

APPROVED PLANT and TREE LIST
City of El Paso, Texas

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| TREES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Large Trees (50' or more) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Calocedrus decurrens | Incense Cedar selections | T/LT | 50' | 15' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | Screening/Windbreak | | M-poor | H | site adaptable | | | | | | | | | |
| Carya illinoensis | Pecan | T/LT | 60' | 50' | High | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | nuts, aphids | LWD-deep | H | good open space shade | HSS | | | | | | | | |
| Cedrus deodara | Deodar Cedar | T/LT | 60' | 40' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | | LWD-deep | H | fast growing; several selections available | | | | | | | | | |
| Cupressus sempervirens | Italian Cypress | T/LT | 60' | 8' | Low | | | X | No | No | Evergreen | Screening/Windbreak | spider mites | M-deep | H | | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Fraxinus texensis | Texas Ash | T/LT | 50' | 40' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | MWD-deep | H | good shade; adaptable | MSS | | | | | | | | |
| Gymnocladus dioica | Kentucky Coffee Tree | T/LT | 60' | 50' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | seed litter | MWD-saline/alkaline | H | large fruit | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Juglans arizonica | Arizona Walnut | T/LT | 50' | 50' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | nuts | M-deep | H | for river valley use | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Maclura pomifera | Osage Orange | T/LT | 50' | 50' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | thorns, fruit litter | M-poor | H | tough; adaptable | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus eleanora | Afghan, Mondel Pine | T/LT | 70' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | chlorotic if overwatered, needle drop | MWD | H | good open space shade; avoid heavy/clay soil | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus engelmannii | Apache Pine | T/LT | 50' | 30' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | needle drop | MWD | H | long needles; for shade | | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus halepensis | Aleppo Pine | T/LT | 70' | 40' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | needle drop | M-poor | H | long needles; for shade | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus pinea | Italian Stone Pine | T/LT | 70' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | needle drop | M-fertile | H | good open space shade | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus roxburghii | Chir Pine | T/LT | 50' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | needle drop | M-fertile | H | long needles; good open space shade | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Platanus wrightii | Arizona Sycamore | T/LT | 60' | 60' | High | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | sun scald, leaf burn | MWD-deep | H | for river valley use | HSS | | | | | | | | |
| Populus deltoides | Cottonwood | T/LT | 100' | 60' | High | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | seed litter, many insects and diseases | MWD-deep | H | for river valley use | HSS | | | | | | | | |
| Populus fremontii | Arizona Cottonwood | T/LT | 100' | 60' | High | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | seed litter, many insects and diseases | MWD-deep | H | for river valley use | HSS | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus agrifolia | Coastal Oak | T/LT | 50' | 50' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | acorns | MWD-deep | H | need regular winter irrigation for growth | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus lobata | Valley Oak | T/LT | 50' | 50' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | M-deep | H | best in deep soil, riparian valley plantings | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus macrocarpa | Bur Oak | T/LT | 70' | 35' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | large acorns | M | H | good open space shade; long lived | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus muhlenbergii | Chinquapin Oak | T/LT | 50' | 40' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | MWD | H | long lived shade tree | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus polymorpha | Mexican White Oak | T/LT | 50' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Semi-Evergreen | | acorns | M | H | good shade; adaptable | | | | | | | | | |
| Taxodium mucronatum | Montezuma Cypress | T/LT | 50' | 25' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | M-heavy | H | tolerates wet soils, moderate alkalinity | | | | | | | | | |
| Washingtonia filifera | California Fan Palm | T/LT | 50' | 10' | Low | | | X | Clustered Only | Clustered Only | Evergreen | | fronds, fruit litter | M | H | | | | | | | | | | |
| Washingtonia robusta | Mexican Fan Palm | T/LT | 75' | 10' | Low | | | X | Clustered Only | Clustered Only | Evergreen | | falling fronds, height | M | M 20°F | | | | | | | | | | |
| Medium Trees (between 30' and 49') | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Acacia stenophylla | Shoestring Acacia | T/MT | 30' | 20' | Low | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | root rot, suckers | M | M 20°F | warm locations | | | | | | | | | |
| Acer grandidentatum | Bigtooth Maple | T/MT | 40' | 25' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | sun scald, leaf burn | MWD | H | understory, shade tolerant; prefers light shade | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Brahea armata | Mexican Blue Palm | T/MT | 30' | 8' | Low-Medium | | | X | Clustered Only | No | Evergreen | | fronds | WD-sand | M 18°F | accent use; slow growth | | | | | | | | | |
| Cedrus atlantica | Blue Atlas Cedar | T/MT | 40' | 30' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites | M | H | | | | | | | | | | |
| Celtis laevigata var. laevigata | Hackberry or Sugarberry | T/MT | 40' | 30' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | galls | M-deep | H | good for drainage /ponding areas | | | | | | | | | |
| Cupressus arizonica (C. glabra) | Arizona Cypress selections | T/MT | 45' | 30' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites, bark beetle | M-poor | H | fast growing; windbreak | | | | | | | | | |
| Cupressocyparis leylandii | Leyland Cypress | T/MT | 30' | 10' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites, bark beetle | M | H | screening | | | | | | | | | |
| Fraxinus angustifolia (F. oxycarpa) | Raywood Ash | T/MT | 30' | 25' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | MWD-deep | H | oval crown; fall color | | | | | | | | | |
| Fraxinus velutina | Arizona or Velvet Ash selections | T/MT | 40' | 25' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | several insects (especially borers) and diseases | MWD-deep | H | several cultivars available; riparian tree best used in deep soils with ample irrigation | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Gleditsia triacanthos inermis | Thornless Honeylocust selections | T/MT | 45' | 35' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit litter | M-deep | H | several cultivars available; avoid confined planters | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Juglans microcarpa | Nogalito, Little Leaf Walnut | T/MT | 30' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | nuts | MWD | H | | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Juniperus scopulorum | Rocky Mountain Juniper selections | T/MT | 35' | 15' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites, allergenic pollen | MWD | H | long lived | MST | | | | | | | | |
| Juniperus virginiana | Eastern Red Cedar selections | T/MT | 35' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites, allergenic pollen | MWD | H | tolerates thin soils | MST | | | | | | | | |
| Phoenix dactylifera | Date Palm | T/MT | 40' | 15' | Medium | | | X | Clustered Only | Clustered Only | Evergreen | | fruit litter, fronds, height | WD-loam,sand | M 18°F | better adapted than P. edulis | MST | | | | | | | | |
| Pinus embroides | Mexican Pinyon Pine | T/MT | 30' | 15' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites, needle scale | MWD | H | | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Pistacia atlantica | Mt. Atlas Pistache | T/MT | 30' | 20' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | root rot, wilt sensitive to excessive fertilizer (N) | MWD | H | fall color; good shade tree; dioecious | ST | | | | | | | | |
| Pistacia chinensis | Chinese Pistache selections | T/MT | 40' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | thorns, fruit litter, poor branching habit | MWD | H | fall color; good shade tree; dioecious | MSS | | | | | | | | |
| Prosopis glandulosa var. glandulosa | Honey Mesquite | T/MT | 30' | 30' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | thornless selections available | MST | | | | | | | | |
| Prunus serotina | Southwestern Choke Cherry | T/MT | 30' | 30' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit, borers | M-deep | H | prefers low alkalinity | SS | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus arizonica | Arizona White Oak | T/MT | 35' | 30' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | MWD | H | good shade | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus buckleyi | Texas Red Oak, Spanish Oak | T/MT | 40' | 30' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | M-alkaline | H | selection "Red Rock" is heat & alkaline tolerant; fall color | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus fusiformis | Escarpment Live Oak | T/MT | 40' | 40' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | acorns | MWD-alkaline | H | heavy shade | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus gravesii | Chisos Red Oak | T/MT | 30' | 25' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | MWD | H | fall color | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus grisea | Gray Oak | T/MT | 30' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Semi-Evergreen | | acorns | MWD | H | good shade | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus laceyi | Lacey Oak | T/MT | 30' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | acorns | MWD | H | often multi-trunked | | | | | | | | | |
| Quercus suber | Cork Oak | T/MT | 30' | 20' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | chlorosis | M-deep | M 20°F | prefers low alkalinity; good shade | | | | | | | | | |

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| <i>Quercus virginiana</i> | Southern Live Oak | T/MT | 40' | 40' | Medium | O | | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | acorns, galls | M-heavy, deep | H | not all selections tolerate alkaline soils, "Heritage" is best adapted selection | MSS |
| <i>Robinia X ambigua</i> | Pink/Purple Locust | T/MT | 40' | 30' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | suckers if stressed | M | H | good flower color; "Purple Robe" is a selection | SS |
| <i>Salix goodingii</i> | Gooding Willow | T/MT | 45' | 30' | High | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | Riparian/Ponding | bag worms, seed litter | M-fertile | H | must have deep valley soils if allowed, thicket forming controls banks, ponding areas | |
| <i>Sapindus saponaria var. drummondii</i> | Western Soapberry | T/MT | 30' | 20' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | fruit litter, root suckers | MWD | H | | HSS |
| <i>Sophora japonica</i> | Japanese Pagoda Tree | T/MT | 40' | 35' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | fruit litter, seed litter, suckers | MWD | H | good shade | MSS |
| <i>Ulmus crassifolia</i> | Cedar Elm | T/MT | 40' | 35' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | M | H | tolerates poor drainage | |
| <i>Ulmus parviflora</i> | Lacebark Elm | T/MT | 40' | 35' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | cotton root rot | MWD-deep | H | adaptable | |
| Small Trees (less than 30') | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Acacia farnesiana (A. smallii)</i> | Sweet Acacia | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | thorns, fruit litter | MWD-heavy | H mature | fragrant flowers; use hardy strain; tolerates poor drainage | |
| <i>Acacia greggii (A. wrightii)</i> | Catclaw Acacia | T/ST | 18' | 15' | Low | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | thorns | M | H | avoid pedestrian traffic areas | |
| <i>Arbutus xalapensis</i> | Texas Madrone | T/ST | 25' | 15' | Medium | | | X | No | No | Evergreen | Specimen only | sensitive roots, hard to transplant/establish | MWD | H | | |
| <i>Bumelia lanuginosa</i> | Chittamwood, Gum Bumelia | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | | MSS |
| <i>Celtis laevigata var. reticulata</i> | Netleaf or Canyon Hackberry | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | galls | M-clay, moist | H | drainages, ponding areas | |
| <i>Cercis canadensis var. mexicana</i> | Mexican Redbud | T/ST | 20' | 12' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | | MWD-poor, rocky | H | naturally multi-trunked | |
| <i>Cercis canadensis var. texana</i> | Texas Redbud | T/ST | 20' | 20' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | leaf cutters | M | H | normally single trunked | |
| <i>Chamaerops humilis</i> | Mediterranean Fan Palm | T/ST | 12' | 10' | Medium | | | X | Clustered Only | Clustered Only | Evergreen | | fronds, thorns | Loam-fertile | H mature | clumping accent; good for small planters | |
| <i>Chilopsis linearis</i> | Desert Willow | T/ST | 25' | 20' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | litter | MWD | H | adaptable; light shade; several flower color selections & seedless selections | MST |
| <i>Cordia bossieri</i> | Mexican Olive | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit litter | MWD | M 15°F | best in warm, protected locations | MST |
| <i>Cotinus coggygria</i> | Smoketree | T/ST | 20' | 10' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | leaf burn | MWD | H | prefers afternoon shade | |
| <i>Diospyros texana</i> | Texas Persimmon | T/ST | 25' | 20' | Low | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit litter | MWD | H | slow growing; multitrunked; attractive bark | |
| <i>Fraxinus cuspidata</i> | Fragrant Ash | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | fragrant flowers; usually multi-trunked | |
| <i>Juniperus chinensis 'Blue Point'</i> | Blue Point Juniper | T/ST | 20' | 8' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD | H | | MST |
| <i>Juniperus deppeana</i> | Alligator Juniper | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD | H | minimize pruning; avoid heavy soils | MST |
| <i>Juniperus monosperma</i> | One-Seeded Juniper | T/ST | 20' | 10' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD | H | avoid heavy soils | |
| <i>Koeleruteria paniculata</i> | Golden Rain Tree | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | short lived | M-alkaline | H | flowering color | |
| <i>Leuceana retusa</i> | Goldenball Leadtree | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | weak wood | MWD | H | protect from high wind; good patio tree | |
| <i>Parkinsonia X Cercidium "Desert Museum"</i> | Palo Verde hybrids | T/ST | 20' | 25' | Low | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | | MWD | H mature | fast growing; thornless hybrid | |
| <i>Parkinsonia floridum</i> | Blue Palo Verde | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | small thorns, litter | MWD-sand | M 15°F | | |
| <i>Parkinsonia microphyllum</i> | Foothills Palo Verde | T/ST | 20' | 20' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | Yes | Deciduous | | litter | MWD | H mature | | |
| <i>Pinus edulis</i> | Pinyon Pine | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | needle scale | MWD | H | slow growing; afternoon shade | |
| <i>Pinus thunbergiana</i> | Japanese Black Pine | T/ST | 20' | 10' | Medium | | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | | ST |
| <i>Pistacia mexicana (P. texana)</i> | Texas Pistache | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | No | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | low screening | |
| <i>Prosopis glandulosa var. torreyana</i> | Torrey Mesquite | T/ST | 20' | 20' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | thorns, poor branching habit | MWD | H | multi-trunked; shrubby variety | |
| <i>Prosopis pubescens</i> | Screwbean Mesquite | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Low-Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | thorns, fruit litter | M-deep, heavy | H | tolerates seasonal wet soils | MST |
| <i>Prunus mexicana</i> | Mexican Plum | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit litter | MWD | H | edible fruit; tolerates seasonal wet soils | |
| <i>Quercus gambelii</i> | Gambel's Oak | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | suckers, acorns | M-deep | H | can colonize and be shrubby in shallow dry soil | |
| <i>Quercus ilex</i> | Holly Oak | T/ST | 25' | 25' | Medium | X | X | X | Yes | Yes | Evergreen | | acorns | MWD-deep, saline | H | | MST |
| <i>Quercus oblongifolia</i> | Mexican Blue Oak | T/ST | 25' | 20' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | No | Evergreen | | acorns | MWD | H | attractive; slow growing shade | |
| <i>Quercus pungens (Q. vasey)</i> | Sandpaper Oak | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Low | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | acorns | MWD | H | can be shrubby; normally multi-trunked | |
| <i>Rhus lanceolata</i> | Prairie Flameleaf Sumac | T/ST | 20' | 15' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | overwatering, suckers | MWD | H | fall color | |
| <i>Sambucus niara ssp. Caerulea (Sambucus mexicana)</i> | Mexican Elder | T/ST | 25' | 15' | Medium | | | X | Yes | No | Semi-Evergreen | | weak wood, suckers | MWD | H | both winter & summer deciduous | |
| <i>Vitex agnus-castus</i> | Vitex/Chaste Tree | T/ST | 25' | 20' | Low | | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | varied flower color | |
| <i>Zizyphus jujuba</i> | Chinese Date Tree or Jujube | T/ST | 25' | 20' | Medium | O | X | X | Yes | No | Deciduous | | fruit, thorns, suckers | MWD | H | selections available | MSS |
| SHRUBS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Abelia grandiflora</i> | Glossy Abelia | S | 8' | 5' | Medium | | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | M-fertile | | several forms & leaf color selections available | |

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| <i>Acacia berlandieri</i> | Guajillo | S | 12' | 12' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | fruit litter | MWD | H | attractive mounding habit but can be pruned into small tree form | |
| <i>Acacia constricta</i> | Whitethorn Acacia | S | 12' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | thorns | M-clay | H | multi-trunked; erect vase-like habit | |
| <i>Acacia rigidula</i> | Blackbrush Acacia | S | 18' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | thorns | M | H mature | can be pruned into small tree | |
| <i>Aloysia gratissima</i> (A. lycioides) | White Beebrush | S | 8' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | twiggy | MWD | H | fragrant flowers | |
| <i>Amorpha fruticosa</i> | False Indigo Bush | S | 10' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | H | good in drainage, ponding areas | MST |
| <i>Anisacanthus quadrifidus</i> var. <i>wrightii</i> | Flame Acanthus | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Anisacanthus thurberi</i> | Desert Honeysuckle | S | 5' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Artemisia filifolia</i> | Sand Sagebrush | S | 6' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | allergenic pollen | MWD-sand | H | silver foliage accent | |
| <i>Atriplex canescens</i> | Four-Wing Saltbush | S | 6' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | M-saline, clay | H | dioecious; tolerates saline, heavy soils | ST |
| <i>Bauhinia lunarioides</i> (B. <i>congesta</i>) | Anacacho Orchid Tree | S | 15' | 15' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | miniature tree form | |
| <i>Berberis haematocarpa</i> | Red Barberry | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spiny leaves | MWD | H | barrier plant; edible fruit | |
| <i>Berberis thunbergii</i> 'atropurpurea' | Red-leaf Japanese Barberry | S | 2' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M-fertile | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Berberis trifoliolata</i> | Algerita, Agarito | S | 8' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spiny leaves | MWD | H | barrier plant; edible fruit | |
| <i>Buddleja davidii</i> | Butterfly Bush | S | 6' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | many selections available | |
| <i>Buddleja marrubifolia</i> | Woolly Butterfly Bush | S | 4' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | attractive foliage | |
| <i>Caesalpinia gilliesii</i> | Desert Bird-of-Paradise | S | 6' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | tough, adaptable | |
| <i>Caesalpinia mexicana</i> | Mexican Bird-of-Paradise | S | 10' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | M 18°F | best in warm/protected locations | |
| <i>Caesalpinia pulcherrima</i> | Red Bird-of-Paradise | S | 6' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | M 28°F | treat as usually root hardy perennial with fast recovery in warm locations. | |
| <i>Calliandra ephophylla</i> | Fairy Duster | S | 3' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD-rocky | H | tough; tolerates poor soils | |
| <i>Calliandra X hybrid</i> "Red Star" | Red Fairy Duster hybrid | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H root | best in warm locations | |
| <i>Cercocarpus ledifolius</i> | Curleaf Mt. Mahogany | S | 10' | 8' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD-rocky | H | slow growing; erect vase shape | |
| <i>Cercocarpus montanus</i> | Mountain Mahogany | S | 10' | 8' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | slow growing; erect vase shape | |
| <i>Chrysantha mexicana</i> | Damianita | S | 2' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | overwatering | MWD | H | mass for effect; do not overwater | |
| <i>Cordia parvifolia</i> | Littleleaf Cordia | S | 6' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | M 15°F | western Mexico selections less hardy than Chihuahuan | |
| <i>Cotoneaster lacteus</i> "pameyi" | Red Clusterberry | S | 6' | 8' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-poor | H | tough, adaptable; heat tolerant. | SS |
| <i>Dalea bicolor</i> v. <i>bicolor</i> | Blue Dalea | S | 6' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | M | late fall blooming | |
| <i>Dalea frutescens</i> | Black Dalea | S | 3' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | mounding habit | |
| <i>Dalea lutea</i> | Yellow Dalea | S | 3' | 3' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | M | | |
| <i>Dalea pulchra</i> | Indigo Bush | S | 4' | 5' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | | |
| <i>Dalea versicolor</i> var. <i>sessilis</i> | Wislizenii Dalea | S | 5' | 5' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | possible groundcovering use | |
| <i>Elaeagnus pungens</i> | Silverberry | S | 10' | 10' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | thorns | M | H | tough, adaptable; heat tolerant. | SS |
| <i>Ericameria laricifolia</i> | Turpentine Bush | S | 3' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | seed litter, reseeds | MWD-poor | H | tough; fall flowering | |
| <i>Ericameria nauseosa</i> (Chrysothamnus <i>nauseosa</i>) | Rubber Rabbitbush | S | 6' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | seed litter | MWD-alkaline | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> | Flattop Buckwheat | S | 1.5' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | takes reflected heat well | |
| <i>Eriogonum wrightii</i> | Wright's Buckwheat | S | 1.5' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | reseeds | MWD | H | full sun; heat loving but coarse plant | |
| <i>Euonymus japonica</i> | Evergreen Euonymus selections | S | 8' | 6' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | leaf mildew, scale | Loam-fertile | H | can be hedged | ST |
| <i>Eysenhardtia orthocarpa</i> | Arizona Kidneywood | S | 10' | 10' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | M | can be trained into small tree | |
| <i>Eysenhardtia texana</i> | Texas Kidneywood | S | 8' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | slow growing; fragrant flowers | |
| <i>Fallugia paradoxa</i> | Apache Plume | S | 6' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | suckers | MWD | H | can be hedged | |
| <i>Feijoa sellowiana</i> | Pineapple Guava | S | 18' | 18' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | fruit litter | M-fertile | H | slow growing; can be trained into small tree; edible fruit | |
| <i>Fendlera rupicola</i> | Cliff Fendlerbush | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | naturally leggy | |
| <i>Forestiera pubescens</i> (F. <i>neomexicana</i>) | New Mexico Privet | S | 15' | 10' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | fruit litter, leaf mildew | MWD | H | prune up to expose multi-trunk form & bark | |
| <i>Fraxinus greggii</i> | Littleleaf Ash | S/ST | 15' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | can be trained into small naturally multi-trunked tree | |
| <i>Ilex vomitoria</i> | Yaupon Holly selections | S | 15' | 10' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | prune to expose multi-trunk form & bark; tolerates poor drainage | |
| <i>Juniperus chinensis</i> | Chinese Juniper selections | S | 5' | 10' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites, tip borers | MWD | H | avoid shearing foliage; many size & form selections available; dioecious | |
| <i>Krascheninnikovia lanata</i> (Ceratoides <i>lanata</i>) | Winterfat | S | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-alkaline | H | attractive winter seed heads | MST |
| <i>Lagerstroemia indica</i> | Crepe Myrtle | S/ST | 20' | 15' | Medium-High | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | chlorosis, leaf burn | WD-fertile | H | do not over prune; many selections available | |

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| Scientific Name | Common Name | Type ¹ | Height | Width | General Water Requirements | City Projects ² | | | Commercial Landscape Ordinance 18.46 Compliance | | Cultural Information | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | Median/Street/ Right of Way | Park/Open Space | Ornamental Landscape | Project Tree | Parking Lot Tree | Evergreen or Deciduous | Site Specific Restrictions | Possible Problems | Soils ³ | Cold Hardiness ⁴ | Design/Cultural Notes | Salt Sensitivity ⁵ |
| <i>Lantana camara</i> | Bush Lantana | S | 5' | 5' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | M | M 25°F | needs warm winter location | |
| <i>Lantana horrida</i> | Texas Lantana | S | 2' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | H root | full sun; heat loving but coarse plant | |
| <i>Larrea tridentata</i> | Creosote Bush | S | 8' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | tolerates shearing; hedging | |
| <i>Leucophyllum candidum</i> | Silver Leaf selections | S | 4' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | over watering, root rot | | WD | H | smallest in size; requires perfect drainage | |
| <i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i> | Texas Sage selections | S | 5' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | several leaf /flower colors available | |
| <i>Leucophyllum laevigatum</i> | Chihuahuan Rain Sage | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | open spiky appearance | |
| <i>Leucophyllum langmaniae</i> | Cinnamon Sage selections | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | most frequent bloomer | |
| <i>Leucophyllum pruinatum</i> | Fragrant Sage | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | fragrant flowers | |
| <i>Leucophyllum revolutum</i> | Curl Leaf Sage | S | 4' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | unique foliage | |
| <i>Leucophyllum zygophyllum</i> | Blue Ranger | S | 5' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | best foliage aspect | |
| <i>Lonicera albiflora</i> | White Honeysuckle | S | 6' | 4' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | shrubby rather than vine | |
| <i>Mimosa dysocarpa</i> | Velvetpod Mimosa | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | thorns | | MWD | H | avoid pedestrian areas | |
| <i>Nandina domestica</i> | Heavenly Bamboo | S | 5' | 3' | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | size selections available; tolerates light shade; no caliche | SS |
| <i>Nerium oleander</i> | Oleander selections | S | 15' | 10' | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | all parts are poisonous, insects | | M | H | dwarf selection marginally cold hardy (25°F) | ST |
| <i>Parthenium incanum</i> | Mariola | S | 3' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | good for revegetation; takes full sun, reflected heat; tough | |
| <i>Philadelphus microphylla</i> | Little Leaf Mock Orange | S | 5' | 5' | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | tolerates light shade | |
| <i>Platyclusus orientalis</i> (Thuja orientalis) | Oriental Arborvitae | S | 15' | 15' | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | bag worms, spider mites | | MWD | H | avoid reflected heat | |
| <i>Poliomintha maderensis</i> | Lavender Spice | S | 4' | 5' | Medium | | | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required in winter only | |
| <i>Poliomintha incana</i> | Desert Rosemary | S | 3' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD-sand | H | prefers deep sands | |
| <i>Prunus triloba</i> | Flowering Almond | S/ST | 10' | 6' | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | borers | | M | H | | |
| <i>Ptelea trifoliata</i> | Hop Tree | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | suckers | | MWD | H | tolerates shade; deer resistant | |
| <i>Punica granatum</i> | Pomegranate selections | S | 15' | 10' | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | fruit litter, twiggy | | M- alkaline | H | edible fruit; non-fruiting selections available & preferred | SS |
| <i>Purshia mexicana</i> (Cowania mexicana) | Cliffrose | S | 12' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | variety of berry colors and habits available | |
| <i>Pyracantha species</i> | Pyracantha selections | S | Varies | Varies | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | fire blight, thorns | | MWD | H | | MSS |
| <i>Quercus turbinella</i> | Shrub Oak | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | spiny foliage | | MWD-rocky | H | large screening shrub | |
| <i>Raphiolepis indica</i> | Indian Hawthorne selections | S | 4' | 4' | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | leaf burn | | MWD-fertile | H | | |
| <i>Rhus glabra</i> | Smooth Sumac | S | 10' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | suckers | | MWD | H | tolerates light shade | |
| <i>Rhus microphylla</i> | Littleleaf Sumac | S | 8' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD-alkaline | H | naturalizes drainages | |
| <i>Rhus ovata</i> | Sugar Bush | S | 10' | 12' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | | |
| <i>Rhus trilobata</i> | Threeleaf Sumac selections | S/GC | Varies | Varies | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | can be hedged | |
| <i>Rhus virens</i> (R. choriophylla) | Evergreen Sumac | S | 12' | 8' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | WD | H | requires perfect drainage | |
| <i>Rosa banksiae</i> | Lady Bank's Rose | S/V | 20' | 15' | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | H | fencing/embankments | SS |
| <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> | Rosemary | S/GC | 3' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | H | upright & prostrate selections available | MST |
| <i>Salvia clevelandii</i> | Chaparral Sage | S | 4' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | short lived | | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Salvia greggii</i> | Autumn Sage selections | S | 3' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | WD-no clay | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Salvia microphylla</i> | Baby Sage selections | S | 4' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | root rot | | MWD | M 15°F | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Santolina chamaecyparissus</i> (S. incana) | Grey Lavender Cotton | S | 1' | 3' | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Santolina rosmarinifolia</i> (S. virens) | Green Lavender Cotton | S | 2' | 3' | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required | |
| <i>Senna artemisioides</i> (Cassia artemisioides) | Feather Senna | S | 6' | 6' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD | M 20°F | silver foliage accent; winter bloom often hurt by frost | |
| <i>Senna lindheimeriana</i> (Cassia lindheimeriana) | Velvet-leaf Senna | S | 2' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | short lived | | MWD | H root | cut to ground in winter; winter bloom often hurt by frost | |
| <i>Senna nemophila</i> (Cassia nemophila) | Desert Senna | S | 6' | 6' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | root rot | | MWD-sandy | M 18°F | late to foliage out; tough; heat tolerant | |
| <i>Senna wislizenii</i> (Cassia wislizenii) | Shrubby Senna | S | 7' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | tough; adaptable; heat tolerant; slow growing without regular irrigation | |
| <i>Sophora secundiflora</i> | Texas Mountain Laurel | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | seed litter, leaf skeletonizer | | MWD-alkaline | H | attractive only in flowers, otherwise gaunt stems | |
| <i>Spartium junceum</i> | Spanish Broom | S | 8' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | caterpillars, aphids | | MWD-poor | H | | |
| <i>Tecoma stans</i> var. <i>angustata</i> | Yellow Bells | S | 6' | 4' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H root | good summer flowers; best in warm winter locations; large leaved tropical var. <i>stans</i> not cold hardy | |
| <i>Tecoma X alata</i> | Orange Jubilee | S | 10' | 8' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | H root | best in warm winter locations | |
| <i>Trachycarpus fortunei</i> | Windmill Palm | S | 15' | 7' | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | good in small planters | |
| <i>Trixis californica</i> | Trixis | S | 3' | 3' | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | | | MWD | H | good for revegetation; heat tolerant | |

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| | | | | | | Median/Street/ Right of Way | Park/Open Space | Ornamental Landscape | Project Tree | Parking Lot Tree | Evergreen or Deciduous | Site Specific Restrictions | Possible Problems | Soils ³ | Cold Hardiness ⁴ | Design/Cultural Notes | Salt Sensitivity ⁵ |
| Ungrandia speciosa | Mexican Buckeye | S/ST | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | fruit litter | MWD-poor | H | moderate growth rate; early spring color; can be pruned to small tree | |
| Vauquelinia californica | Arizona Rosewood | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD-alkaline | H | rugged evergreen screen | |
| Vauquelinia corymbosa v. heterodon | Mexico Rosewood | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD-alkaline | H | rugged evergreen screen | |
| Vauquelinia corymbosa v. augustifolia | Chisos Rosewood | S | 15' | 10' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD-alkaline | H | rugged evergreen screen | |
| Viguiera stenoloba | Skeleton Leaf | S | 5' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | good mounding color shrub | |
| Zizyphus obtusifolia | Graythorn | S | 6' | 8' | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | | thorns | MWD | H | barrier plant | |
| ACCENT PLANTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agave species | Century Plant selections | A/S | Varies | Varies | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spines, weevils | MWD | Varies | many size, form, color selections available; research hardness. | |
| Dasyliodon species | Sotol selections | A/S | Varies | Varies | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | margins | MWD | Varies | | |
| Ephedra species | Joint Fir, Mormon Tea selections | A/S | 5' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | root rot | WD | H | | |
| Euphorbia antisiphilitica | Candellia | A/S | 1' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | | |
| Euphorbia myrsinites | Blue Spurge | A | .5' | 1' | Low | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | | clump among boulders for best effect | |
| Euphorbia rigida (E. biglandulosa) | Gopher Plant | A | 2' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | | | |
| Hechtia texana | False Agave | A/S | 2' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | hooked marginal spines | MWD | H | clump among boulders for best effect | |
| Hesperaloe species | False Yucca selections | A/S | 5' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | Varies | H. parviflora (red flowered) most hardy | |
| Jatropha dioica | Leatherstem | A/S | 2' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | WD | H | clump among boulders for best effect; slow rhizomatous spreader | |
| Nolina species | Beargrass selections | A/S | 8' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | saw-toothed leaf margins | MWD | Varies | do not prune live foliage avoid pedestrian areas; even spineless selections have glochids | |
| Opuntia species | Prickley Pear, Cholla selections | A/S | 8' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spines/glochids, Cochineal scale | MWD | Varies | many size & form selections available. | |
| Yucca species | Yucca selections | A/S | Varies | Varies | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spine tipped leaves | MWD | Varies | | |
| GRASSES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ornamental Grasses | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aristida purpurea | Purple Threawn | OG | 1.5' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | | | | |
| Bouteloua species | Gramma Grasses | OG | Varies | Varies | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | M | H | | |
| Muhlenbergia species | Muhley Grass selections | OG | Varies | Varies | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | MWD | H | good variety of clumping species available | |
| Nassella tenuissima (Stipa tenuissima) | Feather Grass | OG | 2' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | shade tolerant | M | H | short lived but reseeds | |
| Oryzopsis hymenoides | Indian Rice Grass | OG | 1.5' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | short lived | MWD-sandy | H | reseeds | |
| Panicum virgatum | Switch grass selections | OG | 4' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | M | H | foliage color selections available | |
| Pennisetum setaceum "Rubrum" | Red / Purple Fountain Grass | OG | 4' | 4' | Medium-High | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | short lived | M | M 25°F | sterile selection; species is invasive | |
| Schizachrium scoparium | Little Bluestem | OG | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | MWD | H | good winter color | |
| Sporobolus wrightii | Giant Sacaton | OG | 6' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Dormant | | | M-heavy | H | giant form selection available | ST |
| Turf Grasses | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Buchloe dactyloides | Buffalograss selections | TG | .5' | Varies | Medium | | X | X | | | Dormant | | foot traffic, shade | LWD-clay | H | low fertilizer; mowing not required; drought deciduous | |
| Cynodon dactylon | Hybrid Bermudagrass selections | TG | 2" | Varies | Medium | | X | X | | | Dormant | | | MWD | H | seedless hybrid selections only | ST |
| Lolium perenne | Perennial Rye Grass selections | TG | Varies | Varies | High | | X | X | | | Dormant | | heat | M-fertile | H | prefers cool summers | MST |
| Poa arachnifera | Texas Bluegrass | TG | Varies | Varies | Medium | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M | H | | SS |
| Zoysia species | Zoysia Turf selections | TG | Varies | Varies | Medium | | | X | | | Dormant | | | MWD | H | slow spreading | MST |
| GROUND COVERS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Acacia redolens | Prostrate Acacia | GC/S | 3' | 15' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | | | |
| Acalypha monostachya | Copperleaf | GC/CP | 1' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | | | | |
| Artemisia ludoviciana | White or Prairie Sagebrush | GC/CP | 2' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | | | rhizomatous spreader; shear off in winter | |
| Baccharis pilularis | Coyote Bush | GC/S | 2' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | allergenic pollen spider mites, root fungus | MWD | H | periodic renewal pruning required | MST |
| Baccharis pilularis X sarothroides | Dwarf Coyote Bush hybrids | GC/S | 3' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD | H | can be short lived | MST |
| Carpobrotus chilensis | California Ice Plant | GC/CP | 1' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | fungal die-back, rabbits | MWD-poor | M 20°F | no foot traffic | |
| Carpobrotus edulis | Common Ice Plant | GC/CP | 1' | 5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | fungal die-back, rabbits | MWD-sand | M 20°F | no foot traffic | |
| Cotoneaster glaucophyllus | Grey leafed Cotoneaster | GC/S | 1' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-poor | H | low maintenance | |
| Cotoneaster horizontalis | Rock Cotoneaster | GC/S | 1' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-poor | H | low maintenance hardy selection is "Sierra Gold" but cut back in late winter to renew | |
| Dalea capitata | Lemon Dalea | GC/CP | 1' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | rabbit resistant; roots at stem nodes | |
| Dalea greggii | Prostrate or Trailing Indigo Bush | GC/S | 1' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | no foot traffic | WD-sand/gravels | H | | |
| Delosperma cooperi | Hardy Ice Plant | GC/CP | .5' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | no foot traffic | MWD | H | avoid winter moisture | |
| Delosperma nubigenum | Hardy Yellow Iceplant | GC/CP | .5' | Varies | Low | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | no foot traffic | WD-sandy | H | avoid winter moisture avoid winter moisture; roots at leaf nodes | |
| Dichondra argenta | Silver Ponyfoot | GC/CP | 3' | Varies | Low-Medium | | X | X | | | Deciduous | | no foot traffic | M | H root | | |

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| | | | | | | Median/Street/Right of Way | Park/Open Space | Ornamental Landscape | Project Tree | Parking Lot Tree | Evergreen or Deciduous | Site Specific Restrictions | Possible Problems | Soils ³ | Cold Hardiness ⁴ | Design/Cultural Notes | Salt Sensitivity ⁵ |
| <i>Drosera speciosa</i> | Ice Plant | GC/CP | .5' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | no foot traffic | M | H | roots at stem nodes | |
| <i>Gazania rigens leucolaena</i> | Trailing Gazania | GC/CP | .5' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | crowd rot if overwatered | WD | M 18°F | mass for cover in full sun; no foot traffic | |
| <i>Glandularia rigida</i> (Verbena rigida) | Sandpaper Verbena | GC/CP | 2' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | M | H root | rhizomatous; cutback to ground in winter | |
| <i>Glandularia pulchella</i> (Verbena tenuisecta) | Moss Verbena | GC/CP | 1' | 4' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | M 20°F | mass for cover | |
| <i>Juniperus horizontalis</i> | Juniper groundcover selections | GC/S | 1' | 6' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | M | H | good for bank cover | |
| <i>Juniperus sabina</i> | Juniper groundcover selections | GC/S | 1' | 10' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | spider mites | MWD | H | good for bank cover | |
| <i>Lantana montevidensis</i> | Trailing Purple | GC/CP | 1' | 6' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | M 30°F | mass for cover in full sun; no foot traffic | |
| <i>Lantana X</i> | Lantana hybrids | GC/CP | 2' | 6' | Low | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M | M 30°F | mass for cover in full sun; no foot traffic | |
| <i>Mahonia repens</i> | Creeping Mahonia | GC/S | 3' | 6' | Medium | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-fertile | H | tolerates shade; rhizomatous | |
| <i>Malepura crocea</i> | Red Iceplant | GC/CP | .5' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | foot traffic | MWD | M 20°F | aggressive spreader; roots at stem nodes | |
| <i>Malepura lutea</i> | Yellow Ice Plant | GC/CP | .5' | | Low | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | foot traffic | MWD | M 20°F | aggressive spreader; roots at stem nodes | |
| <i>Marsilea macropoda</i> | Fern Clover | GC/CP | .5' | | Medium-High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | invasive | M-fertile | H | ponding/drainage areas; spreads by stolons | |
| <i>Mirabilis multiflora</i> | Giant Four O'clock | GC/CP | 2' | 5' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | MWD | H root | | |
| <i>Oenothera speciosa</i> | Mexican Primrose | GC/CP | 1' | 1.5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Deciduous | | invasive | M | H root | contain to control rhizome spread | |
| <i>Oenothera stubbei</i> | Baja Evening Primrose | GC/CP | .5' | 4' | Medium | | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | M 20°F | spreads by runners rooting at nodes | |
| <i>Phyla nodiflora</i> var. incisa | Frogfruit | GC/CP | 1' | 1' | Medium-High | | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | M-clay | H root | shear to ground in winter; roots at leaf nodes | |
| <i>Teucrium X lucidrys</i> (T. chamadrys) | Germander | GC/CP | 1' | 3' | Medium | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD-fertile | H | rhizomatous; demands excellent drainage | |
| <i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i> | Star Jasmine | GC/S | 1' | 10' | Medium | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | versatile twining vine for groundcover or as climber | |
| <i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i> | Asian Jasmine | GC/S | 1' | 4' | Medium | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | MWD | H | versatile twining vine for groundcover or as climber | |
| <i>Vinca major</i> | Periwinkle | GC/CP | 2' | 3' | High | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | invasive | M-fertile | H | shade tolerant; aggressive; root along stems | |
| <i>Vinca minor</i> | Dwarf Periwinkle | GC/CP | .5' | 2' | High | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | M-fertile | H | shade tolerant; non-aggressive; root along stems | |
| <i>Zinnia grandiflora</i> | Plains Zinnia, Rocky Mountain Zinnia | GC/CP | .5' | 1' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | MWD | H | spreads by stolons; use with rocks | |
| VINES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Antigonon leptopus</i> | Coral Vine | V | to 40' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | aggressive climber | MWD | H root | large tuberous root needs winter mulch | |
| <i>Campsis radicans</i> | Trumpet Vine | S/V | to 40' | | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | suckers, invasive | M-fertile | H | needs support in maturity; color selections available | |
| <i>Cissus trifoliata</i> | Arizona Grape Ivy | S/V | to 30' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | invasive spreader | M-clay | H root | fast growing, tendril climber; may need restraint | |
| <i>Clematis drummondii</i> | Desert Clematis | V | to 30' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | aggressive growth, suckers | MWD | H | vigorous, mat forming growth; prune back periodically | |
| <i>Clematis linguistifolia</i> | Western Virgin's Bower | V | to 20' | | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Perennial | Fencing/Arbor | | MWD-fertile | H | | |
| <i>Fallopia aubertii</i> (Polygonum aubertii) | Silver Lace Vine | V | to 30' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | suckers, weedy | MWD | H | fences & arbors; can be a groundcover | |
| <i>Gelsemium sempervirens</i> | Carolina Jessamine | V | to 20' | | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | Fencing/Arbor | | M-fertile | H | can also be used as groundcover | |
| <i>Hedera species</i> | Ivy selections | V | to 30' | | Medium | | | X | | | Evergreen | Fencing/Arbor | aerial rootlets, invasive | M-fertile | H | can also be used as groundcover | |
| <i>Lonicera japonica</i> | Japanese Honeysuckle selections | V | to 15' | | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | aphids, invasive | MWD | H | will smother adjacent plants; cut back regularly to control | |
| <i>Lonicera sempervirens</i> | Coral Honeysuckle | S/V | to 15' | | Medium-High | | | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | Fencing/Arbor | | M-fertile | H | needs support in maturity; color selections available | |
| <i>Macfadyena unguis-cati</i> | Yellow Catclaw Vine | V | to 25' | | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | | MWD | M 18°F | likes hot masonry walls; cut back periodically for new growth | |
| <i>Mascagnia lilacina</i> | Purple Orchid Vine | V | to 15' | | Low-Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | | MWD | M 15°F | twining | |
| <i>Parthenocissus inserta</i> | Woodbine | S/V | to 20' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | | M | H | less aggressive than P. quinquefolia; good fall color | |
| <i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i> | Virginia Creeper | S/V | to 25' | | Low | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | vigorous, mildew | M-fertile | H | tendrils climber | |
| <i>Wisteria sinensis</i> | Chinese Wisteria | S/V | to 25' | | Medium | | | X | | | Deciduous | Fencing/Arbor | | M | H | | |
| COLOR PERENNIALS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Agapanthus africanus</i> | Lily of the Nile | CP | 3' | 2' | Medium | | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | | M | | |
| <i>Allium tuberosum</i> | Garlic Chives | CP | 1.5' | .5' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| <i>Aquilegia chrysantha</i> | Golden Columbine | CP | 3' | 3' | Medium-High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| <i>Artemisia schmidtiana</i> 'Silvermound' | Silvermound | CP/S | 2' | 1' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Semi-Evergreen | | | | H | | |
| <i>Artemisia X 'Powis Castle'</i> | Artemisia hybrid | CP | 2' | 3' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | H | | |
| <i>Asclepias tuberosa</i> | Butterfly weed | CP | 2' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| <i>Baileya multiradiata</i> | Desert Marigold | CP | 1.5' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial/Biennial | | | MWD | H | | |

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| Berlandiera lyrata | Chocolate Daisy | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Bubline frutescens | Bulbine | CP | 2' | 2' | Low | | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | M | | |
| Callirhoe involucrata | Winecups | CP | .5' | 2' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Calypophus hartwegii | Sun Drops | CP | 2' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Centaurea cineraria | Dusty Miller | CP | 2' | 3' | Medium | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Conoclinium greggii (Eupatorium greggii) | Blue Mist Flower | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Coreopsis lanceolata | Coreopsis | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Echinacea purpurea | Purple Coneflower | CP | 3' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Engelmannia peristenia | Cutleaf Daisy | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Epilobium latafolium (Zauschneria latafolium) | Hummingbird Trumpet | CP | 2' | 3' | Low-Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Erysimum hieracifolium | Siberian Wallflower | CP | 1.5' | 1' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Gaillardia aristata | Blanket Flower selections | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Gaura lindheimeri | Gaura | CP | 3' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Gazania X hybrids | Clumping Gazania | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Glandularia goodingii (Verbena goodingii) | Gooding Verbena | CP | 1.5' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Helianthus maximiliani | Maximilian Sunflower | CP | 6' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Hemerocallis species | Daylily selections | CP | 3' | 2' | Medium | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Hibiscus coulteri | Yellow Desert Mallow | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Iris species | Iris selections | CP | 1.5' | .5' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Liatis punctata | Gayfeather | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Linum lewisii | Blue Flax | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Lobelia cardinalis | Cardinal Flower | CP | 3' | 3' | High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Lobelia laxifolia | Loose-flowered Lobelia | CP | 1' | 2' | High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | M | | |
| Malvastrum drummondii (M. arboreus) | Turk's Cap | CP | 3' | 5' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Evergreen | | | | M root | | |
| Melampodium leucanthum | Blackfoot Daisy | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Mendora longiflora | Showy Mendora | CP | 2' | 2' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Monarda fistulosa var. menthifolia | Beebalm or Bergamot | CP | 3' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Nierembergia hippomanica | Cup Flower | CP | 1' | 1.5' | Medium | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Oenothera caespitosa | Tufted Evening Primrose | CP | 1' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Oenothera macropoda (O. missouriensis) | Missouri Evening Primrose | CP | 1' | 3' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Pavonia hastata | Pink pavonia | CP | 3' | 4' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | M | | |
| Pavonia lasiopetala | Rose Pavonia | CP | 3' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | M root | | |
| Penstemon ambiguus | Sand or Plains Penstemon | CP | 4' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon amphellorea | Mexican Penstemon | CP | 3' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon baccharifolius | Rock Penstemon | CP | 1.5' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon barbatus | Scarlet Bugler | CP | 2' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon cardinalis | Cardinal Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon eatonii | Firecracker Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon havardii | Harvard Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon palmeri | Palmer's Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon parryi | Parry's Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon pseudospectabilis | Canyon Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon superbus | Superb Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon thurberi | Thurbers Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon triflorus | Hill Country Penstemon | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Penstemon wrightii | Wright's Penstemon | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Perovskia atriplicifolia | Russian Sage | CP | 4' | 3' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Plumbago auriculata | Cape Plumbago | CP | 4' | 4' | Medium-High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | M root | | |
| Plumbago scandens | White Plumbago | CP | 3' | 3' | Medium | | X | X | | | Deciduous | | | | H root | | |
| Psilostrophe tagetina | Paper Flower | CP | 1.5' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Ratibida columnaris | Mexican Hat or Coneflower | CP | 2' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Salvia chamaedryoides | Mexican Blue Sage | CP | 2' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Salvia farinacea | Mealy Blue Sage | CP | 2' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H root | | |
| Salvia leucantha | Mexican Sage | CP | 4' | 4" | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | M root | | |
| Salvia roemeriana | Cedar Sage | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Scutellaria suffrutescens | Pink skullcap | CP | 1' | 2' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Senecio flaccida | Threadleaf Groundsel | CP | 2' | 2' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Sphaeralcea ambigua | Globe Mallow | CP | 3' | 3' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |
| Stachys coccinea | Scarlet Hedge-nettle | CP | 1.5' | 2' | Medium-High | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | H | | |

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| <i>Tagetes palmeri</i> (T. lemmonii) | Mountain Marigold | CP | 3' | 3' | Medium | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | M root | | |
| <i>Tetranneuris acaulis</i> (<i>Hymenoxys acaulis</i>) | Angelita Daisy | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |
| <i>Tetranneuris scaposa</i> | Four-Nerve Daisy | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |
| <i>Thymophylla acerosa</i> (<i>Dyssodia acerosa</i>) | Shrubby Dogweed | CP | .5' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |
| <i>Thymophylla pentachaeta</i> (<i>Dyssodia pentachaeta</i>) | Golden Dogweed | CP | .5' | .5' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |
| <i>Wedelia texana</i> (<i>Zexmenia hispida</i>) | Orange Zexmenia | CP | 3' | 2' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H root | | |
| <i>Zephyranthes</i> species | Rain Lilly selections | CP | .5' | .5' | Low | | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |
| <i>Zinnia acerosa</i> | Desert Zinnia | CP | 1' | 1' | Low | X | X | X | | | Perennial | | | | | H | | |

1 Type
 A= Accent
 CP= Color Perennial
 GC= Ground Cover
 OG= Ornamental
 Grass
 S= Shrub
 TG= Turf Grass
 T= Tree
 LT= Large Tree
 MT= Medium Tree
 ST= Small Tree
 V= Vine

2 City Projects
 X= Preferred
 O= Can be used but is not

3 Soils
 LWD= plant requires a well draining loamy soil
 M= plant is adaptable to most soils
 MWD= plant is adaptable to most soils if well draining and uncompacted
 WD=p lant requires excellent drainage, no clay or compacted soils

any additional qualifier indicates the plant preference for ,or tolerance of, the soil condition described

4 Cold Hardiness
 H= plant is normally hardy to 10°F or below
 H roots= frost damage to foliage/stems is common but normally root hardy with rapid spring recovery
 H mature= frost damage to stems possible on young or unestablished plants until maturity
 M= plant is marginally cold hardy to temperature noted--provide winter protection/warm microclimate

5 Salt Sensitivity
 SS= Salt Sensitive
 MSS= Moderately Salt Sensitive
 ST= Salt Tolerant
 MST= Moderately Salt Tolerant

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