

BOTANICAL NAME	COMMON NAME	HEIGHT + OR - 24"	DROUGHT TOLERANT	BERRIES OR FLOWERS	REQUIRES MOIST SOIL	REMARKS
GROUNDCOVERS						
ARCTOSTAPHYLOS UVA-URSI	KINNIKINICK	-	●	●		NATIVE EVERGREEN, LOW 3 IN. TO 9 IN. HT. VERY DROUGHT TOLERANT
ERICA CARNEA	WINTER HEATH	-		●		EVERGREEN, GROWS 2 FT. HT. BY 6 FT. WIDE, FLOWERS IN SPRING
RUBUS CALYCINOIDES	BRAMBLE	-	●	●		EVERGREEN, SPREADING GROUNDCOVER, SALMON COLORED BERRIES
SHRUBS						
BERBERIS THUNBERGII (CRIMSON PYGMY)	CRIMSON PYGMY BARBERRY	-		●		SMALL DECIDUOUS SHRUB, 18 IN. TO 24 IN., PURPLE FOLIAGE
CISTUS X HYBRIDUS	WHITE ROCKROSE	+	●	●		ROUNDED EVERGREEN SHRUB, GROWS 3 FT. TO 5 FT. HT., WHITE FLOWERS, VERY DROUGHT TOLERANT
CORNUS STOLONIFERA (KELSYEI)	KELSYEI RED TWIG DOGWOOD	-			●	DECIDUOUS MOUNDING SHRUB TO 2 FT. BRIGHT RED STEMS, NEEDS IRRIGATION
FESTUCA GLAUCA	BLUE FESCUE	-				SMALL CLUMPS OF EVERGREEN GRASS
GAULTHERIA SHALLON	SALAL	+	●	●		NATIVE EVERGREEN SHRUB, GROWS 2 FT.-4 FT. NEEDS TRIMMING, DROUGHT TOLERANT, WHITE FLOWERS, BLACK BERRIES
PINUS MUGO VAR. PUMILIO	COMPACT DWARF MUGO PINE	-				EVERGREEN SHRUB, GROWS SLOWLY TO 2 FT.
PRUNUS LAUROCERASUS (MT. VERNON)	MT. VERNON LAUREL	+		●		SMALL EVERGREEN SHRUB, GROWS SLOWLY TO 3 FT. HT.
PRUNUS LAUROCERASUS (OTTO LUYKEN)	OTTO LUYKEN LAUREL	+	●	●		SPREADING EVERGREEN SHRUB TO 3 FT., WHITE FLOWERS
VIBURNUM DAVIDII	DAVID VIBURNUM	+		●		2 FT.-3 FT. BY 3 FT. TO 4 FT. WIDE, WHITE FLOWERS, BLACK BERRIES

**NOTES:**

- SUITABLE FOR USE IN PLANTER STRIPS AS SHOWN IN STANDARD DRAWINGS DM.D1.1, DM.D1.2, DM.D3.1 THROUGH DM.D3.4.
- ANY OTHER PLANTS PROPOSED WITHIN ROW REQUIRE A RECOMMENDATION BY LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT.

NOT TO SCALE



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