

EL DORADO CHAPTER CNPS RECOMMENDED PLANTS LIST Oct. 2019

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TREES: Under 30' tall and wide, defined tree form											
California Laurel	<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	Evergreen	Y/F	S, PS	L	6 - 80'	3 - 30'	Yellow,Cream	Y	Y	Y
Oregon Ash	<i>Fraxinus latifolia</i>	Deciduous	Y/F,O	S, PS	M	35 - 82'	30'	Green	Y	N	Y
Blue Oak	<i>Quercus douglasii</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	S, PS	L	16 - 82'	30'	Yellow,Green	Y	N	Y
Black Oak	<i>Quercus kelloggii</i>	Deciduous	Y/F, O	S, PS, SH	L	20 - 120'	35'	Yellow,Green	Y	N	Y
LARGE SHRUBS: 6' - 12' tall and wide											
Bush Anemone	<i>Carpenteria californica</i>	Evergreen	N/C,O	S, PS	L, M	6-10'	10'	White	N	Y	Y
Coffee Berry	<i>Frangula californica</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,O,F	S,PS	L,VL	6 - 15'	5 - 15'	Cream,Green	Y	Y	Y
Toyon	<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,O	S,PS	L	6 - 30'	10 - 15'	White	Y	Y	Y
Spice Bush	<i>Calycanthus occidentalis</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	S, PS	M	6-8'	4-6'	Red	Y	N	N
Western Redbud	<i>Cercis occidentalis</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,O	PS,S	L	10 - 20'	10 - 15'	Pink,Red	Y	Y	Y
Mock Orange	<i>Philadelphus lewisii</i>	Deciduous	Y/O,F	S, PS	VL	4.9 - 12'	6'	White,Yellow	Y	N	Y
Snowdrop Bush	<i>Styrax redivivus</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,O	S,PS	L	8-10'	6-8'	White	y	y	y
MEDIUM SHRUBS: 4' - 6' tall and wide											
Oregon Grape	<i>Berberis aquifolium</i>	Evergreen	Y/O,F	SH, PS	L	3.5 - 7'	6'	Yellow	Y	Y	Y
Concha Ceanothus	<i>Ceanothus 'Concha'</i>	Evergreen	N/	SH,PS	VL	4-6'	4-6'	Blue	N	N	Y
Cleveland Sage	<i>Salvia clevelandii</i>	Evergreen	N/C	PS,S	VL	3 - 4.5'	8'	Blue,Purple,Lavender	Y	Y	Y
Chaparral Currant	<i>Ribes malvaceum</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,O	PS, S	VL	5 - 8'	5'	Pink,Purple	Y	Y	Y
Common Snowberry	<i>Symphoricarpos albus</i>	Deciduous	Y/F,O	SH,PS	L,M	3 - 6'	6'	White,Pink	Y	Y	Y
SMALL SHRUBS: 2' - 4' tall and wide											
Pacific Mist Manzanita	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi 'Pacific Mist'</i>	Evergreen	N/	S, PS	L	2-3'	4-8'	White, pink	Y	Y	Y
Dwarf Mahonia	<i>Berberis aquifolium var. repens</i>	Evergreen	Y/O,F	SH,PS	VL	2 - 3'	5'	Yellow,Purple	Y	Y	Y
California Buckwheat	<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i>	Evergreen	N/C	S	VL	2 - 6.6'	3'	Yellow,Cream	N	Y	Y
Silver Lupine	<i>Lupinus albifrons</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S	VL	3.2 - 5'	5'	Blue,Purple	Y	Y	Y
Foothill Penstemon	<i>Penstemon heterophyllus</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S, PS	VL	3.3 - 5'	5'	Blue,Purple	Y	Y	Y
White Sage	<i>Salvia apiana</i>	Evergreen	N/C	S	VL	3 - 5'	3 - 8'	White	Y	Y	Y
SMALL PERENNIALS: <1' - 2' tall and wide											
Sulphur Buckwheat	<i>Eriogonum umbellatum</i>	Evergreen	Y/O,F	S	VL	0.33 - 7'	5'	Yellow	Y	Y	Y
Common Woolly Sunflower	<i>Eriophyllum lanatum</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	PS,S	VL	1 - 3.3'	2'	Yellow	N	Y	Y
California Poppy	<i>Eschscholzia californica</i>	Evergreen	Y/O	S	VL,L	0.16 - 2'	1 - 2'	Orange,Yellow	Y	Y	Y
Alum Root	<i>Heuchera micrantha</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	PS, SH	M	1-2'	1-2'	White	Y	N	N
Coyote Mint	<i>Monardella villosa</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S, PS	VL	2'	3'	Pink,Lavender	Y	Y	Y
Blue Eyed Grass	<i>Sisyrinchium bellum</i>	Evergreen	Y/O	S,PS	L	1 - 2'	0.25'	Blue,Purple	N	N	Y

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Western Columbine	<i>Aquilegia formosa</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,F,O	PS, SH	M	1.5 - 3'	1'	Red, Yellow	Y	N	N
Narrow Leaf Milkweed	<i>Asclepias fascicularis</i>	Deciduous	Y/O,F	S	L,M	1.7 - 3.3'	1'	White, Lavender	Y	N	Y
Showy Milkweed	<i>Asclepias speciosa</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	S	L	2-3'	3'	White, Pink	Y	N	Y
California Buttercup	<i>Ranunculus californicus</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	PS,S	M	0.6 - 2.3'	0.5'	Yellow	N	Y	N
California Aster	<i>Symphotrichum chilense</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	S, PS	VL, L	1-3'	3'	Blue Purple	Y	Y	Y
SPREADING GROUNDCOVER: <1' - 2' tall and 2'+ wide											
Carmel Sur Manzanita	<i>Arctostaphylos 'Carmel Sur'</i>	Evergreen	N/C	S, PS	L	1'	6'	White, Pink	Y	Y	Y
Coyote Bush dwarf	<i>Baccharis pilularis 'Pigeon Point'</i>	Evergreen	Y/C	S, PS	VL,L	1'	12'	Yellow, Cream	Y	Y	Y
Anchor Bay Mountain Lilac	<i>Ceanothus 'Anchor Bay'</i>	Evergreen	N/C	S, PS	L	3	4-6'	Blue	N	Y	Y
California Buckwheat	<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum 'W. Lytle'</i>	Evergreen	N/C,O	S	L	1-2'	4-5'	White	N	Y	Y
Sonoma Sage	<i>Salvia sonomensis</i>	Evergreen	Y/C	S, PS	VL	1.3'	5 - 15'	Blue, Purple	Y	Y	Y
Bee's Bliss Sage	<i>Salvia x 'Bee's Bliss'</i>	Evergreen	N/C	S,PS	VL	2'	6 - 8'	Lavender	Y	Y	Y
California Fuchsia	<i>Epilobium canum</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,F,O	S	VL,L	0.25 - 1.5'	2-3'	Red	Y	N	Y
GRASSES: Various sizes											
California Fescue	<i>Festuca californica</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,O	S, PS	VL	1.3 - 4'	3'	Yellow	N	N	Y
Common Rush	<i>Juncus patens</i>	Evergreen	Y/O	S	M	1-3'	3'	Brown	N	N	Y
California Melicgrass	<i>Melica californica</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S, PS	VL	1 - 4.3'	1'	Green, Purple	N	N	Y
Deergrass	<i>Muhlenbergia rigens</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S	L	4 - 5'	4'	Yellow, Cream	Y	N	N
Purple Needlegrass	<i>Stipa pulchra</i>	Evergreen	Y/C,F,O	S	L,VL	3.3'	1.5'	Cream	N	N	Y
VINES: Various sizes											
Chaparral Clematis	<i>Clematis lasiantha</i>	Deciduous	Y/C,O	PS, SH	VL	15'	10-15'	Cream, White	N	Y	Y
Dutchmans Pipevine	<i>Aristolochia californica</i>	Deciduous	Y/O	PS	M	1 - 20'	10-15'	Cream, Purple	N	N	Y
California Grape	<i>Vitis californica</i>	Deciduous	Y/O,F	PS,S	L,M	10 - 40'	20-40'	Cream, Green	Y	Y	Y

PLANT COMMUNITY
C Chaparral
F Mixed-evergreen Forest
O Oak Woodland