

FIRE RESISTIVE LANDSCAPING CAN SAVE YOUR HOUSE AND YOUR LIFE

The following list of fire resistive plants should be considered when landscaping around your home. By replacing highly flammable native and landscape vegetation with these recommended species, you can significantly improve the survivability of your home when a WILDFIRE threatens. These plants should not be planted in continuous beds, but should be separated to prevent fire spread. To maintain their fire resistance, they need to be watered and pruned to remove dead leaves and branches. Routine care and maintenance will provide you with an attractive defensible space against wildfire. Contact your local nursery for selections appropriate to your area.

<u>COMMON NAME</u>	<u>BOTANICAL NAME</u>	<u>COMMON NAME</u>	<u>BOTANICAL NAME</u>
Ground Covers:			
Yarrow	<i>Achillea tomentosa</i>	Silver Mound	<i>Artemesia caucasica</i>
Rock Rose	<i>Cistus vellosus</i>	Capeweed	<i>Arctotheca calendula</i>
Dwarf Coyote Bush	<i>Baccharis pilularis prostratus</i>	Snow in Summer	<i>Cerastium tomentosum</i>
Morning Glory Bush	<i>Convolvulus cneorum</i>	Winter Creeper	<i>Euyonymus radicans</i>
Australian Fuchsia	<i>Correa</i>	Ivy	<i>Hedera</i>
African Daisy	<i>Osteospermum fruticosum</i>	Aaron's Beard	<i>Hypericum calycinum</i>
Sunrose	<i>Helianthemum nummularium</i>	Candytuft	<i>Iberis sempervirens</i>
Ice Plant	Many varieties		<i>Lippia repens</i>
Statice	<i>Limonium perezii</i>	Creeping Rosemary	<i>Myoporium parvifolium</i>
Honey Suckle	<i>Lonicera halliana</i>		<i>Rosmarinus officinalis prostrata</i>
Freeway Daisy	<i>Osteospermum</i>		
Green Lavender Cot.	<i>Santolina Virens</i>	Periwinkle	<i>Vinca major</i>
Perennial Verbena	<i>Verbena peruviana</i>		
Dwarf Periwinkle	<i>Vinca minor</i>		
Shrubs:			
Bearberry	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>	Star Jasmine	<i>Trachelospermum jas.</i>
Silver Spreader	<i>Artemesia caucasica</i>	Hopseed Bush	<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i>
Escallonia	Several varieties	Toyon	<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>
Texas Privet	<i>Ligustrum texanum</i>	Oleander	<i>Nerium oleander</i>
Italian Buckthorn	<i>Rhamnus alaternus</i>	Carolina Cherry	<i>Prunus caroliniana</i>
Lemonade Berry	<i>Rhus integrifolia</i>	Catalina Cherry	<i>Prunus lyonii</i>
		Carmel Creeper	<i>Ceanothus horizontalis</i>
Trees:			
Carob	<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>	African Suman	<i>Rhus lancea</i>
Calif. Pepper	<i>Schinus molle</i>	Brazilian Pepper	<i>Schinus terebinthifolia</i>