



Acceptable Plant List – Appendix A

Introduction:

The following pages list plants that are acceptable for use in Sun City Lincoln Hills. Other plants may also be approved by the ARC. This information has been compiled from different sources, and not all sources are in agreement. Refer to the Sunset Garden Book for more information on plant characteristics. Also see your local nursery for additional information about local conditions for specific plants you are considering.

Tree setbacks are specified in this appendix and the setback for shrubs should consider the mature size, which is listed under the column Growth. Please note that all plants, regardless of size must be set back at least 18" from your property line

Key:

Exposure:

FS: Full Sun

PS: Partial Shade

Water Needs:

L, M, R mean Low, Medium, Regular. The amount of water is weather-dependent and regular means that the plant roots should be kept slightly moist during the dryer months.

DT indicated that the plant is drought tolerant -these are plants that can withstand long periods with little or no water and still survive. They might not look so good during these dry spells if you forget to water them, but they will quickly revive when watered again.

It is important to remember that any newly planted plant, including those which are drought tolerant, must be watered regularly until it is established.



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USDA Hardiness Zone:

SCLH's record freeze temperatures for December, January and February have been 16°, 17° and 19° F respectively. Although SCLH is in USDA Hardiness Zone 9, some parts of our community have experienced damage for plants identified as hardy for zone 9. In some cases, we have indicated the temperature at which frost damage will occur.

Tree Requirements:

Per Checklist 20, Front Yard and Open Space/Golf Course Rear Yard landscaping must include a minimum of (1) 15 gallon box tree, single trunk, topped by foliage canopy able to reach 12' tall at maturity and be maintained at 12' minimum height, or as approved by the ARC.

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Accent Trees

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<i>Cedrus atlantica</i> 'Glauca <i>Pendula</i> '	BLUE ATLAS CEDAR WEEPING BLUE CEDAR	evergreen	FS/PS	weeping	10	10'x15' - 20'	L	M/R DT	6-9	Actual size based on how it is trained. Its drooping, twisted branches have powdery blue needles.
<i>Cercis Canadensis</i>	EASTERN REDBUD	deciduous	FS/PS	small, round or umbrella	10'	M/F 25'x20'	L	M/R DT	1-24	Lavender-pink flowers, ornamental bark; short lived in urban areas
<i>Cercis occidentalis</i>	WESTERN REDBUD	deciduous	FS/PS	small, round or umbrella	10'	M/F 25'x20'	L	M/R DT	2-24	California native; leaves turn gold or red in fall; bright pink flowers
<i>Cercis canadensis</i> var. <i>texensis</i> 'Oklahoma'	OKLAHAMA REDBUD	deciduous	FS	small, round	7.5	F 20'x15'	L	R	6-9	Wine-red flowers, glossy, heat resistant
<i>Citrus</i> spp.	CITRUS DWARF VARIETIES	evergreen	FS	small, round	5'	S 8'x8'	L	R	Damage at 32°F	Dense dark green foliage, fragrant blossoms, edible citrus fruits. Protect from freezing temperatures .Rear/side yards only.
<i>Cordia boissieri</i>	TEXAS OLIVE /CORDIA	evergreen	FS	small, round	7.5'	M 20'x15'	L	M	8-24	Shrub trained as small tree, crepe paper-like flowers, olive-sized fruit
<i>Cornus florida</i>	FLOWERING DOGWOOD	deciduous	FS/PS	small, conical	7.5'	S/M 25' x20'	L	R	2b-16	Graceful compact shape, flowering tree beautiful in all seasons
<i>Crataegus phaenopyrum</i>	WASHINGTON HAWTHORN	deciduous	FS	small, round	10'	M 25'x20'	L	L	2-17	Flowers attract bees; berries showy accent; has thorns
<i>Cycas revoluta</i>	SAGO PALM	evergreen	PS	small, symmetrical	5'	S 10'x10'	L	R	8-24	Not a true palm, attractive primitive plant, poisonous for pets & humans Must be planted in a pot.

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<i>Elaeocarpus decipiens</i> dwarf cultivar "Little Emperor"	JAPANESE BLUEBERRY TREE	evergreen	FS	medium, pyramidal	10'	M 30'-60'x 20'-30'	M	R	8-24	Shrub trimmed to tree form, showy summer blooms, and black berries in fall.
<i>Eriobotrya deflexa</i>	BRONZE LOQUAT	evergreen	FS/PS	round	10'	M/F 25'x20'	L	M/R	8-24	Shiny bronzy green new foliage, deep pink flowers in spring
<i>Koelreuteria paniculata</i>	GOLDENRAIN TREE	deciduous	FS	round	10'	S/M 35'x30'	L	M	5-	Bright yellow flowers, seed pods look like brown Chinese lanterns
<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> 'Indian Tribe' hybrids	CREPE MYRTLE	deciduous	FS	small, oval	5'	M 25' x20'	L	M	7-10	Shrub trained as tree; striking pink flowers, attracts aphids
<i>Malus floribunda</i>	JAPANESE FLOWERING CRABAPPLE	deciduous	FS/PS	small, umbrella	7.5'	M 12'x18'	L	R	4-9	Deep pink buds, fade to a glistening white; red fruits, disease resistant
<i>Magnolia stellata</i> varieties	STAR MAGNOLIA	deciduous	FS	small	7.5'	S 20'x15'	L	R	2b-9	Excellent tree for small spaces
<i>Magnolia soulangiana</i>	SAUCER MAGNOLIA	deciduous	FS	small, vase	7.5'	S 25'x 15'	L	R	2b-10	Showy, heavy spring bloomer, white pink and purplish flowers
<i>Prunus cerasifera</i> 'Krauter Vesuvius'	PURPLE LEAF PLUM	deciduous	FS	small, round	7.5'	M 20'x15'	L	R	4-9	Deep reddish-purple leaves and white/pale pink flowers; short lived. Thunder cloud prohibited.
<i>Pyrus kawakamii</i>	EVERGREEN PEAR	deciduous	FS	round	15'	F 15-30 x 15-30	L	R	9-11	Flowers in early spring. Can be trained to espalier. It is evergreen for warmer climates.
<i>Rhus lancea</i>	AFRICAN SUMAC	deciduous	FS	small, umbrella	10'	S 25'x20'	L	L	8-9	Dense shade tree, arching branches, tough and reliable in dry areas

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<i>Pinus canariensis</i>	CANARY ISLAND PINE	evergreen	FS	large, columnar	15'	F 65'x30'	M	M	9-11	Ornamental, resistant to oak root fungus
<i>Pinus Densi Flora</i>	TANYOESHO PINE	evergreen	FS	Globe	15'	12'-18'	L	L/M	2-9	Control size by pruning May/June
<i>Pinus sylvestris</i>	SCOTS PINE	evergreen	FS	large, conical	15'	M 40'x40'	M	M	1-9	Used as Christmas tree; dwarf and weeping forms available
<i>Pinus thunbergiana</i>	JAPANESE BLACK PINE	evergreen	FS	large, conical	15'	F 65'x40'	M	R	3-12	Popular landscape tree, can be shaped or bonsai Slow grower.
<i>Sequoia sempervirens</i> 'Aptos Blue' / 'Los Altos' / 'Soquel'	COAST REDWOOD	evergreen	FS	large, pyramid	15	F 50'x20'	M	M	4-9	A redwood tree reaches 40-50' in about 25 years and grows 3-5 feet/year the first 5 years. Roots can be invasive and damage can be done to drainage systems. Large lots only.

Note:

Coniferous Trees may become too large for your lot size and may need to be trimmed to prevent them from overhanging over your property line or home.

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<i>Acer buergeranum</i>	TRIDENT MAPLE	FS/PS	small , oval or round	10'	M/F 25'x20'	L	M/R	2-21	Attractive lawn specimen, patio or shade tree; flaky bark
<i>Acer rubrum</i> 'Autumn Flame' 'October Glory' 'Fairview Flame'	RED MAPLE	FS	medium, columnar	12.5'	F 35'x25'	M	M	2-17	Red twigs, buds; showy flowers, fall color best in frosty areas
<i>Acer palmatum</i>	JAPANESE MAPLE ATROPURPUREUM BLOOD GOOD	FS/PS	small, umbrella	7.5'	S 25'x20'	L	DT	3-24	Accent tree needs shade, use under taller shade trees or other cover. Shelter from hot, dry, constant wind.
<i>Betula jacquemontii</i>	JAQUEMONT BIRCH	FS	medium, pyramidal	15'	M/F 40'x30'	M	R	3-27	Upward branches, white "paper" bark, likes cool soil, some borer resistant. Susceptible to aphids. Drips honeydew.
<i>Betula pendula</i>	EUROPEAN WHITE BIRCH	FS	medium, oval	10'	F 30'x20'	M	R	A2-24	Drooping branches, white bark splits into diamond-shaped patches. Prone to borers.
<i>Celtis sinensis</i>	CHINESE HACKBERRY	FS/PS	large, round	15'	M 40'x40'	L	M	8-20	Bark is light grey, rough & corky; small, dark orange-colored fruits. Glossy, scalloped leaves. Street tree.
<i>Fruit Trees - Dwarf</i>	MANY VARIETIES	FS	small round	5'	M 5'x5'	L	R	Varies	See your local nursery or the various websites for information about growing fruit trees in our area. Rear/side yards only.
<i>Fruit trees - Standard</i>	MANY VARIETIES	FS	medium round	10'	M 20'x20'	L	R	Varies	See your local nursery or the various websites for information about growing fruit trees in our area. Rear/side yards only.

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<i>Ginkgo biloba</i> 'Fairmont'	MAIDENHAIR TREE	FS	large, round	15'	S/M 35'x35'	L	M/R	A3-24	Fall color, use males only to avoid fruit with unpleasant odor. Hardy.
<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	SOUR GUM / BLACK TUPELO/ BLACK GUM	FS	medium, round	12.5'	S/M 50'x25'	L	DT	2-21	Shade tree with shining dark green summer foliage, excellent fall color Good Lawn tree.
<i>Pistacia chinensis</i>	CHINESE PISTACHE	FS	medium, round	15'	M 30'x60'	L	L/M	4-23	Fall color; needs good drainage; requires training. Tolerates lawn water.
<i>Pyrus calleryana</i> 'Chanticleer'	CALLERY PEAR / ORNAMENTAL PEAR	FS	medium, round	15'	M 35'x30'	M	M	5-9	Chanticleer popular cultivar, white flowers, fall color; narrow form
<i>Quercus lobata</i>	VALLEY OAK	FS	large, oval or umbrella	15'	M/F 40'x40'	M	L	3b-24	California native; massive, graceful tree; foliar insects/acorn litter
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	RED OAK	FS	large, oval or umbrella	15'	M/F 65'x45'	M	L	1-21	Outstanding fall color; requires good soil; acorn litter issue
<i>Tilia cordata</i> 'Greenspire'	LITTLELEAF LINDEN	FS	medium, conical	15'	S/M 50x30	M	R	1-17	Prolific bloomer, fragrant flowers, uniform branching, attracts bees. Street tree.
<i>Ulmus parvifolia</i>	CHINESE ELM	FS/PS	large, umbrella	20'	F 60'x40'	M	R	3-24	More resistant to pests and Dutch Elm Disease than most elms. Attractive patchy bark. 30' in 5 years. Use on large lots only.
<i>Zelkova serrata</i> 'Village Green'	SAWLEAF ZELKOVA	FS	large, round	15'	F 60x50	M	M/R	3-21	Wide canopy dense with dark green leaves, fall color is rusty red. Can prune to train shape.

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<i>Arbutus 'marina'</i>	STRAWBERRY TREE MARINA MADRONE	FS	small, round	10'	S 35'x30'	L	L	8-24	Clusters of white-pink flowers followed by red edible fruit, fall flowers, ornamental bark.
<i>Geijera parviflora</i>	AUSTRALIAN WILL	FS	small, oval	10'	M 35'x30'	L	L	8-24	Used as street tree; no fruit or seed drop. Smooth, gray bark. Weeping willow effect.
<i>Laurus nobilis</i>	SWEET BAY	FS/PS	small, conical	10'	S 35'x30'	M	M	5-24 20° F	Used as screen, hedged or topiary; fragrant leaves used for seasoning. Can be grown in containers.
<i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> dwarf cultivar 'Little Gem'	SOUTHERN MAGNOLIA LITTLE GEM MAGNOLIA	FS/PS	small, oval	10'	S/M 25'x15'	L	L	4-24	Saucer-shaped, fragrant flowers glossy dark green leathery leaves. Can be grown in container.
<i>Maytenus boaria</i>	MAYTEN TREE	FS	medium, oval	10'	S/M 35'x20'	M	M/R	8-24	Greenish-yellow flowers, orange seed; weeping high canopy. Can be grown in containers. Irrigate deeply or may invade planting beds
<i>Olea europaea 'Haas'</i>	HAAS IMPROVED MANZANILLO OLIVE	FS	round	7.5'	S 20'x15'	L	L	8-10	Fruiting olive - large spherical olives. Compact, rounded form. Container, hedge, or specimen use.
<i>Olea europaea 'Monher'</i>	MAJESTIC BEAUTY FRUITLESS OLIVE	FS	round	12.5'	S 25'x25'	L	L	8-11	Upright, open crown patio or garden tree. No fruit.
<i>Olea europaea 'Sevillano'</i>	SEVILLANO FRUITING OLIVE	FS	round	12.5'	S 30x25	L	L	8-11	Large black olives. Open canopy and graceful, gnarled trunk.
<i>Olea europaea 'Swan Hill'</i>	SWAN HILL OLIVE	FS	medium, round	15'	S 35'x30'	M	M DT	8-24	Fruitless, little or no pollen; drought tolerant. Leaves deep green.
<i>Picea Pungens</i> 'Albertiana'	DWARF ALBERTA SPRUCE	FS Shade	xmas	7'	1'-2' yr	L	L/M	4-24	Protect from wind, good container plant. Silvery blue color.
<i>Picea glauca 'Blue Wonder'</i>	BLUE WONDER DWARF ALBERTA SPRUCE	FS/PS	conical	3'	S 6'x3'	L	L	2-8	Striking gray-blue foliage. Containers or landscaping.
<i>Picea glauca 'Densata'</i>	BLACK HILLS SPRUCE	FS/PS	conical	6'	S 25'/12'	L	R	2-8	Symmetrical cone shaped evergreen conifer. Dense bright-green needles. Accent or screening.

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<i>Picea omorika 'Bruns'</i>	BRUNS SERBIAN SPRUCE	FS/PS	conical	5'	S 30'x10'	L	L	4-8	Upright uniform habit. Good as a screen or accent in smaller spaces.
<i>Podocarpus gracillior</i>	FERN PINE	FS/PS	large, oval	15'	S/M 60'x20'	L	L	8-24	Popular street tree, needs good drainage. Clean, pest free tree or shrub.
<i>Prunus caroliniana</i>	CAROLINA CHERRY LAUREL	FS/PS	round	12.5	M 20'x25'	L	M	7-10	Medium sized evergreen tree with dark glossy leaves. (<i>Prunus Caroliniana 'Compacta'</i> is a large shrub)
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i>	COAST LIVE OAK	FS	large, umbrella	15'	S/M 65'x50'	M/ H	M/R	7-24	California native; high maintenance in high use areas. Drops old leaves in spring.
<i>Quercus ilex</i>	HOLLY OAK	FS	large, umbrella	15'	S/M/F 65'x50'	L	L	4-24	Underside of leaf is silvery-white; acorn liter primary problem. Street tree.
<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	CALIFORNIA LAUREL	FS or shade	large, umbrella	15'	S/M 75'x100'	M	L/R DT	4-24	California native; likes ample water, but tolerates drought. Leaves can be substituted for Bay.

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Ferns

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<i>Dicksonia antarctica</i> ,	TASMANIAN TREE FERN	evergreen	shade	S 15'x6'	R	8-9	Up to 15 feet tall with arching fronds divided into small toothed leaflets giving a full 6-10 feet head
<i>Polystichum munitum</i>	WESTERN SWORD FERN	evergreen	partial shade to shade	M 4'x4'	L DT	4-9	Native; tight clump 3 feet high looks like a palm tree top cut off; drought tolerant groundcover
<i>Woodwardia fimbriata</i>	WESTERN CHAIN FERN / GIANT CHAIN FERN	deciduous	PS	F 4'x4'	R	4-9	Native; fronds 3-5 feet tall, rosette forming, used woodland gardens, near pool, against shady wall.

Grasses

BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	Evergreen Deciduous	Exposure	Growth H' x W'	Water Needs	USDA Hardines s Zone	COMMENTS
<i>Calamagrostis acutiflora</i>	FEATHER REED GRASS	evergreen	FS	M 4'x2'	R	All Zones	3-4 foot high. Flowers in spring. Clumps out to ground once each year.
<i>Carex Divulsa</i>	BERKELEY SEDGE	evergreen	PS/S	1'x3'	L/M	2-8	Nile Accent Grass. Several Varieties Available.
<i>Helictotrichon sempervirens</i> 'Saphirsprudel'	SAPPHIRE FOUNTAIN BLUE OAG TRASS	evergreen	FS	M 2'x2'	R	4-9	Graceful fountains of bright steel-blue blades. Attractive accent for specimen or rock gardens.
<i>Muhlenbergia rigens</i>	MEXICAN DEERGRASS	evergreen	FS/PS	M 4'x4'	L	7-24	California native. 4 foot tall clumps

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<i>Ajuga reptans</i>	CARPET BUGLE / BUGLEWEED	semi- evergreen	partial sun	F 1'x3'	R	All Zones	Low spreading 1 foot tall member of the Mint family, blue-violet flowers on stalks
<i>Cerastium tomentosum</i>	SNOW-IN-SUMMER	semi- evergreen	FS /PS	M 1'x3'	R	All Zones	Forms dense mat of wooly, silvery leaves, profusion of white booms; spreads quickly
<i>Chamaemelum nobile</i>	ROMAN CHAMOMILE	semi- evergreen	FS /PS	F 1'x3'	R	All Zones	Apple scented feathery foliage 4 to 12 inches high, white, daisy-like <u>flowers</u> , can mow to keep flat
<i>Fragaria chiloensis</i>	ORNAMENTAL / BEACH STRAWBERRY	semi- evergreen	shade	M 1'x6'	R	4-24	Tooth-edged leaves, ornamental strawberries, low mats. 4-8 inches high, cut back or mow in early spring.
<i>Gazania rigens var. leucolaena</i> 'Mitsuwa Yellow'	GAZANIA 'MITSUWA YELLOW'	evergreen	FS	F 1'x1'	L DT	All Zones	Likes hot, dry summers; trailing 8 to 12 inches, daisy -like <u>multicolor</u> flowers close at night.
<i>Festuca ovinia var. glauca</i> 'Bronzeglanz' / 'Elizah Blue'	BLUE FESCUE OR SHEEP FESCUE	evergreen	FS	M 1'X1'	R	1-9	Small-sized, early-blooming ornamental grass, light blue, fine-textured, radiating foliage.
<i>Hedera helix 'Needlepoint'</i>	NEEDLEPOINT IVY	evergreen	shade	F 2"X4"	R	8-9	Small pointed leaves, similar to English ivy, can be invasive if planted near natural areas. Plant in March.
<i>Hypericum calycinum</i>	ST. JOHN'S WORT	semi- evergreen	full sun to full shade	F 1'x2'	L DT	2-24	Yellow flowers, dark green dense foliage, mat growth habit likes dry, shady areas.
<i>Vinca minor</i> NOTE: <i>Vinca major</i> is Cal-IPC PEST	COMMON PERIWINKLE/ MYRTLE	evergreen	partial sun to full shade	F 2'x1'	M	5-24	Widely used, trailing mat, glossy green leaves blue/violet flowers, can become invasive. Grows in mounds.
<i>Armeria maritima</i>	CALIFORNIA SEA PINK / SEA THRIFT	evergreen	light shade	F 6" x 1'	M/L	All Zones	Native, very low growing dark lush foliage with attractive bright pink balls flowers on long stalks.

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<i>Erodium reichardii</i> DC. (<i>Erodium chamaedryoides</i>)	CRANESBILL / CARPET FLOWER GERANIUM	evergreen	partial shade	S 6" x 1'	R	7-9	Forms lose 6-12 inch low carpet; flowers white, pink to purple; hardy, easy care & long-lived. Flowers April – October.
<i>Herniaria glabra</i>	GREEN CARPET / RUPTUREWORT	evergreen	FS /shade,	S 2"x2'	R	All Zones	Bright green creeper spreads 2 inches high, 2 feet wide, has one long tap root. Takes foot traffic.
<i>Heuchera spp.</i>	CORAL BELLS	evergreen to deciduous	FS to shade	M 2'x2'	R	All Zones	Foliage in many colors, shapes, sizes with pink spikes, drought tolerant, very cold hardy.
<i>Isotoma fluviatilis</i> (<i>Laurentia</i>)	BLUE STAR CREEPER	evergreen	FS to partial shade	F 3"x2'	R	8-9	Flat carpet of tiny green leaves, blue flowers; used between paving stones, as a lawn substitute.
<i>Ophiopogon japonicus</i> (<i>Lirrope</i>)	MONDO GRASS	evergreen	FS to shade	S 1'x3'	R	5-10	Grass-like clumps 6-10 inches of dark green 1/8 inch leaf blades, spreads by underground stolons.
<i>Soleirolia soleirolii</i>	BABY'S TEARS / IRISH MOSS	evergreen	shade	F 4"x3'	R	4-24	Low spreading, has tiny, round, bright green leaves that form a dense mat; frost-tender.

Ground Covers - Woody

BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	Evergreen Deciduous	Exposure	Growth H' x W'	Water Needs	USDA Hardines s Zone	COMMENTS
<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i> 'Point Reyes'	POINT REYES BEARBERRY	evergreen	FS/PS	S 4"X5'	L/M	1-9	Dense ground cover forms spreading carpet 1 to 4 inches tall; round, deep green leaves
<i>Arctostaphylos hookeri</i> 'Monterey Carpet'	MONTEREY MANZANITA	evergreen	FS/PS	S 3'X6'	L	6-9	Creeping manzanita less than 1 foot tall. Dark red branches root & spread to 8 feet
<i>Baccharis pilularis</i> 'Twin Peaks'	DWARF COYOTE BRUSH	evergreen	FS	F	L/M DT	5-11	Native, low, dense, spreading tough groundcover, must be pruned to the ground each year.
<i>Ceanothus griseus horizontalis</i> 'Yankee Point' / 'Joyce Coulter'	CALIFORNIA WILD LILAC	evergreen	FS	F 2'-3'X10'	L	5-10	Spreading 2-3 feet tall & 10 feet wide, striking blue flowers; attracts aphids
<i>Cistus salviifolius</i> 'Prostratus'	SAGELEAF ROCKROSE	evergreen	FS	F 2'X6'	L	6-9	Low spreading 2 feet tall 6 feet wide, gray-green foliage, white flowers; used for sloped areas
<i>Cistus x hybridus</i>	WHITE ROCKROSE	evergreen	FS	F 4'X8'	L	6-9	Heat-loving, used as dry bank cover; prune old stems to keep vigorous; showy white flowers
<i>Coprosma kirkii</i> 'Variegata'	CREEPING COPROSMA	evergreen	FS/PS	F 2'X6'	L/R	14-24	Low 1-2 feet tall 6 feet wide, cream-margined gray-green leaves, white berries; prune regularly
<i>Correa</i> 'Carmine Bells' (Hybrid Correa)	AUSTRALIAN FUCHSIA	evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x8'	M	14-24	Compact 2 feet tall, 8 feet wide; bell-like red flowers fall & winter are nectar for hummingbirds
<i>Cotoneaster dammeri</i> 'LowFast'	BEARBERRY COTONEASTER	evergreen	FS/PS	F 1'X10'	L	2-24	Trailing stems root as they touch ground, 1 foot tall spreads to 10 feet; white flowers, red berries
<i>Juniperus chinensis</i> 'Gold Coast'	GOLD COAST JUNIPER	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'X5'	L	1-24	Graceful, compact 3 feet tall spreads to 5 feet wide, golden yellow new growth in winter

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<i>Juniperus procumbens</i> 'Nana'	JAPANESE GARDEN JUNIPER	evergreen	FS/PS	S 1'x4'	M	1-24	Curved branches lay flat on ground, 12 inch high spreading 4 to 5 feet; short bluish-green needles. Some sun protection.
<i>Juniperus conferta</i> 'Blue Pacific'	SHORE JUNIPER / BLUE PACIFIC JUNIPER	evergreen	FS/PS	S 1'x6'	L/M	3-9	Grey-green foliage 1 foot tall spreads to 6-8 feet; more heat tolerant variety, excels on coast.
<i>Juniperus sabina</i> 'Blue Forest' 'Broadmoor'	SAVIN JUNIPER	evergreen	FS	S 3'x10'	L/M	1-24	Can be used on poor sites or in urban settings; usually seen in the form of one of its cultivars
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	LANTANA	evergreen	FS	F 1'x6'	L/M	8-10	Low growth 12 inches high spreads to 6 feet, takes heat, pink-purple flowers; can be invasive
<i>Mahonia aquifolium</i> 'Compacta'	CREEPING OREGON GRAPE	evergreen	filtered shade	S 6'x5'	L/M	2-12	Spreading shade plant, can be used on north side of house, in a small flower bed. Edible blue-gray fruit (good jelly)
<i>Mahonia repens</i>	CREEPING MAHONIA	evergreen	sun/PS	M 1'x3'	L/R	2b-9	Spiny, gray green leaves, yellow flowers spreading 1-3 feet by rhizomes or above ground. Good winter color.
<i>Ribes viburnifolium</i>	EVERGREEN CURRANT	evergreen	shade	M 2'-3'x8'	L/R	7-9	Native ground cover for dry shade, 2-3 feet high spreads 8 feet, foliage has sweet scent of grapes. Wine-red stems. To keep low, cut upright stems.
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> 'Lockwood de Forest'	PROSTRATE ROSEMARY	evergreen	FS	M/F 2'x6'-8'	L DT	4-24	Herb cascades 2 feet high to 6-8 feet wide, bright green foliage covered with pale blue flowers
<i>Sedum reflexum</i> 'Blue Spruce'	BLUE SPRUCE STONECROP	evergreen	FS/PS	M 5" x 18"	L DT	3-11	A drought tolerant groundcover with small blue leaves. Yellow flowers. Containers, rock gardens.

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<i>Achillea spp</i>	YARROW	semi- evergreen	FS	F 2'x2'	L DT	4a	Ancient herb; bright yellow, orange, pink-to-red, blossom clusters rise out of lacy aromatic foliage
<i>Agapanthus orientalis</i>	LILY OF THE NILE	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F	L DT	7-9	Clusters of large, blue, flowers appear atop long stalks above green blades in grass-like clump
<i>Agapanthus africanus 'Peter Pan'</i>	DWARF LILY OF THE NILE	evergreen	FS/PS	M	L DT	7-9	Dwarf variety with narrow blades to 12 inches long, blue tubular flowers on stems
<i>Aloe saponaria Succulent</i>	SOAP ALOE / AFRICAN ALOE	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F	L	8-9	Succulent. Low clump of succulent lance-shaped leaves with sharp teeth form rosette up to 2 feet tall
<i>Aquilegia formosa</i>	WESTERN COLUMBINE	deciduous	FS/PS	F	M	All Zones	Native; 2-3 feet tall, blue-green, lobed foliage and pendent, yellow and red, spurred flowers.
<i>Armeria maritime 'Bloodstone'</i>	BLOODSTONE THRIFT (MANY VARIETIES)	deciduous	FS/PS	F 1'x1'	R	3-9	Dependable plant for borders or along walks. Clumping, grassy textured foliage. Rock garden, landscape accents or containers.
<i>Aspidistra elatior</i>	CAST IRON PLANT	evergreen	deep to med. shade	M/F	M DT	4-10	Named for its ability survive adverse conditions; 12-20 inch leathery green leaves; spreads in clumps
<i>Buddleja</i>	BUTTERFLY BUSH	evergreen	FS	F 6'x6'	L DT	All Zones	Large, arching shrub that produces masses of flowers in midsummer to fall. Flower colors include blue, pink, red, violet, yellow, and white.
<i>Campanula spp.</i>	BELLFLOWER	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3' x 3'	L DT	3	Bell shaped flowers of blue, purple, pink or white; low growing creepers or grows upright. Easy to grow.
<i>Canna x generalis</i>	CANNA LILY	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3' x 3'	R	8b	Not a true lily, cannas are one of the most popular <u>garden</u> plants; grows 3-6 feet high, large, tropical foliage and yellow, orange, & red flowers

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<i>Chrysanthemum frutescens</i>	MARGUERITE DAISY	evergreen	FS/PS	M	R	All Zones	Stiff-stemmed 1-2 feet tall, with 2 inch daisy-like flowers in lavender, white, or pink
<i>Coreopsis spp</i>	COREOPSIS	evergreen	FS	M/F	L DT	1-16	Bright yellow, dark center daisy-like flower on slender branched stalks, used as cut flowers
<i>Dianthus barbatus</i>	SWEET WILLIAM	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F	R	All Zones	Dense cluster of little flowers with fringed petals of red, pink, purple or violet and clove-like scent
<i>Dietes vegeta</i>	FORTNIGHT LILY / AFRICAN IRIS	evergreen	light shade	M/F	R	8-9	Iris-like flowers of white, with yellow and blue; grow from crisp fans of thin, dark green blades
<i>Erigeron</i>	BUCKWHEAT	evergreen	F/S	3'x4'	L	8-9	California native. Grows in clumps. Blooms May-October
<i>Euphorbia</i>	RIGIDA	evergreen	F/S	F 1'x2'	L	8-9	Freely self-seeds. Promptly remove spent flowers to prevent any unwanted self-seeding. Evergreen, but foliage decline usually occurs in cold winter climates, especially when exposed to wind.
<i>Euryops pectinatus</i>	YELLOW BUSH DAISY	evergreen	FS	F 3'x3'	L DT	8-9	Yellow daisy-like flowers cover 3 foot high shrubby plant, fern-like silvery gray/green leaves.
<i>Felicia amelloides</i>	BLUE MARGUERITE / BLUE DAISY	evergreen	FS	F 1'x5'	Varies	8-9	Blue daisy flowers, 1 inch wide with yellow centers, small, <u>green</u> , oval, aromatic leaves
<i>Gaillardia</i>	BLANKETFLOWER	evergreen	FS	M 4'x2'	L	All zones	Bright and colorful daisy-like flowers.
<i>Gaura lindheimeri</i>	LINDHEIMERI / WAND FLOWER	evergreen	FS	M 4'x2'	L	All zones	Bushy, clump-forming, vase-shaped perennial with lance-shaped or spoon-shaped, toothed leaves on slender, wand-like stems.

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<i>Helleborus</i>	LENTEN ROSE	evergreen	FS	M 1'x1'	M	All zones	Bloom Mar.-May.
<i>Hemerocallis hybrids</i>	DAYLILY	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F 2'x2'	R	All Zones	Orange, yellow, red, pink, purple, white flowers on erect stems with blades in large clumps. May to September bloom.
<i>Hesperaloe</i>	PARVIFLORA	evergreen	FS	M 4'x3'	L	5-10	Plant in spring , clumps, blooms summer Davis California Native
<i>Heuchera</i>	CORAL BELLS	evergreen	partial shade	M 2'x1'	R	4-9	Excellent foliage plants for sun to partial shade gardens.
<i>Iberis sempervirens</i>	EVERGREEN CANDYTUFT	evergreen	FS/PS	F 1'x1'	R	All Zones	Shiny, deep green leaves, white flowers clusters; 12 inches high spreads to 3-4 feet. Blooms early spring to June.
<i>Iris douglasiana</i>	PACIFIC COAST IRIS / DOUGLAS IRIS	evergreen	filtered sun	S 3'x1'	Varies	All Zones	Native iris, cream to purple flowers on 1-2 foot high stem, 3 inches wide, long green blades.
<i>Kniphofia uvaria</i>	RED HOT POKER / TORCH LILY	evergreen	FS	M/F 3'x3'	L	1-9 DT	Long grass-like blades, unusual red, orange and yellow flower spikes, spreads up to 3 feet. Dwarf available.
<i>Lavandula angustifolia</i>	ENGLISH LAVENDER	semi- evergreen	FS	F 2'x3'	L	4-24 DT	A fragrant showy purple pinkish flowers, gray-green foliage 1-3 feet high, spreads 2-4 feet. Dwarf. Bees.
<i>Lavandula dentata</i>	FRENCH LAVENDER	evergreen	FS/PS	S 2'x3'	L	8-9	Colorful petals, gray green narrow leaves; 2 feet tall. Use as low hedge, drought tolerant.

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<i>Leonotis leonurus</i>	WILD DAGGA / LION'S EAR	semi- evergreen	FS to dark shade	F 3'x6'	L	8-24 DT	Bright orange flowers in compact clusters, long, narrow serrated leaves, medicinal herb. Blooms summer-fall.
<i>Liriope muscari</i>	LILY TURF / BIG BLUE LILYTURF	evergreen	filtered sun	M 3'x3'	DT	5-10	Grass-like clumps grouped as groundcover, dark green mat, spikes of purple blooms. July-August blooms.
<i>Mimulus Diplacus</i>	MONKEY FLOWER	evergreen	P/S	M 2'x2'	L	7-9	California native. Like dry conditions. Tolerates heat.
<i>Nepeta</i>	CATMINT	evergreen	FS	M 2'x1'	L	7-9	California native. Purple blooms hummingbird attractor
<i>Oenothera berlandieri</i> 'Siskiyou'	MEXICAN PRIMROSE	evergreen	FS	F 6'x3'	L DT	All Zones	Pale pink flowers, invasive rhizomes difficult to remove, resists Roundup®. Summer bloom.
<i>Origanum</i>	DWARF OREGANO	evergreen	FS	M 2'x2'	M	All Zones	Purple blooms midsummer.
<i>Penstemon spp.</i>	BEARDTONGUE	deciduous to evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x2'	L DT	10-	Native, spikes of blue, pink, purple, red, or white tubular flowers; erect or creeping groundcover. Spring-summer bloom.
<i>Perovskia</i>	RUSSIAN SAGE	evergreen	FS	M 3'x2'	L	4-9	Purple blooms in midsummer
<i>Phlox subulata</i>	MOSS PINK / CREEPING PHLOX	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x3'	M	4-8	Spring carpet of small flowers in dense clusters of <u>variegated</u> red, white, blue, pink, rose, or purple
<i>Phormium tenax</i> (Dwarf varieties) 'Bronze Baby' / 'Duet' 'Jester'	DWARF NEW ZEALAND FLAX	evergreen	FS	M/F 3'x3'	Varies	2-24	Upright 1-3 feet high clump of bronze blades; cream, pink, flower stalks red or yellow blossoms

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<i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i>	LAVENDER COTTON	evergreen	FS	F 2'x3'	L DT	All Zones	Fine-textured, mounding 1-2 feet tall gray foliage and yellow, button-like flowers in summer
<i>Rudbeckia</i>	GLORIOSA DAISY	evergreen	FS	M 4x3	L	8-9	Blooms yellow and brown centers
<i>Salvia guaranitica 'Black and Blue'</i>	BLACK AND BLUE SAGE	deciduous	FS	F 3'x3'	R	7-10	Cobalt-blue flower from a black whorl along tall flower spikes. Herbaceous perennial. Attracts hummingbirds.
<i>Salvia sylvestris 'Blue Hill'</i>	BLUE HILL MEADOW SAGE	deciduous	FS	M 1'x1'	M/L	4-9	Spectacular perennial with spikes of blue flowers. Rock gardens, containers, naturalized areas.
<i>Scaevola albida</i>	MAUVE CLUSTERS / FAIRY FAN FLOWR	evergreen	FS	M 6"X3'	L	8-9 20-25° F	Lilac blooms. Forms a dense mass.
<i>Sedum 'Autumn Joy'</i>	AUTUMN JOY / STONECROP	evergreen	FS	M 2'x2'	M/L	8-9	The flowers bloom from August into November; open pink and mature to a copper. Has succulent stems and leaves. Looks great with ornamental grasses.
<i>Senecio cineraria</i>	DUSTY MILLER	semi- evergreen	FS	F 2'x3'	Varies	All Zones	Woolly, silvery-gray foliage in a low mound, used edging borders and beds. drought tolerant
<i>Stachys</i>	LAMB'S EAR	evergreen	P/S	M 1'x1'	L	4-8	Soft, thick, woolly white-green foliage
<i>Stachys</i>	SILVER CARPET	evergreen	P/S	M 1'x1'	L/M	4-8	Dense growth. White woolly leaves and purple flowers make an excellent edging or low border.
<i>Tulbaghia violacea</i>	SOCIETY GARLIC	evergreen	FS to light shade	M 1'x2'	R	8-9 20-25°F	Grayish green grass-like blades, onion odor; large clusters of lavender or lilac flowers

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<i>Verbena peruviana 'Homestead Purple'</i>	HOMESTEAD PURPLE VERBENA	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x3'	Varies	3-8	Spreading can reach about 3 feet tall, has small green leaves with purple flowers bloom all year
<i>Zauschneria</i>	CALIFORNIA FUSHIA	evergreen	F/S	M 2'x2'	L	5-9	Blooms in summer Hummingbird attractor

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<i>Arbutus unedo</i>	STRAWBERRY MADRONE	deciduous	FS	S/M 15'x20'	L	4-24	Clusters of white-pink flowers, red edible fruit
<i>Buddleja davidii</i> 'Black Knight'	BUTTERFLY BUSH 'BLACK NIGHT'	deciduous semi- evergreen	FS	F 6'-8' x10'	L/M	2-24	Blooms attract butterflies. Cut back before spring growth. May die back but regrows.
<i>Callistemon citrinus</i> 'Splendens' / 'Improved'	LEMON BOTTLEBRUSH	evergreen	FS	M 15'x15'	R	8-9	Splendens has lemony smelling leaves, flowers crimson colored; tough hedge. Hardy.
<i>Camellia japonica</i>	CAMELLIA	deciduous	filtered sun/shade	F 20'x20'	M/R	4-9	Flowers bloom from winter to spring, glossy leaves a deep, shiny green. Protect from full sun. Feed commercial acid plant food.
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i>	SASANQUA	evergreen	filtered sun	F 8'x12'	M DT	4-9	Profusion of flowers in fall, early winter. Hardy.
<i>Ceanothus</i> 'Ray Hartman';	WILD LILAC 'RAY HARTMAN';	evergreen	FS	M 15'x20'	L DT	5-9	Evergreen shrub to 15 ft. or so. The flowers are light to medium blue in 6" flower spikes. The 6" leaves are glossy and dark-green.
<i>Ceanothus</i> 'Victoria'	WILD LILAC 'VICTORIA'	evergreen	FS	M 9'x10'	L DT	8a-	Dark cobalt blue buds appear in late spring, covering the dense, dark green foliage with deep blue flowers. Vigorous, upright grower makes a terrific tall hedge, screen or windbreak.
<i>Cedrus atlantica</i> 'Horstmann' DWF	ATLAS CEDAR 'HORSTMANN' DWF	evergreen	FS	M 8'x5'	S/M	3b-10	A semi-dwarf selection with densely-spaced icy-blue needles. The architectural, irregular outline gives this great interest in the garden year-round. Superb where space is limited. Evergreen.
<i>Chamaelucium uncinatum</i>	GERALDTON WAXFLOWER	evergreen	FS	F 6'-8'x6'	M/L	8-9	Rosy-pink flowers in winter have good longevity in cut arrangements; drought tolerant
<i>Continus coggygia</i>	SMOKE TREE	evergreen	FS	S 12'x15'	M	2-24	Multi-stemmed small tree turns a smoky pink
<i>Cotoneaster lacteus</i>	PARNEY COTONEASTER	evergreen	FS/ PS	S/M 10'x10'	L DT	6-8	Low maintenance, tolerates pruning; clusters of red berries in the fall and winter attract birds

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<i>Cotoneaster parneyi</i>	COTONEASTER	evergreen	FS	M 8'x10'	L/M	4-24	Evergreen, arching shrub ideal for hedging.
<i>Dodonaea viscosa 'Purpureus'</i>	PURPLE HOPSEED BUSH	evergreen	FS	M 10'x10'	R	7-24	Bronzy-green foliage turns deep purple-red in fall; pinkish fruit; used as evergreen screen
<i>Euonymus japonica 'Gold Spot' / 'Grandifolia'</i>	EVERGREEN EUONYMUS	evergreen / semi- evergreen	FS/PS	S/M 8'x10'	M	4-20	One of the most durable landscape plants in the West; orange seeds attract birds
<i>Feijoa sellowiana (Acca sellowiana)</i>	PINEAPPLE GUAVA	evergreen	FS/PS	M 8'x8'	L	7-9	Responds well to pruning used as hedge; striking flowers edible, fruit edible.
<i>Fremontodendron californicum</i>	FLANNEL BUSH	deciduous	FS /PS	F 20'x20'	L	4-24	Dominant shrub of desert chaparral; large yellow flowers in spring.
<i>Grevillea 'Canberra Gem'</i>	GREVILLEA 'CANBERRA GEM'	evergreen	FS	M 15'x15'	L	8-9	A spreading, medium sized shrub with prickly, narrow foliage. Bears masses of Pinkish-red flowers. Excellent for screens and is a great bird-attractor.
<i>Grewia occidentalis</i>	LAVENDER STARFLOWER	evergreen	FS	F 6'-10' x6'	R	8-9	Shrub or small tree; purple star-shaped flowers attract butterflies; distinctive four-lobed fruits.
<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	TOYON	deciduous	FS/PS	F 20'x20'	L/M	5-9	California native, multi-stemmed tree with red berries in winter holiday season.
<i>Hibiscus syriacus</i>	ROSE-OF-SHARON	evergreen	FS/PS	F 10'x6'	R	2-24	Blooms most of the summer, large, flat blossoms attract hummingbirds; likes hot weather.
<i>Ilex meserveae 'Mesdob', 'Mesog'</i>	BERRI-MAGIC CHINA HOLLY	evergreen	FS/PS	M 10'x10'	R	4-9	Profusion of bright red berries each fall.

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<i>Juniperus chinensis 'Torulosa'</i>	HOLLYWOOD JUNIPER	evergreen	FS	S/M 15'x20'	L	1-24	Twisted juniper, drought-tolerant; suitable for xeriscaping.
<i>Lagerstroemia indica</i>	CRAPE MYRTLE	evergreen	FS	F 20'x20'	R	7-10	Showy flower clusters of white, pinks, purples; use Indian Tribe group hybrids; aphids a problem.
<i>Nerium oleander</i>	OLEANDER	evergreen	FS	F 10'x12'	L	8-16 20° F	Tough durable shrub; used for screens, informal hedges; aphids a problem
<i>Osmanthus fragrans</i>	SWEET OLIVE / TEA OLIVE	evergreen	filtered shade	M 10'X8'	L	8-9	Glossy leaves and fragrant little white blossoms that bloom almost all year long; attractive hedge.
<i>Phormium tenax</i>	NEW ZEALAND FLAX	evergreen	FS	M 9'X5'	L	7-9	Mature clumps twice as wide as high. Vertical stalk flowers red-orange.
<i>Photinia x fraseri 'Red Robin'</i>	RED TIP PHOTINIA	evergreen	FS	S/M 10'X10'	M	4-24	Lush, glossy, green foliage, topped by brilliant red new growth. Extremely durable screen, hedge.
<i>Pittosporum tenuifolium /P. nigricans.</i>	TAWHIWHI	evergreen	FS/PS	F 20'x15'	M/R	14-17	Black stems, purple, silver or variegated leaves. Purple flowers. Tolerant of trimming, used as a hedge.
<i>Podocarpus macrophyllus maki</i>	YEW PINE	evergreen	FS	S/M 20'X10'	R	4-9	Needlelike leaves a lustrous dark green; may be trimmed as informal or sheared hedges. Narrow, upright. Very heat tolerant.
<i>Prunus caroliniana 'Bright 'n Tight'/ 'Compacta'</i>	CAROLINA LAUREL CHERRY	evergreen	FS/PS	M 9'X7'	L/M	5-24	Low maintenance, hardy; fragrant white fuzzy flowers, black berries; needs moist rich soil.
<i>Rhododendron spp - (species includes azaleas)</i>	RHODODENDRON SPECIES	evergreen	shade/ PS	M varies	R to ample	4-6	Needs moisture; large dark green leaves, large round flower clusters are white, pink, purple or red at tips of branches.
<i>Xylosma congestum</i>	SHINY XYLOSMA	deciduous evergreen	FS	F 10'x10'	M	10° F	Used as a large screen, can be trained as a tree; shiny, yellowish-green leaves and bronze-colored new growth.

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<i>Abelia grandiflora</i>	GLOSSY ABELIA	semi- evergreen	FS	F 8'x5'	M	4-24	Pinkish-white flowers attracts butterflies; can be heavily pruned, used as massed group or hedge. Loses leaves at 15°F
<i>Alyogyne huegelii</i>	BLUE HIBISCUS	evergreen	FS	M 5'x8'	L/M	23°F	Blue flowers 4-6 inches across bloom on and off during the year; deeply lobed leaf.
<i>Arctostaphylos</i> ssp	MANZANITA	evergreen	FS	S 4'x5'	L	6-9	Native; dark red bark, bright green leaves, and white to pink flowers; very drought tolerant. Water 1/mo. Well drained.
<i>Arctostaphylos densiflora</i> 'Howard McMinn'	MANZANITA 'HOWARD MCMINN	evergreen	FS	M 5'x7'	L	7-9	Small, glossy dark green leaves. Fragrant white flowers in spring.
<i>Berberis thunbergii</i> f. <i>atropurpurea</i>	RED JAPANESE BARBERRY	deciduous	FS to PS	F 4'x6'	L	2b-24	Reddish purple leaves, fragrant flowers, brittle three-pronged thorns, used as barrier hedge
<i>Ceanothus</i> 'Julia Phelps'	CALIFORNIA LILAC	evergreen	FS	F 4'x7'	L	5-9	Native; deep purple fragrant flower clusters, very drought tolerant, excellent hedges. One of the best bloomers.
<i>Ceanothus</i> 'Frosty Blue'	WILD LILAC 'FROSTY BLUE'	evergreen	FS	M 8'x10'	L DT	5-9	Evergreen that grows to six or eight feet tall and about as wide. Can be pruned.
<i>Ceanothus thyrseflorus</i> 'Skylark'	WILD LILAC 'SLYLARK'	evergreen	FS	M 4'x5'	L	5-9	Tolerates summer water. Prune lightly.
<i>Chaenomeles</i> hybrids C. x <i>superba</i> and C. <i>speciosa</i>	FLOWERING QUINCE	deciduous	FS	M 4'x4'	M/R	2-23	<u>Ornamental shrub</u> with bright orange-red flowers in early spring, fruit very hard and astringent. Very hardy. Can prune as it flowers.
<i>Cistus</i> 'Bennett's White'	BENNETT'S WHITE ROCK ROSE	evergreen	FS	F 4'-6' x4-x6'	L	8-10	Sturdy, easy care shrub with white flowers in summer. Excellent for dry banks or accent plant.
<i>Cistus purpureus</i>	ORCHID ROCKROSE	evergreen	FS	F 4'x4'	L	6-9	Fragrant 3 inch pink flowers spring and summer; heat-loving dry bank cover. Prune annually to avoid getting weedy.

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<i>Coleonema pulchrum</i>	PINK BREATH-OF-HEAVEN	evergreen	FS/ PS	F 5'x5'	R DT	7-9	Pink flowers, used along hillsides, bank cover or along paths where fragrance can be enjoyed.
<i>Elaeagnus x effingei 'Gilt Edge'</i>	ELAEAGNUS 'GILT EDGE'	deciduous	FS	M 4'x4'	L	7-11	Golden-yellow margins on foliage year-round. Superb hedge or low screen tolerates heat, wind and requires little maintenance.
<i>Elaeagnus pungens 'Fruitlandi'</i> Note: <i>Elaeagnus angustifolia</i> is invasive	SILVERBERRY, RUSSIAN OLIVE	evergreen	FS/ PS	F 8'x8'	L	4-24	Hardy, bi-colored silvery leaves & fruit, responds well to pruning can use as hedge. Fragrant flowers.
<i>Escallonia x exoniensis 'Fradesii'</i>	PINK PRINCESS ESCALLONIA	evergreen	FS/ PS	F 6'x6'	R	7-9	Compact shrub, year-round rosy-red flower clusters, responds well to pruning for hedge.
<i>Euonymus japonica 'Gold Spot'</i>	SPINDLE TREE / JAPANESE EUONYMUS	Deciduous or evergreen	FS	M 6'x5'	M DT	5-9	Used as hedge, tolerant of trimming; fruits are colorful, orange seeds attract birds.
<i>Euonymus japonicus 'Silver King'</i>	EUONYMUS 'SILVER KING'	evergreen	FS	M 6'x3'	M/R	4-20	Green leaves edged with silvery white. Hardy but has pests.
<i>Fatsia japonica</i>	JAPANESE ARALIA	evergreen	shade/ PS	M 5'x8'	R DT	4-9	Bold landscape foliage 12 inch wide deeply lobed leaves. Cut to ground to rejuvenate in spring.
<i>Feijoa sellowiana (Acca sellowiana)</i>	PINEAPPLE GUAVA	evergreen	FS/PS	S 8'x5'	L	7-9	Responds well to pruning, can be used as hedge; flowers and fruit are edible
<i>Forsythia x intermedia 'Lynwood Gold'</i>	FORSYTHIA 'LYNWOOD GOLD'	deciduous	FS	F 7'x6'	M/R	2b-11	Yellow blooms in spring.
<i>Gardenia augusta (G. jasminoides)</i>	GARDENIA, CAPE- JASMINE	evergreen	PS	M 3'x3'	R ample	7-9	Glossy dark to bright green leaves, waxy fragrant flowers bloom in mid-spring to early summer.

Shrubs - Medium (4' to 8' High)

BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	Evergreen Deciduous	Exposure	Growth H' x W'	Water Needs	USDA Hardiness Zone	COMMENTS
<i>Genista racemosa</i>	SWEET BROOM		FS	M 5'x5'	L/M	5-9	Flowers. Hardy but needs good drainage. Less invasive than other brooms.
<i>Grevillea X 'Noellii'</i>	GREVILLEA / NOEL'S GREVILLEA	evergreen	FS	M 4'x5'	M	8-9	Bright green needle-like foliage. Small red and cream colored flowers. Drought tolerant.
<i>Juniperus chinensis 'Sea Green'</i>	SEA GREEN JUNIPER	evergreen	FS	M 4'X6'	L DT	1-24	Compact spreader; arching branches 6 feet tall and wider, dark mint green foliage
<i>Juniperus horizontalis 'Icee Blue'</i>	JUNIPER 'ICEE BLUE'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 1'x10'	L	1-24	Maintains dense crown of silvery blue foliage.
<i>Ligustrum japonicum</i> Note: <i>L. lucidum</i> / <i>L. vulgare</i> are pests	JAPANESE PRIVET	evergreen	FS/ PS	F 6'x6'	R	4-24	Thick glossy leaves, used as hedge or tall screen, favorite for creating novelty topiary specimens.
<i>Loropetalum</i>	CHINESE FRINGE FLOWER	evergreen	FS/PS	6'x6'	L	2-9	Pink/red flowers, green to Purple Foliage depending on variety.
<i>Loropetalum Chinese 'Rubrum'</i>	FRINGE FLOWER 'RUBRUM'	evergreen	FS/PS	F 6'x6'	R	6-9	Burgundy foliage, double pick fringed flowers spring-summer. Takes pruning well.
<i>Mahonia aquifolium</i>	OREGON GRAPE HOLLY	evergreen	PS	M 6'x5'	L DT	2-12	Glossy dark green leaflets edged with sharp spines; grape-like clusters of dark blue berries
<i>Mahonia pinnata</i>	CALIFORNIA HOLLY GRAPE	evergreen	partial or full shade	M 4'x5'	0	8-24	Glossy green leaves edged with <u>spiny</u> teeth; spiky clusters of yellow flowers; thrives in hot climates
<i>Myrtus communis L. 'Compacta'</i>	TRUE MYRTLE	evergreen	FS/ PS	M	L DT	4-24	Fragrant leaves used as a spice, white fragrant flowers and blue-purple berries are edible.
<i>Nandina domestica 'Emerald Sea'</i>	HEAVENLY BAMBOO EMERALD SEA	evergreen	FS/ PS	M 6'X3'	M DT	6-10	Not a true bamboo, cane-like stems; ferny foliage creamy white flowers turn to bright red berries.

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BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	Evergreen Deciduous	Exposure	Growth H' x W'	Water Needs	USDA Hardiness Zone	COMMENTS
<i>Olea europaea</i> 'Montra'	LITTLE OLLIE DWARF OLIVE	evergreen	FS	M 4'-6'x4'-6'	L	8-11	Dwarf, non-fruiting olive, multi-branching habit. Use as formal clipped hedge or specimen shrub.
<i>Phormium</i> 'Black Rage'	FLAX 'BLACK RAGE'	evergreen	FS/PS	F	L/R	7-9 20° F	Blue-black foliage Hardy to 20° F. Prune out old leaves.
<i>Phormium</i> 'Mat's Merot'	FLAX 'MAT'S MEROT'	evergreen	FS/PS	F	L/R	7-9 20° F	Dark black-maroon leaves with smoky black-green undersides Hardy to 20° F.
<i>Phormium</i> 'Sea Jade'	FLAX 'SEA JADE'	evergreen	FS/PS	F 4'x5'	L/R	7-9 20° F	Leaves maroon, bronze in center and lime green margins. Cool weather intensifies foliage color. Hardy to 20° F
<i>Phormium</i> 'Sundowner'	FLAX 'SUNDOWNER'	evergreen	FS/PS	F 5'x6'	L/R	7-9 20° F	Leaves olive to bronze. Stripes of pink-red at edge. Hardy to 20° F.
<i>Phormium</i> 'Yellow Wave'	FLAX 'YELLOW WAVE'	evergreen	FS/PS	F 4'x5'	L/R	7-9 20° F	Chartreuse leaves with lime-green margins Hardy to 20° F.
<i>Photinia x</i> 'Fireball Red' DWF	PHOTINIA 'FIREBALL RED' DWF	evergreen	FS/PS	F	L	7-9	New growth is bright red. Good hedge or foundation plant.
<i>Picea glauca</i> 'Haal'	ALBERTA BLUE DWARF SPRUCE	evergreen	FS/PS	S 6'x2'	L	2-8	Cold-hardy, striking silvery blue foliage. Tight conical form and maintenance free. Containers or specimen.
<i>Picea pungens</i> 'Globosa'	BLUE SPRUCE DWARF	evergreen	FS/PS	M 4' x 5'	R	2-8	Globe-shaped evergreen shrub, flat-topped and densely branched. Bright blue needles. Good accent.
<i>Pinus mugo</i> P. <i>mugo</i> cultivars 'Mops,' 'Sherwood Compact'	MUGO PINE / DWARF MOUNTAIN PINE	evergreen	FS	S 4'x4'	L	1-11	Small, round dwarf, dense, compact 2 feet to 4 feet in height and spread
<i>Plumbago auriculata</i> (P. <i>capensis</i>) 'Royal Cape'	CAPE PLUMBAGO	evergreen semi- deciduous	FS/PS	S 6'x10'	L/R	8-9	Phlox-like white to intense blue flowers on long stems; used as a shrub, climber or groundcover

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BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	Evergreen Deciduous	Exposure	Growth H' x W'	Water Needs	USDA Hardiness Zone	COMMENTS
<i>Pittosporum tobira</i> 'Variegata'	PITTOSPORUM / MOCK ORANGE	evergreen /deciduous	FS/LS	F 5'x10'	M/R	8-24	Variegated gray-green leaves, creamy white flowers smell of orange blossoms, avoid shearing
<i>Prunus Laurocerasus</i>	ENGLISH LAUREL	evergreen	S/PS	6"x8"	M/L	2-9	Medium hedge, looks good year round.
<i>Rhamnus californica</i> 'Eve Case'	COFFEEBERRY	evergreen	shade	S/M 4'x8'	L DT	4-9	Hardy native; showy berries that are first green then red and finally black when ripe
<i>Raphiolepis indica</i> 'Clara' / 'Pink Lady' / 'Spring Rapture'	INDIAN HAWTHORN	evergreen	FS	S 3'x5'	L DT	8-10	Profuse white to dark pink blossoms; can be kept under 3 feet for low hedges and borders
<i>Ribes sanguineum</i> 'Elk River Red'	RED FLOWERING CURRANT	deciduous	FS/ shade	M 6'x6'	L/R	4-9	Native, showy spring rosy-red blossoms in drooping clusters attracts butterflies; fall color
<i>Sarcococca ruscifolia</i>	SWEET BOX	evergreen	shade	S 4'x3'	M/R	4-9	Low growing, 3 foot height and spread, highly fragrant white flowers, round red fruit
<i>Spiraea</i> spp.	BRIDAL WREATH SPIREA	deciduous	sun/PS	M 5'x5'	M/R	1-10	Easy-to-grow; arching branches with drooping, fragrant flowers bloom spring to midsummer
<i>Syringa x hyacinthiflora</i> 'Descanso Hybrids'	DESCANSO LILAC	deciduous	FS/PS	S/M 8'x8'	R	1-12	Low-chill lilacs, fragrant flowers on 4 to 8 inch panicles, late spring to early summer.
<i>Viburnum tinus</i> 'Spring Bouquet' / 'Compactus'	LAURUSTINUS	evergreen	FS/PS	M 4'x6'	R DT	4-10	Used as hedge; bright pink buds in winter bloom as white flowers; metallic blue fruit
<i>Xylosma congestum</i> 'Compacta'	COMPACT XYLOSMA	evergreen	FS/PS	M/S 8'x8'	M	8-24	Versatile hedge, gracefully arching branches of bronzy to light green foliage. Tolerates heat. Hardy to 10°F

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<i>Agapanthus praecox</i> , <i>A. africanus</i>	LILY-OF-THE-NILE	evergreen	FS	M 1.5'x1.5'	L/R DT	6-9	Grass-like clump of 12 inch blades, blue flowers on long stems used as cut or dried flowers
<i>Arctostaphylos 'Pacific Mist'</i>	MANZANIA 'PACIFIC MIST'	evergreen	FS	M 2'x6'	L	7-9	Deep reddish brown bark. Forms a good dense ground cover.
<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi 'Wood's Compacta'</i>	WOOD'S COMPACT KINNIKINNICK	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x3'	L	2-8	Ground-hugging branches form a dense mat of evergreen foliage. Pink tinged white flowers.
<i>Artemisia schmidtiana 'Silver Mound'/'Nana'</i>	ANGEL'S HAIR	evergreen	FS/PS	M 1'x1'	L DT	1-10	Mounding perennial with silver-colored, fine-textured foliage, used as edging plant
<i>Artemisia spp.</i>	ARTEMISIA	evergreen	FS	M 5'x11'	L DT	2-24	Fine-textured gray-green to bluish white foliage, many varieties have insecticidal properties
<i>Azalea indica</i> L ' <i>Southern Indica'</i>	EVERGREEN AZALEA / SUN AZALEA	evergreen	partial shade	M 4'x6'	R to Ample	8-9	Prefers moist, well-drained acidic soil; large flowers in range of colors, dark green leaves
<i>Berberis thunbergii 'Crimson Pygmy'</i>	CRIMSON PYGMY JAPANESE BARBERRY	deciduous	FS/PS	S 2'x3'	M/R	1-24	Waxy-like pale yellow to orange to red flowers, deep crimson leaves with bronze tinge
<i>Buxus microphylla</i> var. <i>japonica</i>	JAPANESE BOXWOOD	evergreen	FS/shade	S 5'x6'	R	3b-24	Used in formal hedges and topiary, small dense leaves light green oval with round tip
<i>Camellia sasanqua</i>	CAMELLIA	evergreen	filtered sun	M/F 3'x12'	M DT	4-9	Dark green foliage, profusion of flowers, virtually pest free and can survive periods of neglect
<i>Ceanothus 'Joyce Coulter'</i>	WILD LILAC 'JOYCE COULTER'	evergreen	FS	M 3'x10'	DT	8-9	Grows as a mound. Light, well-drained soil.
<i>Ceanothus thyrsiflorus 'Skylark'</i>	WILD LILAC 'SLYLARK'	evergreen	FS	M 4'x5'	M DT	4-10	Dark blue clusters of flowers over a long season

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<i>Cistus</i> × <i>Halimocistus sahuicii</i>	HYBRID ROCKROSE	evergreen	FS	M 2'x3'	M DT	8-24	A low spreading shrub, dark green leaves, pure white flowers with golden-yellow centers.
<i>Cistus</i> 'Mickie'	ROCKROSE 'MICKIE'	evergreen	FS	M 2'x2'	M DT	8-24	Low mounding <i>Cistus</i> with cup-shape flowers. Regular water to establish then low water.
<i>Cistus</i> 'Sunset'	ROCKROSE 'SUNSET'	evergreen	FS	F 2'x6-8'	L DT	6-9	Dark magenta pick flowers spring-summer. Drought tolerant once established.
<i>Coleonema pulchellum</i> 'Sunset Gold'	GOLDEN BREATH OF HEAVEN	evergreen	FS/PS	M 1'x4'	M DT	8-9	Needle-like yellowish-green foliage and pale pink flowers
<i>Convolvulus cneorum</i>	BUSH MORNING GLORY	evergreen	FS/PS	F 4'x4'	M DT	7-9	Silvery fuzzy leaves, pink buds to white funnel shaped flowers, needs well drained soil
<i>Coprosma kirkii</i> 'Variegata'	COPROSMA	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F 2'x5'	L/R DT	8-9	Colorful glossy gray-green leaves with creamy margins, used for covering banks
<i>Daboecia cantabrica</i> / <i>Daboecia x scotica</i>	HEATHER	evergreen	PS	M 2'x2'	M DT	3-9	Low growing shrub or ground cover, dark green leaves, clusters small pink or purple flowers.
<i>Dietes iridioides</i> (<i>Dietes vegeta</i>)	FORTNIGHT LILY	evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x3'		8-9	Iris-like plant, each flower lasts one day, but is followed by many others on a two week cycle
<i>Escallonia rubra</i> 'Newport Dwarf'	ESCALLONIA NEWPORT DWARF	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x6'	M DT	4-9	Compact shrub, glossy green foliage with colorful red flowers in summer and fall.
<i>Euonymus alatus</i> 'Compacta'	BURNING BUSH OR WINGED EUONYMUS	deciduous	shade to FS	S 10'x20'	DT	2b-10	Foliage turns flame-red in the fall, used as a screen or unclipped hedge.
<i>Euonymus fortunei</i>	WINTER CREEPER EUONYMUS	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x4'	M/R	4-9	Popular small broadleaf shrub with many variegated cultivars

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<i>Euryops pectinatus 'Viridis'</i>	BUSH DAISY, GOLDEN SHRUB DAISY	evergreen	FS/PS	F 3'x4'	L DT	8-9	Bright daisy-like yellow flowers in winter; prune after flowering to prevent straggly look
<i>Gardenia jasminoides 'Veitchii'</i>	COMMON GARDENIA	evergreen	shade	S 3'x4'	R ample	7-9	Glossy, dark-green leaves, fragrant double-white flowers
<i>Hypericum beanii</i>	ST JOHN'S WORT	deciduous	FS/PS	M 3'x4'	M/R	4-9	Perennial herb, clusters of bright yellow flowers; used for medicinal purposes
<i>Ilex crenata 'Compacta'</i>	COMPACT JAPANESE HOLLY	evergreen	FS/PS	S 4'x4'	R	3-9	Almost allergy free compact low hedge; all male plants so there are no flowers or fruit
<i>Ilex Crenata</i>	SKY PENCIL	evergreen	FS	1'x6'	M/L	2-8	Up-right Column shape. Low Maintanance.
<i>Ilex vomitoria 'Nana'</i>	DWARF YAUPON HOLLY	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F 4'x4'	R	4-9	Small, grey-green, leathery leaves; used for topiaries, espaliers; attractive to bees, butterflies
<i>Juniperus sabina 'Tamariscifolia'</i>	JUNIPER 'TAM'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x10'	L	1-24	More pest problems than other Junipers. Blue/Green foliage.
<i>Loropetalum Chinese 'Purple Pixie'</i>	FRINGE FLOWER 'PURPLE PIXIE'	evergreen	PS	M 1'x4'	R	6-9	Showy fuchsia-pink, fringy flowers in spring. Great as a groundcover or trailing from pot.
<i>Mahonia aquifolium</i>	COMPACT OREGON GRAPE HOLLY	evergreen	part sun to full shade	S 3'-6'x3'-6''	M DT	2-12	Deep burgundy winter foliage, red spring foliage, yellow flowers, blue grape-like fruits in autumn.
<i>Myrtus communis 'Compacta'</i>	DWARF MYRTLE	evergreen	FS/PS	S 3'x3'	L DT	2-12	Takes pruning well and is used for hedges. It also used as topiaries.
<i>Nandina domestica 'Harbor Dwarf'</i>	HEAVENLY BAMBOO	evergreen	FS/PS	M 4'x3'	L DT	4-24	Not a true bamboo, low growing groundcover variety, selectively prune old cane-like stems

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<i>Perovskia</i>	RUSSIAN SAGE	deciduous	FS	M 4'x3'	L DT	2-24	Multi-stemmed 3' tall. Lavender flowers. Winter dormant
<i>Phormium tenax 'Tiny Tim'</i>	NEW ZEALAND FLAX	evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x3'	L	7-9	Native to New Zealand. Bronze blades with yellow stripes, small red or yellow flowers along stem
<i>Phormium tenax 'Tom Thumb'</i>	NEW ZEALAND FLAX	evergreen	FS/ LS	M 2'X3'	M	7-9	Native to New Zealand. <i>Compact</i> form of 2 feet tall grass-like clump with slightly arching ½ in wide bronzy blades.
<i>Phormium 'Black Rage'</i>	FLAX 'BLACK RAGE'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x3'	L	7-9	Native to New Zealand. Dark-gray leaves. Useful for screens, rockeries or banks.
<i>Phormium 'Bronze Baby'</i>	FLAX 'BRONZE BABY'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 4'x4'	L DT	7-9 15-20 °F	Native to New Zealand. Upright 1 1/2" wide dark reddish-brown foliage that curves gracefully at the tips.
<i>Phormium 'Duet'</i>	FLAX 'DUET'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 2'x2'	L DT	7-9 15-20 °F	Native to New Zealand. Green, upright, variegated leaves
<i>Pinas Mugo</i>	MUGHO PINE	evergreen	FS	3'x4'	L/M	2-9	Use compact varieties around buildings, slow growing.
<i>Pittosporum tobira 'Wheeler's Dwarf'</i>	DWARF MOCK ORANGE	evergreen	FS/ shade	F 3'x5'	R	4-7	Low, compact mound 3-4 feet tall, rounded form of rich green foliage; low border or groundcover
<i>Punica granatum 'Nana'</i>	DWARF POMEGRANATE	deciduous	FS	M 3'x3'	L	8-9	Miniature pomegranate tree to one foot high; vivid green leaves, scarlet flowers, small fruit
<i>Rhamnus</i>	ITALIAN BUCKHORN	evergreen	FS	F 15' x 20'	L	4-24	Leaves 2" long, shiny bright green, small black berries Easily grown.

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<i>Rhamnus crocea ilicifolia</i>	HOLLYLEAF REDBERRY	deciduous	FS	M 2'x4'	L DT	7-10	A native shrub, it has spiny, holly-like leaves and small, edible red berries.
<i>Rhaphiolepis Indica 'Ballerina'/ 'Jack Evans'</i>	INDIAN HAWTHORN	evergreen	FS	M 2'x3'	L	8-10	Deep pink & white flowers, leaves bronze and burgundy; used as informal hedges, low screens
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis 'Roman Beauty'</i>	ROSEMARY 'ROMAN BEAUTY'	evergreen	FS	M 2'x2'	L DT	4-24	Arching stems that spill beautifully over a rock wall or container edge. Useful as a culinary herb or in potpourri. Tolerates poor soil, drought.
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis 'Ken Taylor'</i>	ROSEMARY 'KEN TAYLOR'	evergreen	FS	M 2'x5'	L	4-24 15-20° F	Low growing. Very showy full bloom of dark blue flowers occurs in the spring.
<i>Rosmarinus officinalis 'prostratus'</i>	ROSEMARY, TRAILING	evergreen	FS	M 1'x5'	L	4-24	Low growing, Tolerates heat. Small, pale blue flowers from March to May. Ideal ground cover.
<i>Salvia leucantha</i>	MEXICAN SAGE	evergreen	FS	F 4'x4'	L DT	8-9	Loose mound 2-4 feet high, showy spike of purple calyces on silver stem; give plenty of room
<i>Salvia greggii</i>	AUTUMN SAGE	evergreen	FS /light shade	M 3'x3'	L	8-24	Mounded 2-3 feet tall, with small, crisp, green leaves; spikes of red, pink or white flowers. Dies to ground in winter but comes back.
<i>Santolina virens</i>	GREEN SANTOLINA	deciduous	FS	M 2'x3'	L DT	3-9	Fragrant, neat mound, attractive, bright green foliage. Showy display of gold button flowers on wiry stems.
<i>Solanum xanthii</i>	NIGHTSHADE	semi- evergreen	FS/PS	F 3'x3'	M DT	9	Native Nightshades generally have white or purple flowers, and a loose, rambling habit
<i>Ternstroemia gymnanthera</i>	CLEYERA	evergreen	part sun to shade	M 3'x4'	R	4-9	Glossy, dark green leaves, use as accent, hedge or screen; needs little care

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<i>Viburnum davidii</i>	DAVID VIBURNUM	evergreen	light shade	S/M 3'x4'	R DT	4-9	Dome shaped mound 3-5 feet use as mixed shrub border; bright metallic blue fruits
<i>Westringia fruticosa</i> 'Blue Gem'	COAST ROSEMARY 'BLUE GEM'	evergreen	FS/PS	M 3'x3'	L	8-9	Compact evergreen shrub. Vibrant bluish-purple flowers in Spring.

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<i>Bignonia capreolata</i> L	CROSSVINE	semi- evergreen	FS/PS	F 20'	R	8-9 24° F	Train to trellis for screen, clings without support; orange-red, trumpet-shaped flowers. Can become invasive.
<i>Clematis armandii</i>	EVERGREEN CLEMATIS	evergreen deciduous	FS/PS	F 15'	R	1-6	White fragrant flowers, shiny dark green leaved 15- 20 foot vines ; use on pergolas and arbors. Roots regular moisture. Cool top.
<i>Clytostoma callistegioides</i>	LAVENDER TRUMPET VINE	evergreen	FS/PS	F	M DT	9 10°-20° F	Vigorous with lavender trumpet-shaped flowers spring to fall, drought resistant, pest free
<i>Distictis buccinatoria</i>	BLOOD RED TRUMPET VINE	evergreen	FS/PS	F	R	24° F	Trumpet-shaped, orange-red flowers year round; needs shade in hot part of day, frost protection
<i>Ficus pumila</i>	CREEPING FIG	evergreen	FS/PS	F	R	8-24	Dense, small dark green leaves, grows on walls with no support; will spread into groundcover. Bears fruit.
<i>Gelsemium sempervirens</i>	CAROLINA JASMINE	evergreen	FS/PS	F	R DT	8-24	Well behaved, used on trellises, porches; fragrant yellow flowers with glossy rich green leaves
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i> 'Happy Wanderer'	VINE LILAC / PURPLE CORAL PEA	evergreen	FS/PS	M 10'	L	8-24	Pinkish purple flowers cascade like small Wisteria blossoms; responds well to pruning
<i>Jasminum polyanthmum</i>	PINK JASMINE	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F	R DT	8-10	Deep green leaves, fragrant white flowers tinged pink; prune after flowering to promote blooms
<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> L. NOTE: <i>Lonicera japonica</i> is invasive	TRUMPET / CORAL HONEYSUCKLE	evergreen	FS/PS	F	R	1-9	Native, smooth glossy leaves, clusters of long, tubular red flowers a favorite of hummingbirds,
<i>Passiflora x alatocaerulea</i>	PASSION VINE / PASSION FLOWER	evergreen / semi- evergreen	FS	F 20'	M	5-9	Fragrant pinkish violet 4-5 inch flowers bloom throughout season; most common passion flower available, easy to grow and easy to get to bloom

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<i>Rosa banksiae</i>	LADY BANKS' ROSE	semi- evergreen	FS	F	L DT	4-24	Vine-like, thorn-less climbing wild rose, heavy bloomer, thrives in dry hot climates, needs room
<i>Solanum jasminoides</i>	POTATO VINE	semi- evergreen	FS/PS	F 30'	R	8-9	Twining climber, star-shaped blue-tinged white blossoms, use across lattice for shade. Toxic.
<i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i>	ASIATIC JASMINE	evergreen	FS/PS	F 15'	R	6-24	Dense mat of dark green 1-2 inch leaves, used as a groundcover to inhibit weeds, control erosion. April-June bloom.
<i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i>	STAR JASMINE	evergreen	FS/PS	M/F 20'	R	8-11	Twines over supports, clings to hard surfaces; white fragrant flowers with thick glossy leaves. Can use as groundcover.
<i>Wisteria sinensis</i> (Chinese) <i>Wisteria floribunda</i> (Japanese)	WISTERIA	deciduous	FS	M/F	R	All Zones	Showy, purple or white pea-like flowers, in long hanging clusters to 20 inches long; fuzzy, pea-like pods, 3 to 6 inches long

Prohibited Trees and Plants

The following trees and plants are considered ill suited for use in SCLH yards, by a consensus of tree experts.

Trees		
COMMON NAME	BOTANICAL NAME (Variety)	COMMENTS
CAMPHOR LAUREL*	<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i>	High root damage potential
CAROB , ST. JOHN'S BREAD *	<i>Ceratonia siliqua L</i>	High root damage potential
CHINESE TALLOW TREE *	<i>Sapium sebiferum</i>	Cal-IPC** PEST
COTTONWOOD TREE	<i>Populus spp.</i>	High root damage potential
DEODAR CEDAR	<i>Cedrus deodara</i>	Grows too large, doesn't like to be pruned
FLOWERING PLUM "Thundercloud"	<i>Prunus cerasifera</i>	Fruiting Variety
FRUITLESS MULBERRY	<i>Marus alba 'fruitless'</i>	High root damage potential
IDAHO LOCUST *	<i>Robinia ambigua 'Idahoensis'</i>	High root damage potential
ITALIAN ALDER *	<i>Alnus cordata</i>	Borer problem; Invasive roots
ITALIAN STONE PINE *	<i>Pinus pinea</i>	Weak branches
LEYLAND CYPRESS *	<i>Cupressocyparis leylandii</i>	Weak branches
LIMBER PINE	<i>Pinus Flexius</i>	Not grown anymore
MEDITERRANEAN PALM	<i>Chamaerops</i>	Not suited to area
MODESTO ASH	<i>Fraxinus velutina 'modesto'</i>	High root damage potential
MONDELL PINE	<i>Pinus eldarica</i>	Grows too broad
PINDO PALM	<i>Butia Capitata</i>	Not suited to area
QUEEN PALM	<i>Syagrus romanzoffianum</i>	Not suited to area

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Trees		
COMMON NAME	BOTANICAL NAME (Variety)	COMMENTS
RAYWOOD ASH *	<i>Fraxinus oxycarpa 'Raywood'</i>	Borer problem, shallow roots
RED GUM EUCALYPTUS	<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i>	Brittle branches, drop litter
SALT CEDAR/TAMARISK	<i>Tamarix species</i>	Cal-IPC PEST
SILK TREE	<i>Albizia julibrissin</i>	Litter, invasive
SILVER WATTLE	<i>Acacia dealbata</i>	Litter, invasive
TREE-OF-HEAVEN	<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>	Cal-IPC PEST
WEeping WILLOW	<i>Salix babylonica</i>	High root damage potential
WHITE ALDER	<i>Alnus rhombifolia</i>	High root damage potential

Plants		
COMMON NAME	BOTANICAL NAME (Variety)	COMMENTS
KURAPIA	<i>Lippia nodiflora</i>	Woody, invasive
YUCCA/ CACTI		Not suited to the area or community landscaping

* Denotes trees removed from Del Webb - Sun City Lincoln Hills Plant List

** Denotes information from the California Invasive Plant Council (Cal-IPC) www.cal-ipc.org

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