

PRIDES Plant Selection List - Master - FINAL

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Shrubs									
Apricot Trumpet Bush	Tecoma hybrid PP sierra apricot	3	5	Summer	Apricot	e, 10			
Bells of Fire	Tecoma stans TEC6010916	4-6'	3-4'	spring-frost	red orange	m			
Bird of Paradise - Mexican	Erythrostemon mexicanus	10'	8'	spring, fall	yellow spikes	e,m,15	January - February	Cut 6" to 12" above ground	
Bird of Paradise - Red	Caesalpinia pulcherrima	6'	6'	spring, fall	Red	m	January - February	Cut 6" to 12" above ground	
Bird of Paradise - Yellow or Desert	Erythrostemon gilliesii	6'	5'	spring, fall	yellow	d	January - February	Cut 6" to 12" above ground	
Dalea - Black Dalea	Dalea frutescens	3	4	fall to early winter	Rose-purple clusters	se,l,15			
Dalea - Bush Dalea	Dalea pulchra	4	5	winter to spring	violet clusters	e, l, m, 10			
Blue Ranger or Texas Sage	Leucophyllum zygophyllum Cimarron (Blue Ranger)	3	3-4	summer into fall	blue-purple	e, l, 10			
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'Barbara Karst'			year round	Magenta	e,28			
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'MonCliff'				yellow/gold				
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'James Walker'				reddish purple				
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'California Gold'				Gold				
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'Royal Purple'	10	6		purple				
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'White'	10	10		white				
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea 'Imperial Delight'				white and pink blooms				
Bougainvillea - Dwarf	Bougainvillea "Helen Johnson"	3	8		dark pink		October or March		
Chuparosa	Justicia californica	4	4	late winter to spring	orange to red tublar	se,l,25	May prune to the ground after last frost		
Emu Bush "Blue Bells"	Eremophila hygrophana "Blue Bells"	3	3	Winter, spring	Purple	l,20			
Emu Bush "Easter Egg"	Eremophila racemosa	4-5	3-4	late winter, spring, summer	pink, yellow and orange	e, l, 20			
Emu Bush "Valentine"	Eremophila maculata v. brevifolia	4	5	late winter to spring	red tublar	e,m,25			
Fairy Duster -Baja	Calliandra californica	5	5	year-round	red	m,20			
Fairy Duster -Native	Calliandra eriophylla	3	3	late winter, spring,	pink	l, 10			
Flame Honeysuckle	Anisacanthus quadrifidus v wrightii	3	4	summer to late fall	Orange Red	d,l,5			
Flattop Buckwheat	Eriogonum fasciculatum v polifolium	1	2	spring	Pale pink to white	e,vl,15			
Golden Eye	Bahiopsis parishii	3	3	spring	Yellow, daisylike	e,vl,25			
Little John bottlebrush	Callistemon citrinus 'Little John'	3-4'	4-6'	summer,fall	red	l			
Ocotillo	Fouquieria splendens	15	10	Spring	Red				
Rosemary - "Tuscan Blue"	Rosmarinus officinalis 'Tuscan Blue'	6	4	winter to spring	purple	se, 15			Erect, strong upright, can be trimmed as hedge
Ruellia - Baja or Desert	Ruellia peninsularis	4	6	yearround, esp spring	blue	e, l, 25			
Ruellia - Dwarf	Ruellia brittoniana 'Katie' - purple, 'Rosa or Chi Chi' - pink, and 'Blanca or Alba' - white	1	1-2	spring through fall	purple, pink or white	m, 15			
Ruellia - Purple Ruellia or Mexican Petunia	Ruellia simplex	3	3	spring, fall	Purple	se,l,m,15			

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San Marcos Hibiscus	Gossypium harknessii	3	4	summer to fall	Yellow	e,l,25			
Shrubby Senna	Senna wislizenii	4	6	summer	bright yellow	d,vl,10			
Spanish Lavender	Lavandula stoechas	2	3	spring	Purple	e			
Tecoma 'Sparky'	Tecoma stans 'Sparky'	4	5		Yellow and orange				
Texas Rock Rose/Wright Pavonia	Pavonia lasiopetala	4-5	4-5	late spring to fall	Rose pink	se, 10			
Turpentine Bush	Ericameria laricifolia	2	3	late summer to fall	Yellow	e,vl,5			
Violet Silverleaf	Leucophyllum candidum	3	3	summer, fall	deep violet	e,vl,10			
Weeping Dalea	Dalea versicolor v. sessilis	3	4	fall to spring	Purple clusters	e,l,20			
Perennials									
Angelita Daisy	Hymenoxys acaulis	1	1	year round	golden yellow daisylike	e,l,10			
Blackfoot Daisy	Melampodium leucanthum	1	2	March-November	white daisylike	e,vl,0			
Chocolate Flower					yellow				
Desert Coreopsis	Coreopsis bigelovii	2	2	spring, summer	golden yellow	e,m,0			
Desert Marigold	Baileya multiradiata	1	1	spring, summer, fall	yellow, daisylike	e,vl,10			
Desert Senna	Senna covesii	2	2	spring, fall	Bright yellow	se,l,25			
Desert Sunrise Hummingbird Mint	Agastache Desert Sunrise	4	2	summer, fall	orange,pink	l			
Desert Zinna	Zinna acerosa	1	1	spring, fall	white daisylike	e,l,20			
Gaura	Gaura lindheimeri 'Bee blossom'	1	1.5	summer, fall	white to pink on long spikes	se,l,10			
Hummingbird Trumpet	Epilobium canum	1	2	summer, fall	Orange-red	se,lm,10			
Jerusalem Sage	Phlomis fruticosa	3	3	spring, summer	Yellow	e,m,10	Jan - March		
Mexican bush sage	Salvia leucantha	4	4	spring, fall	Purple	se,m,10			
Mexican Hat	Ratibida columnifera	2	1	spring, fall	Yellow or maroon	d,lm,0			
Moss Verbena	Glandularia pulchella	1	3	spring to fall	purple clusters	se,m,20			
Mt Lemmon Marigold	Tagetes lemmonii	3	3	fall, winter	Orange-yellow	se,lm,10			
Paperflower	Psilostrophe cooperi	1	2	spring to fall	yellow daisylike	e,vl			
Penstemon - Canyon	Penstemon pseudospectabilis	1	2	spring	Rose purple	e,l,15			
Penstemon - Coral	Penstemon superbus	2	3	spring	Bright coral	e,l,15			
Penstemon - Firecracker	Penstemon eatonii	1	2	spring	Scarlet spikes	e,l,0			
Penstemon - Parry's	Penstemon parryi	2	2	spring	Pink spikes	e,l,15			
Groundcovers									
Bush Morning Glory	Convolvulus cneorum	2	3	Spring	white	e,vl,15			
Lantana any variety	Lantana hybrid	2	3	year round	Varies	e,m,28	summer	Prune late spring, can be rejuvenated by cutting to 6"-12"	
Lantana - Purple Trailing	Lantana montevidensis	2	3		Purple				
Purple Hearts (wandering jew)	Tradescantia pallida	7"	spreads		purple foliage				
Tufted Evening Primrose	Oenothera caespitosa	1	2	spring, fall	large showy white	e,lm,10			
Grasses									
Bamboo Muhly	Muhlenbergia dumosa	4	4	summer	green, dries to tan	m,10	January - February	Cut flat to 6"	
Coral Fountain Grass	Russelia Equisetiformis	3	3	spring-fall	coral flowers		January - February	Cut flat to 6"	
Deer Grass	Muhlenbergia rigens	4	4	fall	green spikes		January - February	Cut flat to 6"	
Pink Muhly	Muhlenbergia capillaris	3	3	fall	Pink airy plumes	l,0	January - February	Cut flat to 6"	

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Undaunted Ruby Muhly Grass	Muhlenbergia reverchonii	2-3'	18-24"	fall	reddish pink	l	January - February	Cut flat to 6"	
Cactus									
See Restricted section for additional cactus							Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Argentine Giant	Echinopsis candicans	2-3	3-6	summer	white		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Argentine Toothpick	Stetsonia coryne	15	15				Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Golden Barrel	Echinocactus grusonii	2	2	spring	yellow	vl,18	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - Arizona Rainbow cactus	Echinocereus rigidissimus	2	2	spring	bright pink		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - Claret cup	Echinocereus arizonicus	2	2	spring	orange to red		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - Englemann's hedgehog	Echinocereus englemannii	2	2	spring	red/pink	vl,10	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - King cup	Echinocereus triglochidiatus	2	2	spring	red		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - Scarlet hedgehog	Echinocereus coccineus	2	2	spring	red		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Hedgehog - 'White Sands' Claret Cup	Echinocereus triglochidiatus v. White Sands	2	2	late spring/summer	red	vl	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
India Fig or Barbary Fig	Opuntia ficus indica	12	18				Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Mexican Fire Barrel	Ferocactus pringlei	3	3		orange	l, 25	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Old Man Cactus	Cephalocereus senilis				white hair like w pink blooms	l	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Organpipe	Stenocereus thurberi	10	10	na	na		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Saguaro	Carnegiea gigantea			summer	white		Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Totem Pole	Lophocereus schottii f. monstrosus	12	6	na	na	l, 25	Do Not Prune	Do not prune. Remove dead tissue only.	
Succulents									
Agave - Cabbage Head Agave	Agave parrasana Agave wislizenii	2	2.5-3'	no bloom	na	22, t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave - Mescal pelon	Agave pelona	2	3			20, t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave - Ocahui, Ojahui, Amolillo	Agave ocahui	2	3			t, 15, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave - Octopus Agave	Agave vilmoriniana	4	3	spring	Yellow	e, vl, 20, t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave - Twin-Flowered agave	Agave geminiflora Agave angustissima	2-3'	1.5'			20, t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave - Webers Agave	Agave weberi	6	6			pups			
Agave avellanidens	Agave avellanidens	2'-4'	3'-5'			t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Agave gigantensis	Agave gigantensis	1.5-3'	2.5'-4'			25, t, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Aloe - Cape Aloe	Aloe ferox	5	3	winter, spring	orange-red spikes	e, vl, 25, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Aloe - Coral Aloe	Aloe striata	2	3	winter/spring	coral/red	l	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Aloe - Dawe's aloe	Aloe dawei	2	3	winter	Red spikes	e, vl, 27, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Aloe - Medicinal Aloe	Aloe vera	2	5	spring	Yellow spikes	e, vl, 25, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Beargrass - Parry's (looks like yucca)	Nolina parryi	7	4		Cream white	e, t			
Beargrass (looks like yucca)	Nolina microcarpa	3	4	spring, summer	Pale green to cream	e, l, 0, t			
Desert Spoon / Sotol	Dasyliion wheeleri	4	4	spring, summer	Cream	e, l, 0, t			
E. Candelilla	Euphorbia antisiphilitica	1	2	spring, summer	Pink and white	e, vl, 15			

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E. Churee	Euphorbia royleana	4-6	8-10	summer	yellow	vl, 28			needs water in summer
E. Moroccan Mound	Euphorbia resinifera	1-2	4-6	late winter early spring	yellow	m, t, 20			
E. Slipper Flower	Euphorbia lomelii	3	3	spring, summer	Red slipperlike	e, vl, 25			
Sticks of Fire (Firesticks)	Euphorbia tirucalli	8	5	winter	red stalks				add?
Yucca - Adam's Needle	Yucca filamentosa	3	3	spring, summer	white stalk		Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	add?
Yucca - Banana Yucca	Yucca baccata	3	5	spring, summer	white stalk	e, vl, 0, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Beaked Yucca or Big Bend	Yucca thompsoniana	8		spring, summer	white stalk		Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Blue Yucca	Yucca rigida	12	5	spring, summer	white stalk		Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Giant Hesperaloe	Hesperaloe funifera	5	5	spring, summer	Greenish white	e, vl, 10	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Paleleaf Yucca	Yucca pallida Also Y. recurvifolia and Y. rupicola	2	4	spring, summer	white stalk	e, vl, 0, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Red Yucca	Hesperaloe parviflora 'Red'	3	5	spring, summer	Coral-red spikes	e, vl, 10	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Soaptree Yucca	Yucca elata	10	5	spring, summer	white stalk		Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	add? slow growing
Yucca - Spanish-dagger	Yucca gloriosa	10-15		early summer	cream white	e, m, 10, t	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Yucca - Yellow Yucca	Hesperaloe parviflora 'Yellow'	3	5	spring, summer	Yellow	e, vl, 10	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	
Annuals and Wildflowers									
Blanket Flower	Gaillardia pulchella	1	1	spring, summer, fall	red and yellow				
Cutleaf Daisy					yellow				
Desert Bluebell									
Desert Sand Verbena					blue/purple				
Goodings Verbena	Verbena goddingii	1	3	spring	lavender/pink				
Mexican Gold Poppy	Eschscholzia californica ssp. Mexicana	1	1	winter, spring	yellow to gold				
Mexican Sunflower					yellow				
Southwestern Cosmos	Cosmos bipinnatus	3	3	summer, fall	pink/purple				
Restricted. May be used with approval of LTF									
Generally, plants are restricted because they require shade or have water or other concerns.									
Rain Lily									
ICE PLANTS - Must check with nursery on varieties available and best for LTF needs. For testing in turning lanes.									
Red Spike Ice Plant	Cephalophyllum 'Red Spike'	1	1	winter, spring	Brilliant red cerise	e, l, 20 ** water			
Ice Plant - any variety									
Gray Ice Plant									
Brittlebush	Encelia farinosa	4	4	Spring and winter	yellow	l, 15			
Cactus - Any	Any cactus except Cholla (Cylindropuntia genus)								
Globe Mallow	Sphaeralcea ambigua	3	3	spring	orange, white, pink or lavender	e, vl, 5			
Mexican Honeysuckle	Justicia spicigera	3	4	year round	bright orange	m, 15			
Orange Bells 'Jubilee'	Tecoma Alata	8'	5'	year round	orange				
Yellow Bells	Tecoma stans v. angustata	6'	6'	spring, fall	yellow	l, 20	February, March	May by cut to 6-8" to rejuvenate	
Plants for SHADE Restricted. May be used with approval of LTF									
Autumn Sage	Salvia Greggii	3	1.5	spring/fall	dark red	l ** needs sha	Winter or early spring		

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Aloe - Partridge Breast	Aloe variegata	1	1	winter, spring	Salmon spikes	e,vl,20	Do Not Trim	Trim flower stalks after blooms fade.	not full sun?
Agave - Cow Horn Agave Lechuguilla verde	Agave bovicornuta	3	3			vl, t, 20, no pup	Do Not Trim	May trim only dead tissue	
Trees - Restricted - Currently Used - Not Being Added									
Mediterrian Palm									
Mexican Fan Palm									
Palo Verde									
Texas Mountain Laurel	Sophora secundiflora	15	10	Spring	Purple	e			

NOTES

Assume full sun, low litter, no thorns // d - deciduous, e - evergreen, se - semi evergreen, ##- hardiness deg. F

Water Use: vl - very low, l - low, m - moderate /// t - thorns, litter - med or high litter

No pups: agave does not produce offsets (pups)

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