volatile Organic Compounds (BVOC's) | Parking Lots | Street/Shade Tree | Buffer Tree | Patio Tree | Tolerates Turf | Okay under overhead utility lines |
| Botanical Name | Common Name | S, M, L | (feet) | (feet) | (sq. feet) | D, E, S | S, M, F | L, M, H | L, F, S | Yes or No | L, M, H | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Comments |
| TREES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Acacia aneura</i> | Mulga Acacia | ● S | 20 | 15 | 133 | E S,M | L L | N M | Y Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | |
| <i>Acacia constricta</i> | White Thorn Acacia | ● S | 10 | 15 | 133 | D S | L S | Y M | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | |
| <i>Acacia farnesiana</i> (=A. <i>smallii</i>) | Sweet Acacia | ● S | 20 | 20 | 236 | E S,M | L L,S | Y M | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | N Y | |
| <i>Acacia greggii</i> | Cat's Claw Acacia | ● S | 15 | 20 | 236 | D S,M | L S | Y L | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 6 |
| <i>Acacia pendula</i> | Weeping Acacia | ● M | 25 | 20 | 236 | E M,F | L F,S | N M | Y N | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Acacia salicina</i> | Willow Acacia | ● M | 30 | 15 | 133 | E F | L L,F,S | N N | Y N | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Acacia schaffneri</i> | Twisted Acacia | ● S | 20 | 25 | 368 | D S | L L,F | Y M | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Acacia stenophylla</i> | Shoestring Acacia | ● M | 40 | 20 | 236 | E M,F | L L,F,S | N N | L Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Arbutus unedo</i> | Strawberry Tree | ● S | 15 | 10 | 59 | E S,M | L,M | S N | L N | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 9 |
| <i>Bismarckia nobilis</i> | Bismarck Palm | ● M | 50 | 20 | 236 | E S | M F,S | Y N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Brachychiton populneus</i> | Bottle Tree | ● M | 30 | 20 | 236 | E M,F | L,M | L,S | N N | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Brahea armata</i> | Mexican Blue Palm | ● M | 30 | 15 | 133 | E S | L,M | F,S | Y M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Butia capitata</i> | Pindo Palm | ● S | 20 | 15 | 133 | E S | M,H | F,S | Y M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cedrus atlantica 'glauca'</i> | Blue Atlas Cedar | ● L | 40 | 20 | 236 | E M | L,M | L N | L N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cedrus deodora</i> | Deodar Cedar | ● L | 80 | 30 | 530 | E F | L,M | L N | L N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Celtis occidentalis</i> | Common Hackberry | ● L | 45 | 30 | 530 | D F | M L,S | N N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Celtis reticulata</i> | Netleaf Hackberry | ● S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D S | L,M | S N | L N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 6 |
| <i>Ceratonia siliqua</i> | Carob Tree | ● M | 35 | 20 | 236 | E M | L,M | S N | N M | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Cercis canadensis</i> | Eastern Redbud | ● S | 20 | 15 | 133 | D M | M L,S | N L | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cercis occidentalis</i> | Western Redbud | ● S | 13 | 15 | 133 | D S,M | L,M | L,F,S | N L | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 6 |
| <i>Chamaerops humilis</i> | Mediterranean Fan Palm | ● S | 15 | 15 | 133 | E S | M F,S | Y M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Chilopsis linearis + hybrids</i> | Desert Willow | ● M | 25 | 20 | 236 | D M | M F,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 6 |
| <i>x Chitalpa tashkentensis</i> | Chitalpa | ● S | 20 | 20 | 236 | D M | L,M | L,F | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cordia boissieri</i> | Texas Olive | ● M | 20 | 15 | 133 | S S,M | M L,F,S | N N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cotinus coggygria</i> | Smoke Tree | ● S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D S | L,M | L N | N M | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cupressus glabra</i> | Arizona Cypress | ● L | 50 | 15 | 133 | E M | L,M | L N | L N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Cupressus sempervirens</i> | Italian Cypress | ● L | 40 | 5 | 15 | E M | L,M | L N | L N | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Ebenopsis ebano</i> (=Pithecellobium) | Texas Ebony | ● M | 25 | 20 | 236 | S S,M | L L,S | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Elaeocarpus decipiens</i> | Japanese Blueberry | ● L | 40 | 25 | 368 | E M | M S | N N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Eriobotrya japonica</i> | Loquat | ● S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D M | L,M | L,F,S | N L | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 9 |
| <i>Eucalyptus microtheca</i> | Coolibah Tree | ● M | 40 | 25 | 368 | E M | L,M | S N | H Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Eucalyptus polyanthemus</i> | Silver Dollar Gum | ● L | 40 | 30 | 530 | E F | L,M | S,F,L | N H | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Eucalyptus sp.</i> | Eucalyptus/Gum Tree | ● M | 30 | 30 | 530 | E M | L,M | S,F,L | N H | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Eysenhardtia orthocarpa</i> | Kidneywood | ● S | 18 | 25 | 368 | S M | L L,F | N N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Fraxinus greggii</i> | Littleleaf Ash | ● S | 18 | 15 | 133 | S S | M L,F | N L | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Fraxinus oxycarpa</i> 'Raywood' | Raywood Ash | ● M | 30 | 20 | 236 | D M,F | M,H | F N | L Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Fraxinus velutina</i> | Arizona Ash | ● L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D S,M | M L,S | N L | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 6 |
| <i>F. v. glabra</i> | Modesto Ash | ● L | 40 | 25 | 368 | D M,F | M,H | L N | L Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>F. v. 'Rio Grande.'</i> 'Fan-Tex' | Fan-Tex/Rio Grande Ash | ● L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D M,F | M,H | L N | L Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Geijera parviflora</i> | Australian Willow | ● M | 25 | 20 | 236 | E M | M L,F,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i> cultivars | Honey Locust | ● M | 35 | 30 | 530 | D M | M L,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Koelreuteria bipinnata</i> | Chinese Flame Tree | ● M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D S,M | M L,F,S | N H | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Koelreuteria paniculata</i> | Goldenrain Tree | ● M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D M | M L,F,S | N H | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> | Crape Myrtle | ● S | 12 | 12 | 85 | D S | M L,F | N L | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 9 |
| <i>Laurus nobilis</i> | Bay Laurel | ● S | 12 | 12 | 85 | E M,F | M L | N L | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Leucaena retusa</i> | Golden Ball Lead Tree | ● S | 20 | 20 | 236 | D M | L,M | L,F,S | N M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Olea europaea</i> 'Swan Hill,' 'Wilson' | Swan Hill or Wilson Olive | ● M | 25 | 20 | 236 | E S | L,M | L N | L Y | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Parkinsonia aculeata</i> | Mexican Palo Verde | ● S | 20 | 20 | 236 | D F | L,M | L,F,S | Y M | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Parkinsonia florida</i> | Blue Palo Verde | ● M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D M | L,M | L,F,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Parkinsonia microphylla</i> | Foothills Palo Verde | ● S | 20 | 20 | 236 | D S,M | L L,F | Y M | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Parkinsonia x 'Desert Museum'</i> | Desert Museum Palo Verde | ● M | 25 | 25 | 368 | S F | L,M | F N | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Parkinsonia x 'Sonoran Emerald'</i> | Sonoran Emerald Palo Verde | ● M | 25 | 25 | 368 | S F | L,M | F N | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Phoenix canariensis</i> | Canary Island Date Palm | ● L | 40 | 30 | 530 | E S | M F,S | Y M | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Phoenix dactylifera</i> | Date Palm | ● L | 60 | 20 | 236 | E S | L,M | F,S | Y M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pinus eldarica</i> | Mondell/Afghan Pine | ● L | 40 | 30 | 530 | E M,F | L,M | L,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pinus halepensis</i> | Aleppo Pine | ● L | 45 | 25 | 368 | E M,F | L,M | L,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pinus pinea</i> | Stone Pine | ● L | 60 | 40 | 942 | E S,M | M L,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pinus roxburghii</i> | Chir Pine | ● M | 35 | 20 | 236 | E S,M | M L,S | N M | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pistachia chinensis</i> | Chinese Pistache | ● L | 35 | 30 | 530 | D M | M L,F,S | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pistachia x 'Red Push'</i> | Red Push Pistache | ● L | 30 | 30 | 530 | D M | M L | N M | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Pistachia lentiscus</i> | Mastic Tree | ● S | 17 | 20 | 236 | E S | L L | N N | Y Y | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Pittosporum angustifolium</i> (=P. <i>phylliraoides</i>) | Willow Pittosporum | ● S | 20 | 12 | 85 | E M | L L,F | N N | Y N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | 4 |
| <i>Platanus acerifolia</i> | London Plane Tree, Sycamore | ● L | 75 | 40 | 942 | D M,F | M,H | L,S | N H | N Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Platanus mexicanum</i> | Mexican Sycamore | ● L | 60 | 40 | 942 | D F | M L,F,S | N N | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |
| <i>Platanus wrightii</i> | Arizona Sycamore | ● L | 80 | 40 | 942 | D F | M L | N N | Y Y | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | N N | |

| KEY | | "Bulletproof" | Tree Size | Height (average) | Width (average) | Coverage | Tree Type | Growth Rate | Water Use | Litter | Spines or Thorns | Biogenic Volatile Organic Compounds (BVOC's) | Parking Lots | Street/Shade Tree | Buffer Tree | Patio Tree | Tolerates Turf | Okay under overhead utility lines | Comments |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------------|----------------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Botanical Name | Common Name | S, M, L | (feet) | (feet) | (sq. feet) | D, E, S | S, M, F | L, M, H | L, F, S | Yes or No | L, M, H | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | Comments | |
| TREES (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i> | Yew Pine | M | 25 | 10 | 59 | E | S, M | L, M | L | N | L | N | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Prosopis alba</i> | Argentine Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | S | F | L, M | S | Y | --- | N | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>P. a. 'Colorado'</i> | Colorado Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | S | F | L, M | S | Y | --- | N | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>P. a. 'Cooper'</i> | Thornless Argentine Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | S | F | L, M | S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>Prosopis chilensis</i> | Chilean Mesquite | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | S | F | L, M | L | Y | --- | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>P. c. 'Thornless' or 'Arizona'</i> | Thornless Chilean Mesquite | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | S | F | L, M | L | N | --- | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>Prosopis glandulosa glandulosa</i> | Texas Honey Mesquite | M | 30 | 35 | 722 | D | F | L | L, S | Y | M | Y | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>P. g. 'Maverick'</i> | Thornless Honey Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | F | L | L, S, F | N | M | Y | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>Prosopis glandulosa torreyana</i> | Western Honey Mesquite | ● | S | 20 | 236 | D | F | L | L | Y | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | 6 |
| <i>Prosopis pubescens</i> | Screwbean Mesquite | ● | S | 20 | 25 | 368 | D | S | L | L, S | Y | M | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | 6 |
| <i>Prosopis velutina (= juliflora)</i> | Native/Velvet Mesquite | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | M | L | L, S | Y | L | N | Y | Y | N | N | N | |
| <i>Prosopis x 'Phoenix'</i> | Thornless Hybrid Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | F | L | L | N | --- | Y | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>Prosopis x 'Rio Salado'</i> | Thornless Hybrid Mesquite | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | F | L | L | N | --- | Y | Y | Y | N | N | N | N | |
| <i>Pyrus calleryana</i> | Ornamental Pear | M | 30 | 20 | 236 | D | M, F | M | L, F, S | N | L | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>P. c. 'Bradford'</i> | Bradford Pear | M | 25 | 20 | 236 | D | M, F | M | L, F, S | N | L | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Quercus buckleyi</i> | Texas Red Oak | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | N | |
| <i>Q. b. 'Red Rock'</i> | Red Rock Oak | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | N | |
| <i>Quercus fusiformis</i> | Escarpment Oak | ● | L | 30 | 30 | 530 | E | M, F | L, M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus ilex</i> | Holly Oak | ● | L | 30 | 20 | 236 | E | S, M | M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus lobata</i> | Valley Oak | ● | L | 40 | 40 | 942 | D | M | M, H | L, F, S | N | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus macrocarpa</i> | Bur Oak | ● | L | 70 | 40 | 942 | D | S | L, M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus muhlenbergia</i> | Chinquapin Oak | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus shumardii</i> | Shumard Oak | ● | L | 50 | 30 | 530 | D | F | M | L, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus suber</i> | Cork Oak | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | S | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Quercus virginiana</i> | Southern Live Oak | ● | M | 30 | 20 | 236 | S | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Q. v. 'Cathedral'</i> | Cathedral Live Oak | ● | L | 40 | 40 | 942 | S | S, M | M, H | L, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Q. v. 'Heritage'</i> | Heritage Live Oak | ● | M | 25 | 25 | 368 | E | S, M | M, H | L, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Q. v. 'High Rise'</i> | High Rise Live Oak | ● | M | 35 | 20 | 236 | S | S, M | M, H | L, S | N | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Rhus lancea</i> | African Sumac | ● | M | 20 | 20 | 236 | E | M, F | L, M | L, S | N | L | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | 4 |
| <i>Rhus lanceolata</i> | Prairie/Flameleaf Sumac | ● | S | 15 | 20 | 236 | D | M | L, M | L | N | L | N | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | 4 |
| <i>Robinia pseudoacacia</i> | Black Locust | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D | M, F | M | L | Y | H | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Robinia x ambigua</i> | Idaho Locust | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D | M, F | M | L, F | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>R. x a. 'Purple Robe'</i> | Purple Robe Locust | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D | M, F | M | L, F | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Sambucus nigra ssp. cerulea</i> | Blue Elderberry | ● | S | 15 | 25 | 368 | S | M | M, H | L, F | N | L | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | |
| <i>Schinus molle</i> | California Pepper Tree | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | E | M, F | L | L, S | N | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | 9 |
| <i>Sophora japonica</i> | Japanese Pagoda Tree | ● | M | 30 | 30 | 530 | D | M | M | L | N | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Sophora secundiflora</i> | Texas Mountain Laurel | ● | S | 15 | 12 | 85 | E | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>S.s. v. 'Silver Peso,' 'Sierra Silver'</i> | Silver Mountain Laurel | ● | S | 15 | 12 | 85 | E | S, M | L, M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>Trachycarpus fortunei</i> | Windmill Palm | ● | S | 20 | 10 | 59 | E | S | M | F, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Ulmus parvifolia</i> | Lacebark Elm | ● | L | 40 | 40 | 942 | S | M | M | L, S | N | L | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | |
| <i>Ungnadia speciosa</i> | Mexican Buckeye | ● | S | 10 | 12 | 85 | D | S | L, M | L | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | 7 (seeds) |
| <i>Vitex agnus-castus</i> | Chaste Tree | ● | S | 25 | 25 | 368 | D | S | M | L, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | |
| <i>Washingtonia filifera</i> | California Fan Palm | ● | L | 50 | 15 | 133 | E | S, M | L | F, S | Y | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Washingtonia robusta</i> | Mexican Fan Palm | ● | L | 75 | 15 | 133 | E | M, F | M | F, S | Y | M | Y | Y | Y | N | Y | N | |
| <i>Xylosma congestum</i> | Xylosma | ● | S | 15 | 12 | 85 | E | S, M | L | L | N | M | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | Y | |
| <i>Zelkova serrata</i> | Japanese/Sawleaf Zelkova | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | D | S, M | M, H | L, S | N | L | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | Y | |
| <i>Ziziphus jujuba</i> | Chinese Date/Jujube | ● | S | 25 | 20 | 236 | D | S | M | S | Y | H | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| LIMITED USE AND FRUIT TREES (NOT APPROPRIATE IN ALL LOCATIONS) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Albizia julibrissin</i> | Mimosa/Silk Tree | ● | S | 25 | 30 | 530 | D | M, F | L, M | L, F, S | N | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> | Camphor Tree | ● | L | 40 | 30 | 530 | E | S, M | L | L | N | L | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 4 |
| <i>Citrus sp.</i> | Citrus Tree | ● | S | 15 | 15 | 133 | E | M | M, H | S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | 4, 9 |
| <i>Ficus carica</i> | Fig Tree | ● | M | 20 | 20 | 236 | D | M | M, H | L, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>Ligustrum japonicum</i> | Waxleaf/Japanese Privet | ● | S | 12 | 15 | 133 | E | M | M | L, S | N | --- | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Ligustrum lucidum</i> | Glossy Privet | ● | M | 30 | 20 | 236 | E | M | M | F, S | N | L | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Lysiloma watsonii</i> | Fern of the Desert | ● | S | 20 | 15 | 133 | S, D | S, M | L | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | 4 |
| <i>Magnolia grandiflora 'Little Gem'</i> | Southern/Little Gem Magnolia | ● | M | 25 | 12 | 85 | E | F | M | F, S | N | M | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Malus sp.</i> | Apple Tree | ● | M | 20 | 20 | 236 | D | M | M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>Paulownia tomentosa</i> | Sapphire Dragon Tree | ● | S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D | F | M, H | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | 4, 9 |
| <i>Pinus thunbergiana</i> | Japanese Black Pine | ● | S | 10 | 15 | 133 | E | S, M | M | L, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Prunus sp. (dwarf)</i> | Dwarf Fruit Trees | ● | S | 8 | 10 | 59 | D | M | M, H | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>Prunus caroliniana</i> | Carolina Laurel Cherry | ● | M | 25 | 20 | 236 | E | M | L | F, S | N | L | N | Y | Y | N | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Prunus cerasifera</i> | Purple Leaf Plum | ● | S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D | M | M | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Prunus dulcis</i> | Almond Tree | ● | M | 20 | 20 | 236 | D | M, F | M, H | L, F, S | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |
| <i>Prunus mume</i> | Japanese Flowering Apricot | ● | S | 15 | 15 | 133 | D | S, M | M, H | L, F | N | --- | N | N | Y | Y | Y | Y | 9 |
| <i>Punica sp.</i> | Pomegranate | ● | S | 20 | 15 | 133 | D | M | M | L, F, S | Y | --- | N | N | Y | Y | N | Y | |

| KEY | | "Bulletproof" | Height (average) | Width (average) | Coverage | Type | Growth Rate | Water Use | Drought Tolerance | Spines or Thorns | Physical Barrier | Hedge or Screen | Exposure | COMMENTS |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------|------------------|
| "Bulletproof": Extremely drought tolerant, cold hardy, and pest and disease resistant once established. Height, Width, Coverage at mature growth. Type: Deciduous, Evergreen, Semi-evergreen Growth Rate: Slow, Medium, Fast Water Use: Very Low, Low, Medium, High Drought Tolerance: Low, Medium, High Exposure: Full sun, Partial shade, Shade | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | (feet) | (feet) | (sq. feet) | D, E, S | S, M, F | VL, L, M, H | L, M, H | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | F, P, S | |
| BOTANICAL NAME | | COMMON NAME | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SHRUBS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Abelia x grandiflora</i> | Glossy Abelia | | 5 | 5 | 20 | E, S | F | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Abutilon palmeri</i> | Velvet-leaf Mallow, Superstition Mallow | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E, S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Acacia berlandieri</i> | Berlandier Acacia, Guajillo | | 12 | 12 | 113 | D | M | L, M | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Acacia craspedocarpa</i> | Leatherleaf Acacia, Waxleaf A. | | 10 | 15 | 177 | E | S | L | M | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Acacia cultiformis</i> | Knifeleaf Acacia, Knife Acacia | | 10 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L | M | N | N | Y | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Acacia redolens</i> | Creeping Acacia, Prostrate Acacia | ● | 3 | 10 | 79 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Acacia rigidula</i> | Blackbrush Acacia | | 10 | 10 | 79 | S | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | P | |
| <i>Alyogyne huegelii</i> | Blue Hibiscus | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Ambrosia dumosa</i> | White Bursage, Burrobush | ● | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Ambrosia eriocentra</i> | Woolly Bursage | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Anisacanthus quadrifidus-wrightii</i> 'Mexican Flame' | Mexican Flame | | 4 | 4 | 13 | D | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Anisodontea hypomandarum</i> | Pink Desert Hibiscus, African Mallow | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | F | M | L | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Artemisia filifolia</i> | Sand Sage | ● | 4 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Artemisia tridentata</i> | Big Sage Brush | ● | 4 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Asclepias subulata</i> | Desert Milkweed | ● | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Atriplex canescens</i> | Four-Wing Saltbush | ● | 5 | 8 | 50 | S | M | M | H | N | N | N | P | 6 |
| <i>Atriplex confertifolia</i> | Shadscale | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | D | F | VL | H | Y | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Atriplex hymenelytra</i> | Saltbush, Desert Holly | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Atriplex lentiformis</i> | Quailbush, Big Saltbush | ● | 6 | 8 | 50 | D | M | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>A. l. breweri</i> | Brewer's Saltbush, Quail Bush | ● | 7 | 7 | 38 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Atriplex polycarpa</i> | Desert Saltbush | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | D | S | M | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Baccharis sarothroides</i> | Desert Broom, Coyote Bush | | 6 | 7 | 38 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | N | F | 3, 5, 6 |
| <i>Baccharis x 'Centennial'</i> (female hybrid) | Centennial Broom | | 3 | 5 | 20 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Baccharis x 'Stam'</i> (male hybrid) | Thompson Broom | | 3 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Bebbia juncea</i> | Sweet Bush | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Berberis fremontii</i> | Fremont's Barberrry | ● | 6 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Berberis thunbergii</i> | Japanese Barberrry | | 4 | 4 | 13 | D | M | M | L | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Buddleja davidii</i> | Butterfly Bush | | 8 | 6 | 28 | D, S | F | L, M | L | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Buddleja marrubifolia</i> | Wooly Butterfly Bush | ● | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Buddleja utahensis</i> | Utah Butterfly Bush | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Buxus microphylla</i> 'Japonica' | Japanese Boxwood | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | M | N | N | Y | F, P, S | 1 |
| <i>Caesalpinia gilliesii</i> | Yellow Bird of Paradise | | 8 | 6 | 28 | D, E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 2, 7 (seed pods) |
| <i>Caesalpinia mexicana</i> | Mexican Bird of Paradise | ● | 12 | 6 | 28 | D, E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 2, 7 (seed pods) |
| <i>Caesalpinia pulcherrima</i> | Red Bird of Paradise | | 6 | 6 | 28 | D, E | F | L | H | Y | N | N | F | 2, 7 (seed pods) |
| <i>Calliandra californica</i> | Baja Fairy Duster | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | S, M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Calliandra eriophylla</i> | Pink Fairy Duster | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S, M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Callistemon citrinus</i> | Bottlebrush, Lemon Bottlebrush | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | M | M | M | N | Y | N | F | 1, 8 |
| <i>C. c. 'Nana'</i> | Dwarf Bottlebrush | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | F | 1 |
| <i>Caryopteris x clandonensis</i> 'Dark Knight' | Blue Mist Spirea | | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | M | L | N | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Chamaebatiaria millefolium</i> | Fern Bush, Desert Sweet | | 5 | 5 | 20 | S | M | L | M | N | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Chrysactinia mexicana</i> | Damianta | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S, M | L | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Chrysothamnus viscidiflorus</i> | Yellow Rabbit Brush, Green Rabbit Brush | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Cistus hybridus</i> | White Rockrose | | 3 | 5 | 20 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Cistus purpureus</i> | Purple Rock Rose, Orchid Rockrose | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Coleogyne ramosissima</i> | Blackbrush | ● | 5 | 5 | 20 | S | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Cordia parvifolia</i> | Little Leaf Cordia | ● | 6 | 8 | 50 | E | M | M | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Cotoneaster congestus</i> | Pyrenees Cotoneaster | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Cotoneaster glaucophyllus</i> | Gray-Leaf Cotoneaster | | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | M | M | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Cotoneaster lacteus</i> | Red Clusterberry | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L, M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Cotoneaster microphyllus</i> | Rockspray | | 3 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Cycas revoluta</i> | Japanese Sago Palm | | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L, M | M | Y | Y | N | P, S | |
| <i>Dalea bicolor</i> 'argyrea' | Silver Dalea | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Dalea frutescens</i> | Black Dalea | ● | 4 | 5 | 20 | S | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Dalea pulchra</i> | Pink Indigo Bush | ● | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | M, F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> | Purple Hopseed Bush | | 10 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L, M | M | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Duranta erecta</i> 'Sweet Memory' | Golden Dewdrop, Sky Flower | | 15 | 10 | 79 | S | S | M | L, M | N | N | Y | F, P | 7 (berries), 8 |
| <i>Elaeagnus pungens</i> | Silverberry | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | F | L, M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Elaeagnus x ebbingei</i> | Ebbing's Silverberry | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | F | L, M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Encelia farinosa</i> | Brittlebush | ● | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Encelia virginensis</i> | Virgin River Brittlebush | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Ephedra nevadensis</i> | Nevada Jointfir, Nevada Mormon Tea | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Ephedra viridis</i> | Mormon Tea | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Eremophila decipiens</i> | Slender Fuchsia | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Eremophila laanii</i> 'Pink Beauty' | Pink Beauty Emu Bush | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | F | M | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Eremophila glabra</i> 'Murchinson River' | Fire and Ice Emu Bush | | 3 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Eremophila maculata</i> | Spotted Emu Bush | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |

| KEY | | Comments: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | "Bulletproof" | Height (average) (feet) | Width (average) (feet) | Coverage (sq. feet) | Type D, E, S | Growth Rate S, M, F | Water Use VL, L, M, H | Drought Tolerance L, M, H | Spines or Thorns Yes or No | Physical Barrier Yes or No | Hedge or Screen Yes or No |
| SHRUBS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>E. m.</i> 'Valentine' | Valentine Emu Bush | | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>E. m.</i> 'Winter Gold' | Winter Gold Emu Bush | | 4 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Eremophila racemosa</i> | Easter Egg Eremophila | | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Eremophila</i> x 'Summertime Blue' (<i>polyclada</i> x <i>divaricata</i>) | Summertime Blue Emu Bush | | 6 | 10 | 79 | E | F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Eremophila</i> sp. | Eremophila, Emu Bush | • | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Ericameria cuneata</i> | Cliff Goldenbush | • | 2 | 3 | 7 | D | S | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Ericameria laricifolia</i> | Turpentine Bush | • | 2 | 3 | 7 | D | S | VL | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Eriodictyon angustifolium</i> | Yerba Santa | • | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Eriogonum corymbosum</i> var. <i>nilesii</i> | Las Vegas Valley Buckwheat | • | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> | Wild Buckwheat, California Buckwheat | • | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Eriogonum</i> sp. | Buckwheat | • | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Euonymus japonica</i> | Evergreen Euonymus | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| <i>E. j.</i> 'Aureo-Variegata' | Gold Spot Euonymus | | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | S, M | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| <i>E. j.</i> 'Microphylla' | Box-leaf Euonymus | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S | M | M | N | N | Y | P, S | 1 |
| <i>E. j.</i> 'Silver King' | Silver King Euonymus | | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | M | N | N | Y | P, S | 1 |
| <i>Fallugia paradoxa</i> | Apache Plume | • | 6 | 4 | 13 | S | F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Feijoa sellowiana</i> | Pineapple Guava | | 15 | 15 | 177 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 1, 8 |
| <i>Forestiera pubescens</i> (= <i>neomexicana</i>) | Desert Olive, New Mexico Privet | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | D | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Fraxinus greggii</i> | Little Leaf Ash | • | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Genista tinctoria</i> | Dyer's Greenwood | | 6 | 6 | 28 | D | S | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Gutierrezia sarothrae</i> | Snakeweed | • | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Juniperus chinensis</i> 'Blue Point' | Blue Point Juniper | | 10 | 4 | 13 | E | M | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>J. c.</i> 'Spartan' | Spartan Chinese Juniper | | 15 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>J. c.</i> 'Sea Green' | Sea Green Juniper | | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>J. c.</i> 'Torulosa' | Hollywood Twisted Juniper | | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Juniperus sabina</i> 'Tamariscifolia' | Tam Juniper | | 3 | 10 | 79 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Juniperus scopulorum</i> 'Gray Gleam' | Gray Gleam Juniper | | 15 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Juniperus</i> sp. | Juniper | | 20 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L, M | M | N | var. | var. | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Justicia californica</i> | California Justicia, Chuparosa | • | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Justicia candidans</i> | Red Justicia | • | 5 | 3 | 7 | D | M | H | L | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Justicia spicigera</i> | Mexican Honeysuckle | • | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Keckelia antirrhinoides</i> | Yellow Snapdragon Bush | • | 4 | 4 | 13 | S | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Krascheninnikovia lanata</i> | Winterfat | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Lantana camara</i> | Bush Lantana | • | 3 | 6 | 28 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 2, 7 (berries, leaves) |
| <i>Larrea tridentata</i> | Creosote Bush | • | 8 | 6 | 28 | E | M | VL | H | N | N | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Leucophyllum candidum</i> 'Silver Cloud' | Silver Cloud Texas Ranger | • | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>L. c.</i> 'Thunder Cloud' | Thunder Cloud Texas Ranger | • | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i> | Texas Ranger, Texas Sage, Cenizo | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>L. f.</i> 'Compacta' | Compact Texas Ranger | • | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>L. f.</i> 'Green Cloud' | Green Cloud Texas Ranger | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>L. f.</i> 'White Cloud' | White Cloud Texas Ranger | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum langmaniae</i> 'Lynn's Legacy' | Lynn's Legacy Texas Ranger | • | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>L. l.</i> 'Rio Bravo' | Rio Bravo Texas Ranger | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum laevigatum</i> | Chihuahuan Sage | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum pruinosum</i> 'Sierra Bouquet' | Sierra Bouquet Texas Ranger | • | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum revolutum</i> 'Houdini' | Houdini Texas Ranger | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum zygophyllum</i> 'Cimarron' | Blue Texas Ranger, Cimarron Ranger | • | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Leucophyllum</i> x 'Rain Cloud' | Rain Cloud Texas Ranger | • | 5 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Lycium andersonii</i> | Wolf Berry | • | 6 | 4 | 13 | D | M | VL | H | Y | N | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Lycium cooperi</i> | Cooper's Wolfberry | • | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | F | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Lycium pallidum</i> var. <i>oligospermum</i> | Pale Wolfberry | • | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | F | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Malpighia glabra</i> 'Mariquita' | Barbados Cherry | | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | M | L, M | L | N | N | N | P | 1, 4 |
| <i>Myrtus communis</i> | Classic Myrtle | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 1 |
| <i>M. c.</i> <i>boetica</i> | Twisted Myrtle | | 10 | 10 | 79 | E | S | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | 1, 8 |
| <i>M. c.</i> 'Compacta' | Compact Myrtle | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Nerium oleander</i> | Oleander | • | 15 | 15 | 177 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | ** 2, 7 (all parts), 8 |
| <i>N. o.</i> 'Petite' | Dwarf Oleander | • | 6 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F | ** 2, 7 (all parts) |
| <i>Phlomis fruticosa</i> | Shrubby Jerusalem Sage | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Phlomis lanata</i> | Jerusalem Sage | | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Plumbago auriculata</i> | Cape Plumbago | | 6 | 8 | 50 | E, S | M, F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Poliomintha maderensis</i> | Lavender Spice, Mexican Oregano | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E, S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Prunus fasciculata</i> | Desert Almond | • | 4 | 4 | 13 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Psoralethamnus fremontii</i> | Indigo Bush | • | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | S | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Psoralethamnus polydenius</i> | Nevada Smokebush | • | 5 | 4 | 13 | D | S | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |

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| BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | (feet) | (feet) | (sq. feet) | D, E, S | S, M, F | VL, L, M, H | L, M, H | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | F, P, S | | |
| SHRUBS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Punica granatum</i> 'Nana' | Dwarf Pomegranate | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | M | M | M | Y | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Purshia mexicana</i> | Mexican Cliffrose | ● | 7 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Purshia stansburiana</i> (=Cowania) | Cliff Rose | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Pyracantha</i> sp. | Pyracantha, Firethorn | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | F | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Quercus turbinella</i> | Scrub Live Oak | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P, S | 6 |
| <i>Rhus microphylla</i> | Littleleaf Sumac | ● | 8 | 12 | 113 | D | M | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Rhus ovata</i> | Sugar Bush | ● | 12 | 12 | 113 | E | S, M | L, M | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Rhus trilobata</i> | Squaw Bush / Skunk Bush | ● | 5 | 8 | 50 | D | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Rhus virens</i> | Evergreen Sumac | ● | 10 | 15 | 177 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Romneya coulteri</i> | Matilija Poppy, Fried Egg Poppy | | 6 | 6 | 28 | S | S | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Rosa</i> sp. | Rose | | 4 | 3 | 7 | D, E | F | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 1, 2 |
| <i>Rosa woodsii</i> | Woods' Rose | | 4 | 4 | 13 | D | M | M | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | 3, 6 |
| <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> | Rosemary | | 4 | 6 | 28 | E | M, F | L, M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Ruellia peninsularis</i> | Desert Ruellia | ● | 4 | 5 | 20 | S | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Russelia equisetiformis</i> | Coral Fountain | | 4 | 6 | 28 | E, S | M | M | H | N | N | N | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Salazaria mexicana</i> | Bladdersage | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Salvia chamaedryoides</i> | Mexican Blue Sage | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E, S | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Salvia clevelandii</i> | Chaparral Sage | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Salvia coccinea</i> | Scarlet Sage | | 3 | 4 | 13 | S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Salvia doriai</i> | Purple Sage, Desert Sage | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E, S | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Salvia greggii</i> | Autumn Sage | | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Salvia leucantha</i> | Mexican Bush Sage | | 4 | 4 | 13 | S | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Salvia microphylla</i> 'Sierra Madre' | Sierra Madre Sage | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Salvia mohavensis</i> | Mojave Sage | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F, P, S | 6 |
| <i>Salvia</i> sp. | Sage | | 4 | 4 | 13 | D, E | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Sambucus mexicana</i> | Mexican Elderberry | ● | 15 | 15 | 177 | D, S | M, F | L, M | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 6, 8 |
| <i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i> | Lavender Cotton, Gray Santolina | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Santolina rosmarinifolia</i> (=S. virens) | Green Lavender Cotton, Green Santolina | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Senna armata</i> (=Cassia) | Spiny Senna | ● | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | VL | H | Y | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Senna artemisioides</i> (=Cassia) | Feathery Senna, Feathery Cassia | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | VL, L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Senna lindeheimeriana</i> (=Cassia) | Velvet-leaf Senna | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Senna nemophila</i> (=Cassia) | Desert Senna, Desert Cassia | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Senna phyllodinea</i> (=Cassia) | Silvery Senna, Silver Leaf Cassia | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Senna wislizenii</i> (=Cassia) | Shrubby Senna, Shrubby Cassia | | 8 | 6 | 28 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Simmondsia chinensis</i> | Joboba | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S, M | VL, L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>S. c.</i> 'Vista' | Compact Joboba | ● | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S, M | VL, L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Sophora arizonica</i> | Arizona Mescal Bean | ● | 10 | 8 | 50 | E | S | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Tecoma stans</i> | Yellow Trumpet Flower, Yellow Bells | | 8 | 8 | 50 | S | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 2, 8 |
| <i>Tecoma x</i> 'Orange Jubilee' | 'Orange Jubilee' Tecoma, Orange Bells | | 8 | 8 | 50 | D, S | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Tecoma x</i> 'Sunrise' TM | 'Sunrise' Tecoma | | 8 | 8 | 50 | D, S | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Teucrium chamaedrys</i> | Germander | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Thamnosma montana</i> | Turpentine Broom | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | S | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Vauquelinia californica</i> | Arizona Rosewood | ● | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Vauquelinia corymbosa</i> var. <i>heterodon</i> | Narrowleaf Rosewood | ● | 15 | 15 | 177 | E | M | L, M | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| <i>Wedelia texana</i> 'Devil's River' (= <i>Zexmenia hispida</i>) | Devil's River, Orange Daisy | | 3 | 3 | 7 | S, D | M | L, M | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Xylosma congestum</i> | Xylosma | ● | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | M | M | M | N | N | Y | F, P, S | |
| <i>X. c.</i> 'Compacta' | Dwarf Xylosma | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | M | M | N | N | Y | F, P, S | |
| <i>Ziziphus obtusifolia</i> | Greythorn | ● | 6 | 8 | 50 | D | S, M | L | H | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 6 |
| GROUNDCOVERS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Abronia villosa</i> | Desert Sand Verbena | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Acacia redolens</i> 'Desert Carpet' | Desert Carpet Creeping Acacia | ● | 2 | 12 | 113 | E | S, M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Acalypha monostachys</i> | Raspberry Fuzzies | | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | M | M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Aptenia cordifolia</i> | Hearts and Flowers, Red Apple Ice Plant | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | L, M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Asteriscus maritimus</i> | Gold Coin Daisy | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Baccharis pilularis</i> 'Pigeon Point' | Dwarf Coyote Brush | ● | 1 | 8 | 50 | E | F | L | L | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Berberis repens</i> (=Mahonia) | Creeping Oregon Grape | | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| <i>Calylophus hartwegii</i> | Sierra Sundrop | | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Cephalophyllum speciosum</i> 'Red Spike' | Red Spike Iceplant | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Cerastium tomentosum</i> | Snow-in-Summer | | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | L | L | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Conoclinium greggii</i> 'Boothill' (=Eupatorium) | Boothill Eupatorium | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Convolvulus cneorum</i> | Bush Morning Glory | | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Convolvulus mauritanicus</i> | Ground Morning Glory | | 1 | 3 | 7 | P | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Cotoneaster horizontalis</i> | Rock Cotoneaster | | 2 | 6 | 28 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Dalea capitata</i> 'Sierra Gold' | Sierra Gold Dalea | ● | 1 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 1 |
| <i>Dalea greggii</i> | Prostrate Indigo Bush | ● | 1 | 8 | 50 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |

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| GROUNDCOVERS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Dichondra argentea</i> 'Silver Falls' | Silver Dichondra, Kidneyweed | | 1 | 3 | 7 | S | F | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Dichondra micrantha</i> | Green Dichondra | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| <i>Drosanthemum cooperi</i> | Purple Iceplant | | 1 | 4 | 13 | E | M, F | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Euonymus fortunei</i> 'Coloratus' | Purple-leaf Wintercreeper | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Euphorbia rigida</i> | Spurge, Gopher Plant | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Gazania rigens</i> | Gazania, Treasure Flower | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Glandularia goodingii</i> (=Verbena) | Gooding Verbena | ● | 1 | 3 | 7 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Glandularia peruviana</i> (=Verbena) | Peruvian Verbena | | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | L | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Glandularia pulchella</i> (=Verbena) | Moss Verbena | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | L | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Glandularia tenera</i> (=Verbena) | Rock Verbena | | 1 | 2 | 3 | P | F | L | L | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Juniperus chinensis procumbens</i> | Japanese Garden Juniper | | 2 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Juniperus conferta</i> | Shore Juniper | | 1 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Juniperus horizontalis</i> 'Prince of Wales' | Prince of Wales Juniper | | 1 | 4 | 13 | E | S | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>J. h. 'Wiltonii'</i> | Blue Carpet Juniper | | 1 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Juniperus sabina</i> 'Buffalo' | Buffalo Juniper | | 1 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Lantana montevidensis</i> | Trailing Lantana | | 1 | 6 | 28 | D | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | 7 (berries, leaves) |
| <i>Malephora crocea</i> | Gray Ice Plant, Coppery Mesemb | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Malephora lutea</i> | Rocky Point Ice Plant | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Mirabilis multiflora</i> | Four O'Clock | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P, S | 6 |
| <i>Muehlenbeckia axillaris</i> | Creeping Wire Vine | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Myoporum brevifolium</i> 'Emerald Gem' | Small Leaf Myoporum | | 0.5 | 4 | 13 | D | M | L, M | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Myoporum parvifolium</i> | Prostrate Myoporum | | 0.5 | 8 | 50 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Pyracantha fortuneana</i> 'Santa Cruz' | Santa Cruz Pyracantha, Firethorn | | 2 | 5 | 20 | E | M | M | M | Y | Y | Y | P | 1 |
| <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> 'prostratus' | Prostrate Rosemary | | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Sedum spectabile</i> | Stonewort | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Sphaeralcea grossulariifolia</i> | Goosefoot Mallow | ● | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | P | 6 |
| <i>Stachys coccinea</i> | Texas Betony, Scarlet Hedge Nettle | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E, S | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Tradescantia pallida</i> 'Purpurea' | Purple Heart, Wandering Jew | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L, M | L | N | N | N | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Verbena rigida</i> | Sandpaper Verbena, Coarse Verbena | | 1 | 3 | 7 | P | F | L | L | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Vinca minor</i> | Dwarf Periwinkle | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S, M | M, H | L | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| VINES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Antigonon leptopus</i> | Queen's Wreath, Coral Vine | | 15 | 10 | 79 | D | M, F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Callaeum lilacaena</i> (=Mascagnia) | Orchid Vine | | 12 | 5 | 20 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Campsis</i> sp. | Trumpet Creeper | | 10 | 10 | 79 | D | F | M | L | N | N | N | P | 2 |
| <i>Cissis trifoliata</i> var. <i>incisa</i> | Grape Ivy, Arizona Grape Ivy | | 10 | 5 | 20 | S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Clematis ligusticifolia</i> | Western Virgin's Bower | ● | 12 | 5 | 20 | S | F | M | M | N | N | N | F, P, S | 6 |
| <i>Ficus pumila</i> | Creeping Fig | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Gelsemium sempervirens</i> | Carolina Jasmine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | M | H | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Hardenbergia violacea</i> | Happy Wanderer, Lilac Vine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | M | H | L | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Jasminum mesnyi</i> | Primrose Jasmine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Lonicera japonica</i> 'Halliana' | Hall's / Japanese Honeysuckle | | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | F | M | L | M | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Macfadyena unguis-cati</i> | Cat's Claw Vine | | 15 | 10 | 79 | S | M | L | L | N | N | Y | F, P | 3 |
| <i>Maurandya antirrhiniflora</i> | Snapdragon Vine | | 8 | 5 | 20 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Parthenocissus</i> sp. 'Hacienda Creeper' | Hacienda Creeper | | 15 | 10 | 79 | D | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Polygonum aubertii</i> | Silver Lace Vine | | 15 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Rosa banksiae</i> | Lady Bank's Rose | | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | M | M | M | Y | N | N | P, F | 3 |
| <i>Solanum jasminoides</i> | Potato Vine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | S, D | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | P, F | 1, 4 |
| <i>Tecomaria capensis</i> | Cape Honeysuckle | | 8 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | L | N | N | Y | F, P | 4 |
| <i>Vitis arizonica</i> | Canyon Grape | ● | 10 | 10 | 79 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Vitis californica</i> | California Grape | ● | 10 | 10 | 79 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>V. c.</i> 'Roger's Red' | Rogers Red Grape | ● | 10 | 10 | 79 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Vitis</i> sp. | Grape | ● | 10 | 10 | 79 | D | M | L | M | N | N | Y | F, P | 1 |
| AGAVES, CACTI, SUCCULENTS, AND YUCCAS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Agave americana</i> | Century Plant | | 5 | 8 | 50 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>A. a.</i> var. <i>aurea-marginata</i> | Yellow Margin Century Plant | | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>A. a.</i> var. <i>medio-picta</i> | Medio Picta Century Plant | | 4 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Agave angustifolia</i> var. <i>marginata</i> | Variagated Agave | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave bovicornuta</i> | Cow's Horn Agave | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | Y | N | N | P | |
| <i>Agave bracteosa</i> | Green Spider Agave | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave colorata</i> | Mescal Ceniza | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Agave desmettiana</i> | Smooth Agave | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave filifera</i> | Thread-leaf Agave, Dark Green Agave | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave geminiflora</i> | Twin-Flowered Agave | | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P, S | |
| <i>Agave havardiana</i> | Havard Agave | | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave montana</i> | Mountain Agave | | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Agave multiflora</i> | Chahuiqui | | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L, M | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | |

| KEY | | Comments: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <p>"Bulletproof": Extremely drought tolerant, cold hardy, and pest and disease resistant once established. Height, Width, Coverage at mature growth. Type: <u>D</u>eciduous, <u>E</u>vergreen, <u>S</u>emi-evergreen Growth Rate: <u>S</u>low, <u>M</u>edium, <u>E</u>ast Water Use: <u>V</u>ery Low, <u>L</u>ow, <u>M</u>edium, <u>H</u>igh Drought Tolerance: <u>L</u>ow, <u>M</u>edium, <u>H</u>igh Exposure: <u>F</u>ull sun, <u>P</u>artial shade, <u>S</u>hade</p> | | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Organic mulch recommended. Many cultivars. Some species may form dense thickets. Not cold hardy below 28°F. Invasive species. Mojave native. Toxic (parts specified). May be trained as a small tree. Needs a protected site (north facing site or afternoon shade). | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | "Bulletproof" | Height (average) | Width (average) | Coverage | Type | Growth Rate | Water Use | Drought Tolerance | Spines or Thorns | Physical Barrier | Hedge or Screen | Exposure | COMMENTS |
| BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | (feet) | (feet) | (sq. feet) | D, E, S | S, M, F | VL, L, M, H | L, M, H | Yes or No | Yes or No | Yes or No | F, P, S | | |
| AGAVES, CACTI, SUCCULENTS, AND YUCCAS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Agave murpheyi</i> | Murphey's Agave | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | N | N | F | | |
| <i>Agave ocahui</i> | Agave Ocahui | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S | VL | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Agave ovatifolia</i> | Whale's Tongue Agave | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave palmeri</i> | Palmer's Agave | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Agave parrasana</i> | Cabbage Head Agave | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave parryi</i> | Parry's Agave | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>A. p. var. huachuensis</i> | Huachuca Agave | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>A. p. var. neomexicana</i> | New Mexico Agave | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L, M | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>A. p. var. truncata</i> | Artichoke Agave | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S,M | VL | H | Y | N | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave salmiana ssp. ferox</i> | Ferox Agave | 6 | 8 | 50 | E | S,M | L, M | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave scabra</i> | Rough-Leaved Agave | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Agave schidigera</i> "Durango Delight" TM | Durango Delight Agave | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave utahensis ssp. nevadensis</i> | Nevada Agave | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S | VL | H | Y | N | F | 6 | |
| <i>Agave victoriae-reginae</i> | Queen Victoria Agave | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Agave vilmoriniana</i> | Octopus Agave | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Agave weberi</i> | Weber Agave | 5 | 8 | 50 | E | M,F | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Aloe arborescens</i> | Tree Aloe | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | M | Y | N | N | F, P | 4 | |
| <i>Aloe barbadensis</i> | Aloe Vera | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S,M | L | M | Y | N | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Aloe ferox</i> | Tap Aloe, Cape Aloe | 6 | 5 | 20 | E | S | L | M | Y | N | N | F, P | 4 | |
| <i>Aloe nobilium</i> | Gold Tooth Aloe | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S,M | L | M | Y | N | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Aloe saponaria</i> | African Aloe | 2 | 1 | 1 | E | M | L | M | Y | N | N | P | | |
| <i>Aloe x 'Blue Elf'</i> | Blue Elf Aloe | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | S,M | M | M | Y | N | N | P, S | | |
| <i>Aloe x spinosissima</i> | Spider Aloe | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | P | | |
| <i>Carnegiea gigantea</i> | Saguaro (spear) | 12 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Carnegiea gigantea</i> | Saguaro (with arms) | 20 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Cereus hildmannianus (= peruvianus)</i> | Peruvian Apple | 8 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 4 | |
| <i>Cylindropuntia acanthocarpa (=Opuntia)</i> | Buckhorn Cholla | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Cylindropuntia arbuscula (=Opuntia)</i> | Pencil Cholla | ● | 8 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Cylindropuntia bigelovii (=Opuntia)</i> | Teddy Bear Cholla | ● | 6 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Cylindropuntia echinocarpa (=Opuntia)</i> | Silver Cholla | ● | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Cylindropuntia fulgida (=Opuntia)</i> | Chain-Fruit Cholla, Jumping Cactus | ● | 8 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Cylindropuntia ramosissima (=Opuntia)</i> | Diamond Cholla | ● | 3 | 5 | 20 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Cylindropuntia versicolor (=Opuntia)</i> | Staghorn Cholla | ● | 6 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Dasyliiron acrotriche</i> | Green Desert Spoon | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Dasyliiron longissimum</i> | Stick Palm, Mexican Grass Tree | ● | 8 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Dasyliiron wheeleri</i> | Desert Spoon | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Echinocactus grusonii</i> | Golden Barrel | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Echinocactus polycephalus</i> | Cottontop Cactus | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S | VL | H | Y | N | F | 6 | |
| <i>Echinocereus engelmannii</i> | Strawberry Hedgehog | ● | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | F | 6 | |
| <i>Echinocereus triglochidiatus</i> | Claret Cup | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | N | F | 6 | |
| <i>Escobaria vivipara (=Coryphantha)</i> | Common Pincushion | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | N | F, P | 6 | |
| <i>E. v. var. bisbeena</i> | Beehive Cactus | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | N | F, P | | |
| <i>Ferocactus acanthodes (=Cylindraceus)</i> | Compass Barrel Cactus | ● | 6 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | F | 6 | |
| <i>Ferocactus wislizenii</i> | Fishhook Barrel Cactus | ● | 6 | 2 | 3 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | N | F | | |
| <i>Fouquieria splendens</i> | Ocotillo | ● | 12 | 6 | 28 | D | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Hesperaloe campanulata</i> | Bell-flowered Hesperaloe | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Hesperaloe funifera</i> | Giant Sword Flower | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Hesperaloe nocturna</i> | Night Blooming Yucca | ● | 5 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Hesperaloe parviflora</i> | Red Yucca | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>H. p. 'Yellow'</i> | Yellow Yucca | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Mammillaria tetrancistra</i> | Pincushion / Fishhook Cactus | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | N | F, P | 6 | |
| <i>Nolina bigelovii</i> | Bigelow's Nolina | ● | 6 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | 6 |
| <i>Nolina matapensis</i> | Treebear Grass | ● | 12 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Nolina microcarpa</i> | Bear Grass | ● | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Nolina nelsoni</i> | Blue Nolina | ● | 5 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Nolina texana</i> | Texas Bear Grass, Devil's Shoestring | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Opuntia basilaris</i> | Beavertail Cactus | ● | 1 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Opuntia chlorotica</i> | Pancake Prickly Pear | ● | 4 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Opuntia engelmannii</i> | Englemann's Prickly Pear | ● | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>O. e. acicularis</i> | Bristly Prickly Pear | ● | 8 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>O. e. linguiformis</i> | Cow's Tongue, Angel's Wing Cactus | ● | 6 | 8 | 50 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia erinacea 'erinacea'</i> | Old Man Prickly Pear | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S,M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Opuntia ficus-indica</i> | Indian Fig Cactus | ● | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | M,F | L | M | N | Y | Y | F | |
| <i>Opuntia macrocentra</i> | Black Spine Prickly Pear | ● | 4 | 3 | 8 | E | M | L | H | N | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia microdasys</i> | Bunny Ears | ● | 3 | 5 | 20 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia phaeacantha</i> | Mojave Prickly Pear | ● | 3 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |

| KEY | | "Bulletproof" | Height (average) (feet) | Width (average) (feet) | Coverage (sq. feet) | Type D, E, S | Growth Rate S, M, F | Water Use VL, L, M, H | Drought Tolerance L, M, H | Spines or Thorns Yes or No | Physical Barrier Yes or No | Hedge or Screen Yes or No | Exposure F, P, S | COMMENTS |
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| "Bulletproof": Extremely drought tolerant, cold hardy, and pest and disease resistant once established. Height, Width, Coverage at mature growth. Type: Deciduous, Evergreen, Semi-evergreen Growth Rate: Slow, Medium, Fast Water Use: Very Low, Low, Medium, High Drought Tolerance: Low, Medium, High Exposure: Full sun, Partial shade, Shade | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| AGAVES, CACTI, SUCCULENTS, AND YUCCAS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Opuntia paraguayensis</i> | Paraguay Cactus, Orange Tuna Cactus | | 6 | 4 | 13 | E | M | L | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Opuntia riviereana</i> | Orange Tuna Cactus | ● | 5 | 8 | 50 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia robusta</i> | Silver Dollar Cactus, Giant Prickly Pear | ● | 18 | 10 | 79 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia santa rita</i> 'Tubac' (= <i>O. violacea</i> 'Santa Rita') | Purple Prickly Pear, Purple Pancake | ● | 4 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Opuntia turpinii</i> (= <i>Tephrocactus</i>) | Pine Cone Prickly Pear, Paper Spine Cactus | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | P | |
| <i>Oreocereus celsianus</i> | Old Man Of the Andes | | 6 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | H | Y | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Tephrocactus articulatus</i> | Paper Spine Cactus, Pine Cone Cactus | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | M | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Trichocereus pachanoi</i> (= <i>Echinopsis</i>) | San Pedro Cactus | | 8 | 6 | 28 | E | M | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Trichocereus spachianus</i> (= <i>Echinopsis</i>) | Golden Torch Cactus | | 6 | 3 | 7 | E | S, M | L | H | Y | N | N | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Trichocereus</i> sp (= <i>Echinopsis</i>) | Cacti | | 15 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca aloifolia</i> | Spanish Bayonet | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca australis</i> | Australis Yucca | | 30 | 10 | 79 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca baccata</i> | Banana Yucca | ● | 4 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Yucca brevifolia</i> | Joshua Tree | ● | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Yucca constricta</i> | Constricta Yucca | | 4 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca elata</i> | Soaptree Yucca | ● | 10 | 8 | 50 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca faxoniana</i> | Palm Yucca | ● | 12 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca filamentosa</i> | Adam's Needle | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca glauca</i> | Soapweed, Narrowleaf Yucca | | 3 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca gloriosa</i> | Spanish Dagger | | 10 | 8 | 50 | E | S, M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca harrimaniae</i> | Harriman's Yucca | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca pallida</i> | Pale Leaf Yucca | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca recurvifolia</i> | Weeping Yucca, Pendulous Yucca | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca rigida</i> | Blue Yucca | ● | 12 | 3 | 7 | E | M | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca rostrata</i> | Beaked Yucca | ● | 10 | 3 | 7 | E | S, M | L | H | Y | N | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca rupicola</i> | Twisted Yucca | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca schidigera</i> | Mojave Yucca | ● | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | L | H | Y | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Yucca schottii</i> | Mountain Yucca | | 12 | 5 | 20 | E | S, M | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | |
| <i>Yucca thompsoniana</i> | Thompson's Yucca | | 10 | 8 | 50 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca torreyi</i> | Torrey Yucca | | 15 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | |
| <i>Yucca whipplei</i> | Our Lord's Candle, Chaparral Yucca | ● | 3 | 6 | 28 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F | 6 |
| ORNAMENTAL GRASSES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Achnatherum hymenoides</i> (= <i>Oryzopsis</i>) | Indian Ricegrass | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Achnatherum speciosum</i> | Desert Needlegrass | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Aristida purpurea</i> | Purple Threeawn | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | 5, 6 |
| <i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i> | Side-Oats Grama | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Bouteloua gracilis</i> | Blue Grama Grass | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Calamagrostis x acutifolia</i> | Feather Reed Grass | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Cortaderia selloana</i> | Pampas Grass | ● | 8 | 15 | 177 | E | F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 5 |
| <i>C. s. 'Pumila'</i> | Dwarf Pampas Grass | ● | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | N | Y | Y | F, P | 5 |
| <i>Festuca ovina</i> | Blue Fescue | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | 2 |
| <i>F. o. var. brachyphylla</i> | Sheep Fescue | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Helictotrichon sempervirens</i> | Blue Oat Grass | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E, S | M | M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Miscanthus sinensis</i> | Maiden Grass, Japanese Silver Grass | | 5 | 4 | 12 | D | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>M. s. 'Variegata'</i> | Variegated Maiden Grass | | 5 | 4 | 12 | D | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Muhlenbergia capillaris</i> 'Regal Mist' | Regal Mist Muhly Grass | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Muhlenbergia dumosa</i> | Bamboo Muhly, Fairy Bamboo | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E, S | M, F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Muhlenbergia emersleyi</i> 'El Toro' | Bull Grass | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Muhlenbergia lindheimeri</i> 'Autumn Glow' | Autumn Glow | ● | 5 | 5 | 20 | D | F | L | H | N | N | Y | F, P | |
| <i>Muhlenbergia rigens</i> | Deer Grass | ● | 4 | 4 | 13 | D | M | M | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Muhlenbergia rigida</i> 'Nashville' | Nashville | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | M | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Nasella tenuisima</i> (= <i>Stipa tenuisima</i>) | Mexican Feather Grass | | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | 5 |
| <i>Ophiopogon japonicus</i> | Mondo Grass | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | 2 |
| <i>Pennisetum alopecuroides</i> | Black Moudry | | 5 | 5 | 20 | S | F | M | L | N | N | Y | F, P | 2 |
| <i>Pennisetum setaceum</i> 'Rubrum' 'Cupreum' | Purple Fountain Grass | | 4 | 3 | 7 | S | F | M | L | N | N | Y | F | |
| <i>Phyllostachys aurea</i> | Golden Bamboo | | 15 | 10 | 79 | D | F | M | L | N | Y | Y | F, P | 3, 5 |
| <i>Pleuraphis rigida</i> (= <i>Hilaria rigida</i>) | Big Galleta Grass | ● | 3 | 2 | 3 | S | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Sorghastrum nutans</i> | Indian Grass | | 4 | 2 | 3 | S | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Sporobolus airoides</i> | Alkali Sacaton Grass | ● | 4 | 2 | 3 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Stipa gigantea</i> | Giant Feather Grass, Golden Oats | | 3 | 2 | 3 | S | M | M | L | N | N | N | F | |
| PERENNIALS (small accent areas only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Achillea filipendulina</i> | Fern Leaf Yarrow | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | 2 |
| <i>Agapanthus africanus</i> | Lily of the Nile | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| <i>Amsonia tomentosa</i> | Desert Bluestar | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Anemopsis californica</i> | Yerba Mansa | | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | M | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | 6, 7 (leaves) |

| KEY | | "Bulletproof" | Height (average) (feet) | Width (average) (feet) | Coverage (sq. feet) | Type D, E, S | Growth Rate S, M, F | Water Use VL, L, M, H | Drought Tolerance L, M, H | Spines or Thorns Yes or No | Physical Barrier Yes or No | Hedge or Screen Yes or No | Exposure F, P, S | COMMENTS |
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| "Bulletproof": Extremely drought tolerant, cold hardy, and pest and disease resistant once established. | Comments: 1. Organic mulch recommended. 2. Many cultivars. 3. Some species may form dense thickets. 4. Not cold hardy below 28°F. 5. Invasive species. 6. Mojave native. 7. Toxic (parts specified). 8. May be trained as a small tree. 9. Needs a protected site (north facing site or afternoon shade). | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PERENNIALS (continued) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Artemisia ludoviciana</i> | Prairie Sage | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | 6 |
| <i>A. l. albula</i> 'Silver King' | Silver King Artemisia | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Artemisia x 'Powis Castle'</i> | Powis Castle Wormwood | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Artemisia schmidtiana</i> 'Silver Mound' | Angel's Hair, Silver Mound Artemisia | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Astragalus preussii</i> | Preuss' Milkvetch | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Baileya multiradiata</i> | Desert Marigold | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Berlandiera lyrata</i> | Chocolate Flower | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Convolvulus tricolor</i> | Dwarf Morning Glory | | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | L | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i> | Sunray | | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | F | M | L | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Echinacea purpurea</i> | Purple Coneflower | | 3 | 2 | 3 | S | M | M | L | N | N | N | F,P | 1 |
| <i>Encelopsis argophylla</i> | Silverleaf Sunray | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Epilobium canum</i> (=Zauschneria californica) | Hummingbird Flower | | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | 3 |
| <i>Erigeron divergens</i> | Native Fleabane | ● | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F,P | 6 |
| <i>Erigeron karvinskianus</i> | Santa Barbara Daisy, Mexican Daisy | | 1 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Eschscholzia californica</i> | California Poppy, Golden Poppy | | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Gaillardia aristata</i> (=grandiflora) | Blanket Flower | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | M | L | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Gaura coccinea</i> | Scarlet Gaura | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F,P | 6 |
| <i>Gaura lindheimeri</i> | Gaura | | 3 | 4 | 13 | D | M | M | L | N | N | N | F,P | 2 |
| <i>Gazania rigida</i> | Gazania | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Iberis sempervirens</i> | Evergreen Candytuft | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | L | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Ipomopsis arizonica</i> (=Gilia aggregata) | Skyrocket | ● | 2 | 1 | 1 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F,P,S | 6 |
| <i>Kallstroemia grandiflora</i> | Arizona Poppy, Orange Caltrop | | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | F | L | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Lavandula</i> sp. | Lavender | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | 2 |
| <i>Lepidium fremontii</i> | Desert Alyssum | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Liatris spicata</i> | Gayfeather, Blazing Star | | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Linum lewisii</i> | Blue Flax | | 2 | 1 | 1 | D | M | L | M | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Lippia repens</i> | Lippia | | 1 | 2 | 3 | S | M | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Liriope gigantea</i> | Giant Lily Turf | | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | F | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Liriope muscari</i> | Lily Turf | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | F | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Lobularia maritima</i> | Sweet Alyssum | | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | M | M | L | N | N | N | F, P | 1 |
| <i>Manfreda maculosa</i> | Texas Tuberose, Spice Lily | | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | S, M | L, M | M | N | N | N | P, S | |
| <i>Melampodium leucanthum</i> | Blackfoot Daisy | | 1 | 2 | 3 | S | M | L | M | N | N | N | F,P | |
| <i>Oenothera caespitosa</i> | Angel Wing/White Evening Primrose | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | F | M | L | N | N | N | F,P | 6 |
| <i>Oenothera elata</i> (=O. hookeri) | Hooker's Evening Primrose | | 3 | 1 | 1 | D | F | M | M | N | N | N | F,P,S | 5, 6 |
| <i>Osteospermum fruticosum</i> | African Trailing Daisy, Freeway Daisy | | 1 | 4 | 13 | E, S | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | F,P,S | |
| <i>Penstemon amphorellae</i> | Mexican Blue Penstemon | | 1 | 2 | 3 | S | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon baccharifolius</i> 'Del Rio' | Del Rio Penstemon | | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon barbatus</i> | Scarlet Bugler, Scarlet Beardtongue | | 4 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon bicolor</i> | Pinto Beardtongue | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>P. b. ssp. roseus</i> | Rosy Two-tone Beardtongue | ● | 2 | 2 | 3 | S | F | L | H | N | N | N | F,P,S | 6 |
| <i>Penstemon eatonii</i> | Firecracker Penstemon | ● | 3 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Penstemon palmeri</i> | Scented Penstemon | ● | 4 | 2 | 3 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Penstemon parryi</i> | Parry's Penstemon | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon pseudospectabilis</i> | Canyon Penstemon | ● | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Penstemon rostriflorus</i> | Bridge Penstemon | | 2 | 1 | 1 | E | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Penstemon strictus</i> | Rocky Mountain Penstemon | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | F | L | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon superbus</i> | Superb Penstemon, Coral Beardtongue | | 4 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Penstemon</i> sp. | Penstemon | | 2 | 3 | 7 | S | M, F | L | M | N | N | N | F | 2 |
| <i>Perovskia atriplicifolia</i> | Russian Sage | ● | 3 | 2 | 3 | D | M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Psilostrophe cooperi</i> | Paper Flower | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 6 |
| <i>Psilostrophe tagetina</i> | Wooly Paper Flower | ● | 2 | 3 | 7 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Ratibida columnifera</i> | Mexican Hat | | 1 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Rudbeckia hirta</i> | Black-eyed Susan | | 2 | 2 | 3 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Ruellia brittoniana</i> | Wild Petunia | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P, S | 5 |
| <i>R. b. vars.</i> 'Katie', 'Rosa', 'Blanca' | Dwarf Ruellia | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Sphaeralcea ambigua</i> | Globe Mallow | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P, S | 2, 6 |
| <i>Stanleya pinata</i> | Desert Prince's Plume | ● | 4 | 3 | 7 | D | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Tagetes lemmonii</i> | Mountain Marigold | | 4 | 4 | 13 | S | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Tagetes lucida</i> | Mexican Tarragon, Mexican Marigold | | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Tetrameuris acaulis</i> (=Hymenoxys) | Angelita Daisy | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Thymophylla pentachaeta</i> (=Dyssodia) | Golden Dogbane, Golden Dyssodia | ● | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | F | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Thymophylla tenuiloba</i> (=Dyssodia) | Dahlberg Daisy | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | E | S | L | H | N | N | N | F | |
| <i>Tulbaghia violacea</i> | Society Garlic | | 1 | 1 | 1 | S | M | M | M | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Viguiera parishii</i> (=deltoidea) | Goldeneye | ● | 3 | 3 | 7 | S | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Xylorhiza tortifolia</i> | Mojave Aster | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | M | VL | H | N | N | N | F | 6 |
| <i>Zinnia acerosa</i> | Desert Zinnia | ● | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |
| <i>Zinnia grandiflora</i> | Prairie Zinnia | | 1 | 1 | 1 | D | F | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | |

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| BOTANICAL NAME | COMMON NAME | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Bulletproof": Extremely drought tolerant, cold hardy, and pest and disease resistant once established. Height, Width, Coverage at mature growth. Type: Deciduous, Evergreen, Semi-evergreen Growth Rate: Slow, Medium, Fast Water Use: Very Low, Low, Medium, High Drought Tolerance: Low, Medium, High Exposure: Full sun, Partial shade, Shade | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Comments: 1. Organic mulch recommended. 2. Many cultivars. 3. Some species may form dense thickets. 4. Not cold hardy below 28°F. 5. Invasive species. 6. Mojave native. 7. Toxic (parts specified). 8. May be trained as a small tree. 9. Needs a protected site (north facing site or afternoon shade). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PLANTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS (NOT SUITABLE FOR ALL LOCATIONS) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shrub | <i>Asparagus densiflorus 'Meyers'</i> | Foxtail Fern | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Groundcover | <i>A. d. 'Sprengeri'</i> | Asparagus Fern | | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1, 4 |
| Shrub | <i>Aspidistra elatior</i> | Cast Iron Plant | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | H | L | N | N | N | S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Aucuba japonica 'Variegata'</i> | Gold Dust Plant | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Berberis aquifolium (=Mahonia)</i> | Oregon Grape | | 4 | 5 | 20 | E, S | S | L | M | Y | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Bougainvillea</i> sp. | Bougainvillea | | 10 | 5 | 20 | D | M | M | M | Y | Y | N | S | 4 |
| Perennial | <i>Canna hybrids</i> | Canna | | 6 | 3 | 7 | D | F | M, H | L | M | N | N | P | 1, 2 |
| Agave, etc | <i>Cephalocereus senilis</i> | Old Man Cactus | | 6 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | M | Y | Y | N | P | 4 |
| Perennial | <i>Cuphea llavea</i> | Bat-faced Cuphea | | 2 | 3 | 7 | E | M | H | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| Perennial | <i>Dietes bicolor</i> | Fortnight Lily, Evergreen Iris | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Perennial | <i>Dietes vegeta (=iridioides)</i> | Butterfly Iris, African Iris | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Perennial | <i>Erysimum linifolium</i> | Wallflower | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | L, M | M | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Euryops pectinatus</i> | Yellow Bush Daisy, Euryops Daisy | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | Y | F | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>E. p. 'Viridis'</i> | Green Bush Daisy | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | F | L | H | N | N | Y | F | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Fatsia japonica</i> | Japanese Aralia | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | F | H | L | N | N | N | S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Genista racemosa</i> | Sweet Broom | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | F | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Hedera canariensis</i> | Algerian Ivy | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | F | M, H | L, M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Hedera helix</i> | English Ivy | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | F | M, H | L, M | N | N | N | P, S | 1, 7 (all parts) |
| Perennial | <i>Hemerocallis</i> hybrids | Daylily Hybrids | | 2 | 2 | 3 | E | M | M, H | L | N | N | N | P | 1, 2 |
| Shrub | <i>Hibiscus</i> sp. | Hibiscus | | 4 | 4 | 13 | D, E | M | M, H | L | N | N | N | P | 1, 2, some 4 |
| Shrub | <i>Hyptis emoryi</i> | Desert Lavender | | 6 | 6 | 28 | S | S, M | L | H | N | N | N | F, P | 4, 6 |
| Shrub | <i>Ilex altacclarensis 'Wilsonii'</i> | Wilson Holly | | 15 | 10 | 79 | E | M | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 8 |
| Shrub | <i>Ilex cornuta</i> | Chinese Holly | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | M | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | |
| Shrub | <i>I. c. 'Burfordii'</i> | Burford Holly | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | M | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | |
| Shrub | <i>I. c. 'Burfordii Nana'</i> | Dwarf Burford Holly | | 6 | 6 | 28 | E | M | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| Shrub | <i>Ilex vomitoria 'Nana'</i> | Dwarf Yaupon Holly | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | M | N | Y | Y | F, P | |
| Shrub | <i>Ilex</i> sp. | Holly | | 20 | 10 | 79 | D, E | S | M | M | Y | Y | Y | F, P | 1, 2 |
| Perennial | <i>Iris</i> sp. | Iris | | 3 | 2 | 3 | D, S | M | M, H | L | N | N | N | P | 1, 2, some 4 |
| Vine | <i>Jasminum polyanthum</i> | Pink Jasmine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | S | M, F | M | M | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> dwarf | Dwarf Crape Myrtle | | 6 | 6 | 28 | D | S | M | M | N | N | Y | F, P | 1, 2 |
| Shrub | <i>Ligustrum japonicum</i> | Waxleaf Privet, Japanese Privet | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Ligustrum lucidum</i> | Glossy Privet | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Nandina domestica</i> | Heavenly Bamboo | | 6 | 4 | 13 | E, S | S | L | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>N. d. 'Nana'</i> | Dwarf Heavenly Bamboo | | 4 | 3 | 7 | E, S | S | L | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i> | Virginia Creeper | | 10 | 5 | 20 | D, S | F | M | L | N | N | N | P, S | 1, 5 |
| Vine | <i>Parthenocissus tricuspidata</i> | Boston Ivy, Japanese Creeper | | 10 | 5 | 20 | D, S | F | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Phoenix roebelenii</i> | Pygmy Date Palm | | 6 | 7 | 38 | E | S, M | M | L | Y | N | N | P | 4 |
| Shrub | <i>Phormium</i> sp. | Flax | | 3 | 3 | 7 | E | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 1, 2, some 4 |
| Shrub | <i>Photinia x fraseri</i> | Redtip Photinia, Fraser's Photinia | | 8 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Pittosporum tobira</i> | Japanese Mock Orange | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>P. t. 'Variegata'</i> | Variegated Mock Orange | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>P. t. 'Wheeler's Dwarf'</i> | Wheeler's Dwarf Mock Orange | | 2 | 4 | 13 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Platycladus orientalis</i> | Oriental Arborvitae | | 20 | 10 | 79 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1, 2 |
| Shrub | <i>P. o. 'Aurea Nana'</i> | Golden Arborvitae | | 4 | 2 | 3 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Podocarpus gracillor</i> | Fern Pine | | 10 | 3 | 7 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Prunus caroliniana 'Compacta'</i> | Compact Carolina Cherry | | 8 | 6 | 28 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Raphiolepis indica</i> | Indian Hawthorn | | 4 | 4 | 13 | E | S | L | M | N | N | Y | P, S | 1, 2 |
| Groundcover | <i>Stachys byzantina</i> | Lamb's Ear | | 1 | 2 | 3 | E | F | M | M | N | N | N | P | 1 |
| Agave, etc | <i>Stenocereus thurberi</i> | Organ Pipe Cactus | | 10 | 3 | 7 | E | S | L | H | Y | Y | N | F, P | 4 |
| Vine | <i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i> | Asiatic Jasmine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i> | Star Jasmine | | 10 | 5 | 20 | E | S | M | M | N | N | N | P, S | 1 |
| Shrub | <i>Viburnum</i> sp. | Viburnum | | 8 | 8 | 50 | E | S | M | M | N | Y | Y | P, S | 1 |
| Vine | <i>Wisteria sinensis</i> | Chinese Wisteria | | 10 | 8 | 20 | D | F | M, H | L | N | N | N | P, F | 1 |
| Perennial | <i>Zephyranthes</i> sp. | Fairy Lily, Rain Lily | | 1 | 1 | 1 | E, D | M | M | L | N | N | N | P | 2 |
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