



Hiddenbrooke

Recommended Plant Material

P-1 Water Efficient Landscaping

The use of California native and/or drought tolerant plant material is encouraged for tree, shrub and ground cover plantings particularly where there is a transition from formal gardens to natural areas and is required by the City of Vallejo for neighborhood entries, production slopes, common areas and front yards which are installed by the **homeowner/homebuilder**. Through the use of native and drought tolerant plants a water efficient landscape will be achieved which will require less irrigation or fertilization than ornamental plants and reinforce the naturalistic character of the site. The following guidelines will assist the **homeowner/homebuilder** in preparing plans for a water efficient landscape.

A. Selection of Plant Material

Plants should be selected from the following list of Recommend Plant Materials which has been created to best represent and complement the character of *Hiddenbrooke* and are not considered to be inclusive. Many of these plants can be found throughout the community along streets, open space and the golf course. The **homeowner/homebuilder** should refer to the particular list which has been developed for neighborhood entries, street trees, production slopes and common areas, and front and rear yards.

B. Lawn

The landscape design should take into consideration that lawn is extremely water intensive and should be limited (in priority order) to the following uses:

1. Active lawn areas such as play areas and game courts.
2. Low use lawn areas such as passive sitting areas adjacent to hardscape areas that are preferably small in size.
3. Visual use only lawn which is aesthetic only and is not encouraged except in small quantities in the front or back yard. For example, use of lawn to visually connect two higher use lawn areas in the interest of design continuity and parkway strips between the curb and sidewalk would be an acceptable use.

C. General Design Parameters

General design parameters to facilitate drought tolerant landscapes include the following:

1. Trees should be planted to shade ground cover and shrub planting areas to reduce water loss from evaporation.
2. Consideration of tree characteristics should determine if trees would be suitable to be planted within lawn areas.
3. Turf areas should not be less than ten feet (10') in any dimension with the exception of parkway strips between the curb and sidewalk. This allows for the greatest irrigation efficiency. Spray irrigation heads typically do not perform well in narrow areas.
4. Plants should be grouped according to their use of water. Plants requiring similar use of water should be designated and irrigated together. Shrub drip systems and turf spray systems shall be separated.
5. Mulching of all shrub and tree areas with a 2" layer of bark mulch will also help reduce the use of water.

P-2 Neighborhood Entries

Accent Trees

Olea europaea
Pistachia chinensis

Olive
Chinese Pistache

Shrubs

Cistus hybridus
Cistus purpureus
Escallonia fradesii
Prunus caroliniana 'Compacta'
Rhamnus californica 'Eve Case'
Rhamnus californica 'Seaview Improved'

Crimson-Spot Rockrose
Orchid Rockrose
No Common Name
Carolina Cherry
Coffeeberry
Dwarf Coffeeberry

Perennials

Dietes vegata
Iris douglasiana
Lavandula angustifolia 'Hidcot'
Lavandula stoechas 'Otto Quast'
Limonium perezii
Salvia clevelandii

Fortnight Lily
Pacific Coast Iris
English Lavender
French Lavender
Sea Lavender
Sage

L-23 Street Trees

Celtis sinensis
Platanus acerifolia 'Columbia'
Pyrus calleryana 'Chanticleer'
Quercus coccinea
Quercus virginiana
Tilia cordata 'Greenspire'

Chinese Hackberry
London Plane Tree
Flowering Pear
Scarlet Oak
Southern Live Oak
European Linden

P-3 Production Slopes and Common Areas

Theme Trees

Olea europaea	Olive
Platanus racemosa	California Sycamore
Populus fremontii	Cottonwood
Quercus agrifolia	Coast Live Oak
Schinus molle	California Pepper

Trees

Aesculus californica	California Buckeye
Cercis occidentalis	Western Redbud
Eucalyptus globulus	Blue Gum Eucalyptus
Quercus lobata	Valley Oak
Umbellularia californica	California Bay

Theme Shrubs

Arbutus unedo 'Compacta'	Dwarf Strawberry Tree
Ceanothus 'Blue Jeans'	Wild Lilac
Ceanothus 'Dark Star'	Wild Lilac
Ceanothus 'Julia Phelps'	Wild Lilac
Fremontodendron 'San Gabriel'	Flannel Bush
Rosmarinus o. 'Collingwood Ingram'	Rosemary

Shrubs

Arctostaphylos d. 'Howard McMinn'	Manzanita
Heteromeles arbutifolia	Toyon
Leptospermum scoparium 'Red Damask'	New Zealand Tea Tree
Leptospermum scoparium 'Ruby Glow'	New Zealand Tea Tree
Romneya coulteri	Matilija Poppy
Salvia leucantha	Mexican Bush Sage

Ground covers

Arctostaphylos 'Emerald Carpet'	Manzanita
Ceanothus gloriossus 'Anchor Bay'	Ceanothus
Rhamnus californica 'Seaview Improved'	Dwarf Coffeeberry
Rosmarinus o. 'Huntington Carpet'	Rosemary
Wildflower hydroseed mix	

P-4 Front and Rear Yards

Trees

Acer macrophyllum	Bigleaf Maple
Alnus cordata	Italian Alder
Betula jacquemontii	Jacquemontii Birch
Betula nigra	River Birch
Celtis sinensis	Chinese Hackberry
Cercis occidentalis	Western Redbud
Crataegus phaenopyrum	Washington Thorn
Fraxinus oxycarpa 'Raywood'	Raywood Ash
Lagerstroemia indica	Crape Myrtle
Liriodendron tulipifera	Tulip Tree
Magnolia souangiana	Saucer Magnolia
Olea europaea	Olive
Pistachia chinensis	Chinese Pistache
Platanus acerfolia 'Columbia'	London Plane Tree
Platanus racemosa	California Sycamore
Prunus lyonii	Catalina Cherry
Pyrus kawakamii	Evergreen Pear
Pyrus calleryana 'Chanticleer'	Flowering Pear
Quercus agrifolia	Coast Live Oak
Quercus coccinea	Scarlet Oak
Quercus ilex	Holly Oak
Quercus kelloggi	California Black Oak
Quercus lobata	Valley Oak
Quercus suber	Cork Oak
Quercus virginiana	Southern Live Oak
Schinus molle	California Pepper
Tilia cordata 'Greenspire'	European Linden
Umbellularia californica	California Bay

Shrubs

Arbutus unedo 'Compacta'	Dwarf Strawberry Tree
Arctostaphylos d. 'Hookeri'	Manzanita
Arctostaphylos d. 'Howard McMinn'	Manzanita
Buxus j. microphylla 'Green Beauty'	Boxwood
Ceanothus species	Wild Lilac
Chaenomeles 'Pink Lady'	Dwarf Flowering Quince
Chaenomeles 'Standard Red'	Dwarf Flowering Quince
Cistus ladanifer	Crimson-Spot Rockrose

Cistus purpureus
 Dietes bicolor
 Echium fastuosum
 Escallonia species
 Fremontodendron 'San Gabriel'
 Galvezia speciosa
 Heteromeles arbutifolia
 Leptospermum s. 'Red Damask'
 Leptospermum s. 'Ruby Glow'
 Mahonia aquifolium
 Mahonia pinnata
 Pittosporum tobira
 Prunus caroliniana 'Compacts'
 Raphiolepis indica
 Rhamnus californica 'Eve Case'
 Romneya coulteri
 Rosa floribunda
 Rosmarinus o. 'Collingwood Ingram'
 Rosmarinus 'Tuscan Blue'
 Salvia leucantha
 Viburnum tinus

Ground covers

Arctostaphylos e. 'Danville'
 Arctostaphylos 'Emerald Carpet'
 Arctostaphylos 'Point Reyes'
 Baccharis pilularis 'Pigeon Point'
 Ceanothus gloriossus 'Anchor Bay'
 Cerastium tomentosum
 Cistus skanbergii
 Cistus salvifolius
 Convolvulus mauritanicus
 Coprosma pumila 'Verde Vista'
 Cotoneaster species
 Gazania species
 Hypericum calycinum
 Lonicera japonica 'Halls'
 Rhamnus californica 'Seaview Improved'
 Ribes viburnifolium
 Rosmarinus o. 'Huntington Carpet'
 Vinca minor

Orchid Rockrose
 Fortnight Lily
 Pride of Madeira
 No Common Name
 Southern Flannel Bush
 Island Bush Snapdragon
 Toyon
 New Zealand Tea Tree
 New Zealand Tea Tree
 Oregon Grape
 California Holly Grape
 Mock Orange
 Carolina Cherry
 Indian Hawthorn
 Coffeeberry
 Matilija Poppy
 Floribunda Rose
 Rosemary
 Rosemary
 Mexican Bush Sage
 Dwarf Laurustinus

Danville Manzanita
 Manaznita
 Manzanita
 Dwarf Coyote Brush
 Wild Lilac
 Snow-in-Summer
 Rockrose
 Sageleaf Rockrose
 Ground Morning Glory
 Verde Vista Coprosma
 Prostrate Cotoneaster
 Gazania
 St. Johns Wort
 Halls Honeysuckle
 Dwarf Coffeeberry
 Evergreen Current
 Dwarf Rosemary
 Dwarf Periwinkle

Vines

Ficus pumila
Hardenbergia violacea
Parthenocissus tricuspidata
Wisteria floribunda

Creeping Fig
Happy Wanderer
Boston Ivy
Wisteria