

TREE OF LIFE NURSERY "I'M EASY" NATIVES™

(You'd really rather wait until fall but deadlines are upon you and you have to plant... now! Here are some of our regional, Baja and desert plants that can better stand planting in the heat... you won't find your lilacs and manzanitas on this list!)

TURF SUBSTITUTES:

(plant 3-6' apart for full coverage in 9-12 months)

MEDIUM SHRUBS (4-6+')

Indian Mallow - *Abutilon palmeri*

Desert Lavender - *Hyptis emoryii*

LOW SHRUBS (2-4')

Cleveland sage - *Salvia clevelandii* (many varieties)

Black sage - *Salvia mellifera*

Guadalupe Island Globe Mallow - *Sphaeralcea sulphurea*

Catalina perfume - *Ribes viburnifolium* (shade)

GROUND COVERS (less than 2')

Ground cover sage - *Salvia* 'Bee's Bliss'

Ground cover Buckwheat - *Eriogonum fasciculatum* (many varieties)

Prostrate Coyote Bush- *Baccharis* 'Pigeon Point'

ACCENTS AND GRASSES (1-3')

Coral bells -

*Heuchera* sp. (shade)

Deergrass -

*Muhlenbergia rigens*



Cleveland Sage



Coral Bells



Globe Mallow

SHRUBS AND TREES

(plant 10-20' apart, as desired, among plants from above list)

TALL SHRUBS (6-12')

Toyon - *Heteromeles arbutifolia*

Holly leaf cherry - *Prunus ilicifolia*

SMALL TREES (15-25')

Fern of the desert - *Lysiloma watsonii*

Palo prieto - *Caesalpinia californica*

Tecate cypress - *Cupressus forbesii*

TALL TREES (height in the landscape 25' +)

Torrey pine - *Pinus torreyana* (coastal)

Mesquite - *Prosopis pubescens* (inland)



Holly Leaf Cherry



Palo Prieto