

## **Desert Appropriate Plant List**

These plants can be used in landscaped areas that are not enclosed, but are separated from Natural Area Open Space (NAOS) by low walls, paved walkways, headers, or similar physical barriers. If landscaped areas are not physically separated from Natural Area Open Space (NAOS) areas, the plants that may be used shall come from the Indigenous Plant List above. Plants on this list may be used in areas that are enclosed by a three (3) foot high, or greater, opaque wall.

### Native-Like Plants

#### **TREES**

**Acacia berlandieri**  
**Acacia cochliacantha**  
**Acacia crassifolia**  
**Acacia farnesiana**  
**Acacia pennatula**  
**Acacia rigidula**  
**Acacia schaffneri**  
**Ceiba aesculifolia**  
**Cercidium sonora**  
**Condalia globosa**  
**Jatropha cinerea**  
**Lysiloma watsonii divaricatum**

**Guajillo**  
**Boat-spine Acacia**  
**Butterfly Acacia**  
**Sweet Acacia**  
**Feather Acacia**  
**Chaparro Prieta**  
**Twisted Acacia**  
**Silk Cotton Tree**  
**Sonoran Palo Verde**  
**Globosa Blue Wood**  
**Leafy Limberbush**  
**Rincon Feathertree**

#### **SUCCULENTS/CACTI**

**Agave colorata**  
**Agave geminiflora**  
**Agave lechugilla**  
**Agave lophantha**  
**Agave ocahui**  
**Agave parryi huachuensis**  
**Agave parryi truncate**  
**Agave victoriae-reginae**  
**Chrysactina Mexicana**  
**Dasyliirion acrotriche**  
**Dasyliirion longissima**  
**Dasyliirion texanum**  
**Echinocactus grusonii**  
**Euphorbia antisiphilitica**  
**Hesperaloe nocturna**  
**Nolina bigelovii**  
**Nolina lingifolia**

**Mescal Ceniza**  
**Twin-Flowered Agave**  
**Lechugilla**  
**Holly Agave**  
**Ocahui Agave**  
**Huachuca Agave**  
**Gentry's Agave**  
**Queen Victoria Agave**  
**Domianita Daisy**  
**Green Desert Spoon**  
**Toothless Sotol**  
**Texas Sotol**  
**Golden Barrel Cactus**  
**Candelia**  
**Night-Blooming Hesperaloe**  
**Bigelow Nolina**  
**Mexican Grass Tree**

**Nolina matapensis**  
**Nolina microcarpa**  
**Opuntia basilaris**  
**Opuntia violaceae**  
**Stenocereus thurberi**  
**Yucca schidigera**  
**Yucca schottii**  
**Yucca vallida**  
**Yucca whipplei**

**Tree Bear Grass**  
**Bear Grass**  
**Beavertail Cactus**  
**Purple Prickly Pear**  
**Organ Pipe Cactus**  
**Mohave Yucca**  
**Mountain Yucca**  
**Tree Yucca**  
**Our Lord's Candle**

## **SHRUBS/BUSHES**

**Acacia angustissima**  
**Acacia cultiformis**  
**Aloysia lycioides**  
**Aloysia wrightii**  
**Anisacanthus andersonii**  
  
**Anisacanthus puperulus**  
  
**Anisacanthus quadrifidus wrightii**  
**Asclepias linaria**  
**Asclepias subulata**  
**Berberis haematocarpa**  
**Brongniartia alamosana**  
**Buddleia marrubifolia**  
**Busera fagaroides**  
**Busera hindsiana**  
**Caesalpinia pulmia**  
**Calliandria californica**  
**Calliandria peninsularis**  
**Condalia correllii**  
**Cordia parvifolia**  
**Cordia sonorae**  
**Dalea bicolor argyrea**  
**Dalea pulchra**  
**Dalea wislizenii**  
**Erythrina flabelliformis**  
**Eysenhardtia orthocarpa**  
**Fallugia paradoxa**  
**Forestiera acumianata parvifolia**  
**Jatropha cardiophylla**  
**Justicia candicans**  
**Lycium brevipes**

**Fern Acacia**  
**Knife Acacia**  
**White Bush**  
**Wright's Bee Bush**  
**Magdalena Palm Canyon**  
**Honeysuckle**  
**Red Chihuhuan**  
**Honeysuckle**  
**Flame anisacanthus**  
**Pineleaf Milkweed**  
**Desert Milkweed**  
**Red Mahonia**  
**Alamos Pea Tree**  
**Woolly Butterfly Bush**  
**White Bark Tree**  
**Red Elephant Tree**  
**Copper Caesalpinia**  
**Baja fairy Duster**  
**La Paz Fairy Duster**  
**Mexican Blue Wood**  
**Little-Leaf Cordia**  
**Sonoran Cordia**  
**Silver Dalea**  
**Bush Dalea**  
**Wislizenii's Dalea**  
**Arizona Coral Bean**  
**Kidneywood**  
**Apache Plume**  
**Desert Olive**  
**Limberbush**  
**Red Honeysuckle**  
**Mexican Wolfberry**

**Maytenus phyllanthowes**  
**Muhlenbergia dumosa**  
**Muhlenbergia rigens**  
**Rhus choriophylla**  
**Rhus microphylla**  
**Rhus trilobatta**  
**Rhus virens**  
**Ruellia californica**  
**Ruellia peninsularis**  
**Senna wislizenii**  
**Solanum hindsianum**  
**Sophora arizonica**  
**Tecoma stans**  
**Vallesia baileyana**  
**Zauschneria californica**

**Mangle Dulce**  
**Bamboo Muhly**  
**Deer Grass**  
**Chihuahuan Leather-Leaf**  
**Little-Leaf Desert Sumac**  
**Squaw Bush**  
**Huachuca Sumac**  
**Sonoran Desert Ruellia**  
**Baja Ruellia**  
**Shrubby Senna**  
**Blue Solamun Shrub**  
**Arizona Mescal Bean**  
**Narrow-Leaf Yellow Bells**  
**Vallesia**  
**Hummingbird Trumpet**  
**Bush**

#### **GROUNDCOVER**

**Ageratum corymbosum**  
**Dalea greggii**  
**Pelisiphonia brachysiphon**  
**Stachys coccinea**  
**Tagetes palmeri**  
**Zinnia acerosa**

**Desert Ageratum**  
**Trailing Indigo Bush**  
**Rock Trumpet**  
**Texas Betony**  
**Mt. Lemmon Marigold**  
**Desert Zinnia**