

HEDGEROW PLANT SELECTION FOR THE SACRAMENTO VALLEY

All plants listed are California native perennials

SHRUBS (size: small = 3-5' tall, large >10' tall and/or wide; use 1 gallon container stock)	
Manzanita <i>Arctostaphylos</i> spp., var. Howard McMinn – small; var. Louis Edmonds – large	
Western redbud <i>Cercis occidentalis</i> – large	
California lilac <i>Ceanothus</i> spp. – large; Nitrogen fixing plants; var. Yankee Point and Ray Hartman	
Flannel bush <i>Fremontodendron californicum</i> – large; Minimize summer watering	
California coffeeberry <i>Rhamnus californica</i> – large	
Blue elderberry <i>Sambucus nigra</i> – large; host to valley elderberry longhorn beetle, a protected species	
Cleveland sage <i>Salvia clevelandii</i> – small	
Toyon, Christmas berry <i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i> – large	
California wild rose <i>Rosa californica</i> – small	
California buckwheat <i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i> – small	
Coyote brush <i>Baccharis pilularis</i> - Plant males only to prevent spreading – large	
FORBS & GRASSES (Plug planted)	FORBS ¹ & GRASSES ² (Seeded)
California phacelia <i>P. californica</i>	Purple needlegrass <i>Stipa pulchra</i> , 35%
Summer lupine <i>Lupinus formosus</i>	Slender wheatgrass <i>Elymus trachycaulus</i> , 25%
Mugwort <i>Artemisia douglasiana</i>	California onion grass <i>Melica californica</i> , 15%
Goldenrod <i>Euthamia occidentalis</i>	Blue wildrye <i>Elymus glaucus</i> , 25%
Narrow leaf milkweed <i>Asclepias fascicularis</i> , Monarchs	Creeping wildrye <i>Elymus triticoides</i> , add where good soil moisture
Pacific aster <i>Symphotrichum chilense</i>	¹ Gumplant <i>Grindelia camporum</i> , 0.8 lb/ac add to grass seed mix
California fuchsia <i>Epilobium canum</i> , var. Catalina	² Drill grass seed at 20-25 lbs/ac; broadcast at 30-35 lbs/ac, using percent of seed in mix (bulk lbs/ac) as listed above.
Deergrass <i>Muhlenbergia rigens</i>	

Trees: Valley oak *Quercus lobata*, Blue oak *Q. douglasii*, Grey pine *Pinus sabiniana*, California buckeye *Aesculus californica*

Bloom times for California native perennial shrubs, forbs and grasses


Plants	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Manzanita												
Redbud												
California lilac												
Flannel bush												
Phacelia												
Coffeeberry												
Cleveland sage												
Elderberry												
Gumplant												
Toyon												
Wild rose												
Buckwheat												
Deergrass												
Milkweed												
Summer lupine												
Mugwort												
Goldenrod												
Aster												
California fuchsia												
Coyote brush												

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Cornflower Farms, Elk Grove, www.cornflowerfarms.com
 Floral Native Nursery, Chico, www.floralnativenursery.com
 Hedgerow Farms Inc., Winters, www.hedgerowfarms.com

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