



DEMONSTRATION GARDEN

Plant List and Plant Report



**El Dorado Irrigation District
DEMONSTRATION GARDEN
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These materials were prepared by EID water efficiency staff as a reference guide to EID's Demonstration Garden, located at 2890 Mosquito Road in Placerville. The garden is accessible to the public 7 days a week.

The PLANT LIST represents the water-wise and drought tolerant plants growing in the demonstration garden. The list numbers are also on the plant signs in the garden for cross-reference. Most of the plants have been growing since the building was constructed in 2003; so they are mature and have survived for many years.

The PLANT REPORT provides detailed information about each plant, including its growing size, leaf/flower colors, a brief description, water needs, sun requirements, and its location within the Demonstration Garden.

NOTE: The directions given under **Location in Garden** for each plant are when facing the building.

The PLANT REPORT was created using the *Water Wise Gardening in the Gold Country Region* plant database; available at BeWaterSmart.info and at eid.org/waterefficiency.

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Check with your local nursery for the suitability of the plants shown above for use in your area.

Acknowledgement: EID water efficiency appreciates the assistance received from El Dorado County Master Gardener, Sue McDavid, who volunteered her time to compare an initial list of the plants with the ones actually in the garden. The enclosed PLANT LIST and PLANT REPORT are much more accurate because of her expertise.

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#1



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Rhamnus californica 'Eve Case'

Common Name: Eve Case Compact Coffeeberry

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 3-6', 6-12'

Flower Color: Green, Yellow, White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Very Low, Low, Medium, Extra in Summer

The "Eve Case" coffeeberry is a compact form of the California coffeeberry. It remains 3-8 ft. tall and is spread out evenly. It develops larger berries than the California coffeeberry. The "Eve Case" Coffeeberry is native to California, is drought tolerant, attracts butterflies, and is a beneficial insect plant. -Cornflower Farms

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Left side of the portico, in the center of round planter bed.

#2



Botanical Name: Delosperma cooperi

Common Name: Ice Plant

Plant Type: Ground cover, Succulent

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: Salmon (in garden), Purple (in picture)

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Low

This evergreen succulent is a useful groundcover and has round, green leaves accented by deep purple flowers. It only gets to 3" tall and spreads 1 1/2' wide.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring, Summer

Location in Garden: Left side of the portico, in the round planter bed, around the Coffeeberry.

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#3



Botanical Name: *Tulbaghia violacea*

Common Name: Society Garlic

Plant Type: Perennial

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: Lavender

Sun: Full, Half, Shade

Water: Medium

This clumping perennial will grow less than 1' tall and has narrow, blue green leaves. Clusters of lavender flowers bloom in spring and summer. Leaves and flowers have a distinct onion or garlic smell if crushed.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring, Summer

Location in Garden: At the front of the building, to the left and right of the portico, next to the sidewalk.

#4



Botanical Name: *Lavandula angustifolia* 'Lavender Lady'

Common Name: Lavender Lady English Lavender

Plant Type: Perennial, Herb

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Lavender

Sun: Full

Water: Low

A well-developed woody base is apparent with this evergreen subshrub. Its leaves assume an obtuse form, and have a gray green color above and a white woolly shade below. It needs little water, full sun, and well drained soils. Strong lavender scent is used for perfumes and sachets.

Attracts Wildlife: Butterflies

Leaf Color: Blue Green, Grey Green, White

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: To the left of the portico, along the sidewalk, to the right of the light pole.

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#5



Botanical Name: *Cotoneaster dammeri*

Common Name: Bearberry Cotoneaster

Plant Type: Shrub, Ground cover

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Full

Water: Very Low

This prostrate, trailing evergreen shrub is primarily used as a ground cover. It is highlighted with bright green, ovate to rounded leaves with prominent veins. In the fall, Bearberry Cotoneasters are accented by small, bright red berries. This ground cover gets only 1' tall but will spread 5' wide. This is a great plant for banks or hillsides as long as it gets full sun. It becomes drought tolerant once it's established. Small white flowers appear in spring.

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: To the left of the front doors, under the portico; also to the right, along the building sidewalk.

#6



Botanical Name: *Berberis thunbergii* 'Atropurpurea'

Common Name: Red-Leaf Japanese Barberry

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Yellow

Sun: Full

Water: Medium, Extra in Summer

A thorny, deciduous shrub growing 4-6' high and as wide, Red Japanese Barberry can be contained with some light pruning in winter. Its purplish-red leaves contrast beautifully against a dark green background. It prefers full sun and regular watering, more in hot summer months. This is a great barrier plant.

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Red

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: On the left side of the garden, next to the sidewalk leading to the board room's back door; also near the drain.

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#7



Botanical Name: Festuca glauca

Common Name: Blue Fescue Grass

Plant Type: Ground cover, Grass

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: Gold

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Very Low

This ground cover/grass will grow less than 1' tall and has small, blue-green, evergreen leaves that are very thin and hair-like. Flowers appear in the summer but are insignificant. This dependable ground cover prefers full sun in coastal areas and afternoon shade in warm inland areas. It needs well-draining soil and is drought tolerant once it's established. Leaves may burn during the summer but trim in winter to keep it looking refreshed.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Blue Green

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: Left of the garden, surrounding the drain, behind the Valley Oak tree.

#8



Botanical Name: Rosa Shrub varieties

Common Name: Shrub Rose selections

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Pink, White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium

The dark green, heavily veined leaves of this bushy shrub are strong support for the pure white or pink, nearly double flowers it produces. This is a very tolerant, heavily scented plant with an impressive fall color. Also, large hips appear intermittently with this plant.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Summer, Fall

Location in Garden: Left side of the garden, next to the driveway and the sidewalk leading to the board room's back door.

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#9



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Ceanothus 'Concha'

Common Name: California Wild Lilac

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 6-12'

Flower Color: Blue

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Low

Concha is a lilac that grows 6'-8' in height and width. It has small narrow leaves with intense dark blue flower clusters in spring. It is tolerant of coastal and inland conditions. –Cornflower Farms

Attracts Wildlife: Hummingbirds, Butterflies

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: In the landscape strip between the parking lot in front of the building and Mosquito Road.

#10



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Baccharis pilularis 'Twin Peaks'

Common Name: Dwarf Coyote Bush

Plant Type: Shrub, Ground cover

Plant Height: Under 1', 1-3'

Flower Color: Yellow

Sun: Full

Water: Very Low

Complete with a strong, dense root system which clings attractively to slopes, this makes for an excellent low maintenance ground cover. In addition, it has no messy seeds.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Dark Green

Flower Season: Fall

Location in Garden: Along the driveway on the left side of the garden, but past the sidewalk leading to the board room's back door; in narrow strip with between sidewalk and building (with Manzanita hedge).

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#11



Botanical Name: Lagerstroemia indica

Common Name: Crape Myrtle

Plant Type: Tree, Shrub

Plant Height: 6-12', 12-25'

Flower Color: Lavender, Pink, Purple, Red, White

Sun: Full

Water: Low

The new leaves of this species are 2" long, bright green, and tinged with bronze. Some cultivars have spectacular fall color. When it has a bare outline, its rounded seed capsules add interest. Its delicate flowers bloom in 6"-12" long clusters. The flower colors could be shades of red, rose, pink, purple, and white, blooming in summer. It thrives on heat, and new cultivars have been created that resist mildew.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: Far right side of the garden, beyond the flag pole, near the driveway.

#12



Botanical Name: Rosa Ground Cover varieties

Common Name: Ground Cover Rose selections

Plant Type: Ground cover

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Lavender, Orange, Pink, Red, Yellow, White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium, Extra in Summer

There are many deciduous, evergreen and semi-deciduous roses that are used as groundcovers, usually reaching 2' in height. They look lovely draping a slope. Rosa groundcovers come in a variety of colors but all need full sun and a moderate amount of water to do well.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Summer, Intermittent

Location in Garden: On the left, in the center of the garden, around and behind the Valley Oak tree.

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#13



Botanical Name: *Potentilla neumanniana*

Common Name: Cinquefoil

Plant Type: Ground cover

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: Yellow

Sun: Full, Half, Shade

Water: Low, Medium, Extra in Summer

This plant is a perennial and a persistent groundcover. Dainty looking yet tough, it grows up to 3"-6" high. Bright green leaves are divided into five leaflets. Butter yellow, 1/4" flowers bloom in spring and summer. This groundcover spreads quickly and is a good bulb cover.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring, Summer

Location in Garden: Right of the portico, along the building sidewalk.

#14



(CA native)

Botanical Name: *Arctostaphylos 'Emerald Carpet'*

Common Name: Creeping Manzanita

Plant Type: Shrub, Ground cover

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Very Low, Low, Extra in Summer

The 'Emerald Carpet' is an evergreen groundcover that grows to 1' tall by 6-8' wide. It is favored by many landscapers as the manzanita of choice for inland situations. It has dark green leaves and exhibits compact growth. This variety is relatively tolerant of adverse soil conditions. -Monterey Bay Nursery

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Winter, Spring

Location in Garden: Right side of the garden around the flag pole; but also thriving throughout the grounds.

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#15



Botanical Name: *Salvia greggii* 'Red Star'

Common Name: Autumn Sage

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Red

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium, Extra in Summer

This shrub will grow 1'-4' tall and wide. It has glossy green leaves with red flowers that bloom from spring through fall. It prefers well-draining soil with regular watering although it will take drought conditions. It will become leggy looking. Prune spent flowers to encourage more blooming.

Attracts Wildlife: Hummingbirds

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring, Summer, Fall

Location in Garden: Left and right sides of the garden; larger shrub on the right by the light pole, and smaller shrubs on the left along the sidewalk.

#16



Botanical Name: *Rosmarinus officinalis*

Common Name: Rosemary

Plant Type: Herb

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Blue

Sun: Full

Water: Very Low

Rosemary is hardy in full sun areas where winter temperatures do not drop below 10 degrees F. Rosemary is evergreen and makes a great aromatic hedge, 4'-6' tall and 2' wide. Foliage is used in cooking. Blue flowers appear in summer. This plant is drought tolerant once it's established. Bees love Rosemary!

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: On the right, behind the right portico column.

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#17



Botanical Name: Nandina domestica 'Compacta Nana'

Common Name: Heavenly Bamboo, Dwarf Compact

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium

The Nandina domestica 'Nana Compacta' is a small, rounded shrub that grows from 12"-15" high. Its growth habit is dense, and the leaves become bright red in color in cold, winter areas. It can receive sun to part shade, and is used well as an accent plant.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Bronze, Green, Variegated

Flower Season: Spring, Summer

Location in Garden: Far right side of the garden, under the front windows, between the building and first sidewalk.

#18



Botanical Name: Vinca minor

Common Name: Dwarf Vinca or Periwinkle

Plant Type: Ground cover

Plant Height: Under 1'

Flower Color: Blue, Lavender, Purple, White

Sun: Half, Shade

Water: Very Low, Low

This groundcover will grow less than 1' tall and has small, glossy, dark green leaves with blue, purple, lavender, or white flowers that bloom in the spring.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Right of the portico column, between the building sidewalk and front sidewalk, around the light pole.

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#19



Botanical Name: Calamagrostis X acutiflora 'Karl Foerste

Common Name: Karl Foerster Feather Reed Grass

Plant Type: Grass

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Pink, Purple

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium

This ornamental perennial grass grows 4-6' tall x 1-1.5' wide and has semi-evergreen foliage that is green in spring and summer and turns green/brown in fall. The flowers bloom in mid-June and emerge a light green but quickly turn to pink/purple.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: Left side of the garden, right of the fire hydrant, in front of the large boulder.

#20



Botanical Name: Cornus stolonifera 'Flaviramea'

Common Name: American Yellowtwig Dogwood

Plant Type: Tree

Plant Height: 6-12'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Full

Water: Medium, Extra in Summer

This large, multi-stemmed shrub produces foliage that is turns a bright red before falling off. Its branches and twigs are yellow in color, and the flowers are inconspicuous among the foliage in the summer. It is a very hardy plant.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Far right side of the garden, next to the flag pole.

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#21



(CA native)

Botanical Name: *Iris douglasiana*

Common Name: Pacific Coast Irises

Plant Type: Perennial

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Blue, Lavender, Purple

Sun: Full, Half, Shade

Water: Very Low, Medium

These Irises are 6"-18" tall and have clumps of grass-like foliage. The flowers are 3"-4" across, good cut flowers, and vary from white, yellow, lavender, purple, blue, and reddish purple.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Far left side of the garden, around the fire hydrant.

#22



Botanical Name: *Coreopsis verticillata* 'Moonbeam'

Common Name: Threadleaf Coreopsis

Plant Type: Perennial

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Yellow

Sun: Full

Water: Low

A most popular perennial cultivar from a showy Eastern and Southern native, this variety has soft, yellow creamy flowers that bloom all summer on compact 1/2'-2' tall plants with fern-like foliage. It should be planted in full sun and average soil. This plant is good with the Campanula in the front of a border, and makes a lovely container plant as well. -Holland Wildflower Farm

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Summer, Fall, Intermittent

Location in Garden: Left side of the garden, around the light pole, near the sidewalk.

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#23



Botanical Name: Spiraea japonica

Common Name: Anthony Waterer Spirea

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 1-3', 3-6'

Flower Color: Pink

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Very Low, Medium, Extra in Summer

This 'Anthony Waterer' is a broad shrub, growing 2'-3' with a flat-top, dark, blue-green leaves. The immature growth is a pinkish-red color. From summer until early fall, the flowers are a deep carmine pink color. The pink color of the shrub's flowers is an asset, and the plant provides structure to a perennial border. It is presented well around lilacs.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Bronze, Green, Blue Green, Red

Flower Season: Summer, Fall

Location in Garden: Left side of the garden, along the driveway, around the light pole.

#24



Botanical Name: Hibiscus syriacus 'Diana'

Common Name: Rose Of Sharon

Plant Type: Shrub/Small Tree

Plant Height: 3-6', 6-12'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Medium

Hibiscus syriacus 'Diana' is a deciduous shrub. Upright and compact when young, it is spreading and open with age. It has a long blooming season with fewer to no seedpods. The flowers are white.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: Left side of the portico, between building and round planter bed.

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#25



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Heuchera maxima 'Rosada'

Common Name: Island Alum Root

Plant Type: Ground cover, Perennial

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Pink, White

Sun: Full, Half, Shade

Water: Very Low

Heuchera maxima will reach about 3' tall when in bloom and has deep green, lobed, evergreen leaves. Small white flowers with a touch of pink bloom in spring, rising above the foliage. This perennial can tolerate full sun in coastal areas but prefers part sun to shade in inland valleys. It looks great under oak trees, planted in masses. It is drought tolerant once it's established.

Attracts Wildlife: Hummingbirds

Leaf Color: Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Far left side of the garden, to the right of the fire hydrant, next to the Feather Reed Grass.

#26



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Quercus lobata

Common Name: Valley Oak, California White Oak

Plant Type: Tree

Plant Height: 40-60', 60-100'

Flower Color: n/a

Sun: Full

Water: Very Low

The Valley Oak is a large deciduous tree that grows 60'-80' tall. It develops a rounded canopy that spreads 50'-70' wide with leaves deeply lobed and rounded. The Valley Oak is very heat tolerant and drought tolerant once its root system is developed. It is a native to CA and attracts squirrels and birds who love the acorns.

Attracts Wildlife: Birds, Butterflies, Wildlife

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Left side of the garden, in the middle, behind the rock creek bed.

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#27



Botanical Name: Malus X arnoldiana

Common Name: Flowering Arnold Crabapple

Plant Type: Tree

Plant Height: 6-12', 12-25'

Flower Color: Pink

Sun: Full

Water: Low

Malus 'Arnoldiana' is a deciduous tree. Grows broad to 20 ft. by 30 ft. Flowers have red buds that open to single pink flowers that fade to white, and are fragrant.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Far left side of the garden, between the fire hydrant and the large boulder.

#28



Botanical Name: Bergenia cordifolia

Common Name: Heartleaf Bergenia, Winter Bergenia

Plant Type: Ground cover, Perennial

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Pink

Sun: Half, Shade

Water: Medium

This evergreen perennial has round, heart-shaped, glossy leaves that possess waxy-toothed edges. Its growth is clustered, and flowers that bloom in the spring are in shades of lilac or rose, held on stems above the leaves.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: Under the portico, on the left, between round planter bed and the building, just off the edge of the patio.

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#29



Botanical Name: *Cornus florida*

Common Name: White Flowering Dogwood

Plant Type: Tree

Plant Height: 6-12', 12-25'

Flower Color: White

Sun: Half, Shade

Water: Medium

As a deciduous tree, this dogwood has a rounded form and a horizontal branching pattern. It produces very dense flowering in May as well as in the fall. The fruit appears in clusters of scarlet oval.

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Green, Light Green

Flower Season: Spring, Fall

Location in Garden: Right side of the garden, between the front and building sidewalks, one on each side of the light pole.

#30



Botanical Name: *Raphiolepis indica* 'Rosea'

Common Name: Indian Hawthorn

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 1-3', 3-6'

Flower Color: Pink

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Low

Clusters of very light pink, almost white flowers are borne in the spring on the 'Rosea'. It grows to a height of 4'-5' and a width of 5'-6', which can be kept smaller with pruning. The overall growth is somewhat loose and graceful.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Bronze, Dark Green

Flower Season: Winter

Location in Garden: To the left of the garden, in the island of the driveway; also near at the corner of the building further down the driveway (not doing as well in this location).

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#31



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Arctostaphylos 'Sunset'

Common Name: Bush Manzanita

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Pink, White

Sun: Full

Water: Very Low

This manzanita is a mounding shrub 4-5' high and 4-6' wide. It has coppery red new growth later turning bright green. It has pinkish-white flowers in winter to early spring. This densely covered shrub prefers full sun and is drought tolerant once it's established.

Attracts Wildlife: Birds

Leaf Color: Green, Red

Flower Season: Winter, Spring

Location in Garden: Right side of the garden, to the right of the light pole, next to the Dogwood.

#32



Botanical Name: Lavandula X intermedia 'Grosso'

Common Name: Long Stemmed Lavender

Plant Type: Perennial

Plant Height: 1-3'

Flower Color: Lavender, Purple, Violet

Sun: Full

Water: Low

Long Stemmed Lavender has beautiful violet colored plumes in the summer. It is very drought tolerant and is a great plant to create that Mediterranean effect.

Attracts Wildlife: Hummingbirds

Leaf Color: Grey Green, Silver

Flower Season: Summer

Location in Garden: Right side of the garden, at the 90 degree angle of the sidewalk, 3 clumps growing together (the stems are trimmed back in the Fall).

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Botanical Name: Loropetalum chinense

Common Name: Chinese Fringe Flower

Plant Type: Shrub, Hedge

Plant Height: 3-6'

Flower Color: Red, Burgundy, Pink

Sun: Full, Partial

Water: Low

As an evergreen, it keeps its beautiful foliage year-round for a look that is truly unique and impressive in any setting. After the initial roots are developed, the plant is pretty tolerant of droughts. It's resistance to disease and mildew. It is also deer-tolerant, making it one of the more hardier screen plants for your garden. -Brighter Blooms

Attracts Wildlife:

Leaf Color: Grey Green, Red

Flower Season: Spring

Location in Garden: To the right of the portico column, between the building and front sidewalks, surrounding the small Dogwood.

#34



(CA native)

Botanical Name: Fremontodendron californicum

Common Name: California Glory Flannel Bush

Plant Type: Shrub

Plant Height: 12-25'

Flower Color: Gold, Yellow

Sun: Full, Half

Water: Very Low

'California Glory' is an open and spreading evergreen shrub 10'-20' in height with many yellow flowers blooming in spring. It needs good drainage and little summer water. It is a native plant to California as the name suggests and it is drought tolerant.

Attracts Wildlife: n/a

Leaf Color: Green, Dark Green

Flower Season: Spring, Summer

Location in the Garden: Go up the driveway to the right of the garden; they are along the sidewalk across from pedestrian bridge.