

THE LEGENDS AT SANTA RITA SPRINGS DESIGN GUIDELINES

APPENDIX A
LEGENDS APPROVED PLANT LIST
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ARC STATEMENT REGARDING THE APPROVED PLANT LIST FOR FRONT YARDS

To help all Homeowners enjoy the beauty of the desert we want to remind each homeowner that they are responsible to see that no plant impedes a neighbor's view. (CC&R 13.3.1) Nothing is to be allowed to grow above the peak of the roof. The plants in this list have been selected strictly for their acceptable heights at maturity but this does not mean that these plants won't need to be trimmed to keep them a manageable size. The list is NOT meant to be a recommendation for carefree plants, nonpoisonous plants, frost resistant plants, or plants requiring little or no watering. No ARC application or approval is required if plants from this list are planted in front yards. The list will be updated periodically.

Following the Approved Plant List is a suggested Tree Watering Guide to help save water and encourage slower growth. With watering systems, all plants grow at a rapid rate and may require more frequent pruning and/or cutting back.

TREES

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| <i>Acacia aneura</i> | “Mulga” |
| <i>Acacia berlandieri</i> | “Guajillo” |
| <i>Acacia constricta</i> | “Whitethorn Acacia” |
| <i>Acacia willardiana</i> | “Palo Blanco” |
| <i>Bauhinia lunarioides</i> | “Anacacho Orchid Tree” |
| <i>Caesalpinia cacalaco</i> | “Cascalote” “Bird of Paradise” |
| <i>Caesalpinia mexicana</i> | “Yellow Bird of Paradise” |
| <i>Celtis pallida</i> | “Desert Hackberry” |
| <i>Cercis mexicana</i> | “Mexican Redbud” |
| <i>Cercis occidentalis</i> | “Western Redbud” |
| <i>Cordia parvifolia</i> | “Texas Olive” |
| <i>Dodonaea viscosa</i> | “Hopbush” |
| <i>Eucalyptus forrestiana</i> | “Fuschia Gum” |
| <i>Eucalyptus torquata</i> | “Coral Gum” |
| <i>Eysenhardtia orthocarpa</i> | “Kidneywood” |
| <i>Feijoa sellowiana</i> | “Pineapple Guava” |
| <i>Fraxinus greggii</i> | “Little-leaf Ash” |
| <i>Laurus nobilis</i> | “Grecian Laurel” “Sweet Bay” |
| <i>Nerium oleander</i> | “Oleander Tree” (petite) |
| <i>Parkinsonia microphylla</i> | “Foothills Palo Verde” |
| <i>Pistacia lentiscus</i> | “Mastic Tree” |
| <i>Podocarpus macrophyllus</i> | “Japanese Yew” |
| <i>Prosopis pubescens</i> | “Screwbean Mesquite” |
| <i>Punica granatum</i> | “Pomegranate” |
| <i>Sophora secundiflora</i> | “Texas Mountain Laurel” |

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Vauquelinia californica
Xylosma congestum

“Arizona Rosewood”
“Xylosma”

PALMS

Butia capitata
Chamaerops humilis
Cycas revoluta

“Pindo Palm”
“Mediterranean Fan Palm”
“Sago Palm”

SHRUBS

Nandina domestica
Artemesia ludoviciana
Abelia grandiflora
Callistemon citrinus
Chamaerops humilis
Lagerstroemia indica
Bougainvillea
Buddleia davidii
Buddleia marrubiifolia
Myrtus boetica
Dalea pulchra
Ilex vomitoria
Calliandra californica
Calliandra eriophylla
Simmondsia chinensis
Dasyilirion wheeleri
Euphorbia rigida
Arctostaphylos
Photinia glabra
Jasminum mesnyi
Justicia brandegeana
Justicia ghiesbreghtiana
Pittosporum tobira variegata
Eromophila
Atriplex canescens
Caesalpinia pulcherima
Caesalpinia gilliesii
Cassia artemisioides
Cassia phyllodinea
Cassia wislizenii
Celtis pallida
Dodonaea viscosa
Encelia farinosa
Lantana camara

“Heavenly Bamboo” compacta and compacta dwarf
“Western Mugwort”
“Edward Goucher”
“Bottlebrush” dwarf
“Mediterranean Fan Palm”
“Crape Myrtle” compacta
various cultivars
“Purple Butterfly Bush”
“Woolly Butterfly Bush”
“Twisted Myrtle”
“Black Dalea”
“Yaupon Holly” Pride of Houston dwarf
“Baja Fairyduster”
“Pink Fairyduster”
“Jojoba”
“Desert Spoon”
“Gopher Plant”
“Manzanita” Howard McMinn
“Japanese Photinia”
“Primrose Jasmine”
“Shrimp Plant”
“Mexican Honeysuckle”
“Pittosporum”
“Emu Bush”
“Four-wing Saltbush”
“Red Bird of Paradise”
“Yellow Bird of Paradise”
“Feathery Cassia”
“Silvery Cassia”
“Shrubby Cassia”
“Desert Hackberry”
“Hopbush”
“Brittlebush”
“Bush Lantana”

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| <i>Larrea tridentata</i> | “Creosote” |
| <i>Leucopyllum frutescens</i> & <i>compactum</i> | “Texas Ranger” |
| <i>Lycium berlanderi</i> | “Wolfberry” |
| <i>Nerium oleander</i> | “Oleander” |
| <i>Punica granatum</i> | “Pomegranate” |
| <i>Pittosporum tobira</i> sp. + dwarf | “Tobira” |
| <i>Pyracantha</i> varieties | “Firethorn” “Pyracantha” |
| <i>Salvia greggii</i> | “Autumn Sage” |
| <i>Sophora secundiflora</i> | “Texas Mountain Laurel” |
| <i>Trachelospermum asiaticum</i> | “Asian Jasmine” |
| <i>Trachelospermum jasminoides</i> | “Star Jasmine” |
| <i>Vauquelinia californica</i> | “Arizona Rosewood” |
| <i>Vinca major</i> | “Vinca” |
| <i>Lantana camara</i> | “Lantana” |

CACTI/SUCCULENTS

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| <i>Agave americana</i> var. <i>mediopicta</i> | “White-stripe Agave” |
| <i>Agave colorato</i> | “Mescal Ceniza” |
| <i>Agave parryi</i> var. <i>neomexicano</i> | “New Mexico Agave” |
| <i>Agave parryi</i> var. <i>truncata</i> | “Artichoke Agave” |
| <i>Agave ocahui</i> | “Ocahui Agave” |
| <i>Agave palmeri</i> | “Palmer's Agave” |
| <i>Agave parryi</i> | “Parry's Agave” |
| <i>Agave parryi</i> var. <i>truncata</i> Gentry | “Gentry's Agave” |
| <i>Agave victoria-reginae</i> | “Queen Victoria Agave” |
| <i>Agave vilmoriniana</i> | “Octopus Agave” |
| <i>Agave scabra</i> x <i>ferdinand-regis</i> | “Sharkskin Agave Hybrid” |
| <i>Agave weberi</i> | “Weber's Agave” |
| <i>Aloe</i> hybrid 'Blue Elf' | “Blue Elf Aloe” |
| <i>Carnegiea gigantea</i> | “Saguaro” * |
| <i>Echinocereus engelmannii</i> | “Hedgehog Cactus” |
| <i>Echinocereus triglochidiatus</i> | “Claret Cup Cactus” |
| <i>Echinocactus grusonii</i> | “Golden Barrel” |
| <i>Echinopsis</i> hybrid 'Los Angeles' | “'Los Angeles' Torch Cactus” |
| <i>Euphorbia antisyphilitica</i> | “Candelilla” |
| <i>Ferocactus glaucescens</i> | “Mexican Blue Barrel” |
| <i>Ferocactus stainsii</i> | “Mexican Hairy Barrel” |

*The saguaro has been included only because it's flower is the state flower of Arizona. It has been known to grow very fast in our neighborhood because of its access to the drip systems. It may need to be removed if it grows so big as to block views. Saguaros are expensive to buy and to remove. Buyer beware!

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| <i>Ferocactus wislizeri</i> | “Fishhook Barrel” |
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| <i>Harrisia bonplandii</i> | “Moon Cactus” |
| <i>Hesperaloe parviflora</i> | “Red Yucca” and “Yellow Yucca” |
| <i>Opuntia engelmannii</i> | “Engelmann's Prickly Pear” |
| <i>Opuntia robusta</i> | “Dinner Plate Cactus” |
| <i>Opuntia violacea santa-rita</i> | “Santa Rita Prickly Pear” “Purple Prickly Pear” |
| <i>Opuntia violacea var.macrocentra</i> | “Tuxedo Spine Prickly Pear” |
| <i>Trichocereus hybrid</i> | “Torch Cactus” |

ACCENT PLANTS

Baccharis pilularis
Citrus
Convolvulus
Dasylyrion wheeleri
Fouquieria splendens
Gelsemium sempervirens

Jasminum mesnyi
Yucca aloifolia
Yucca
Yucca rigido
Yucca rupicola
Penstemon parryi
Raphiolepis indica
Teucrium chamaedrys
Tulbagia violacea

Annuals

“Chaparral Broom”
Dwarf varieties
“Morning Glory”
“Desert Spoon”
“Ocotillo”
“Carolina Jasmine”
Iris
“Primrose Jasmine”
“Spanish Bayonet”
“Yucca”
“Blue Yucca”
“Twisted Leaf Yucca”
“Parry's Penstemon” “Desert Penstemon”
“Indian Hawthorn”
“Germander”
“Society Garlic”
Tulip

GROUNDCOVERS

Abronia villosa
Acacia redolens
Baccharis pilularis
Baileya multiradiata
Dalea greggii
Gelsemium sempervirens
Lantana montevidensis “
Myoporum parviflora
Oenothera berlandieri
Oenothera drummondii
Rosmarinus officinalis prostratus
Trachelospermum asiaticum
Verbena gooddingii
Zinnia pumila

“Sand Verbena”
“Trailing Acacia”
“Dwarf Coyote Bush”
“Desert Marigold”
“Trailing Indigo Bush”
“Carolina Jasmine”
Trailing Lantana”
“Myoporum”
“Mexican Primrose”
“Baja Primrose”
“Creeping Rosemary”
“Asian Jasmine”
“Verbena”
“Desert Zinnia”