Suggested Drought Tolerant Plant List

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The following is a list of commonly available drought-tolerant plants suited for Fullerton's climate. Use of the list is encouraged but is not mandatory.

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Please refer to these sources for specific plant characteristics.

Please refer to the Fullerton Municipal Code Sections 15.17 to 15.40 for multiple-family residential, commercial and industrial landscape requirements.

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Botanical Name	***Common Name***
Trees	
Acacia baileyana	Bailey Acacia
Acacia baileyana 'Purpurea'	Purple Leaf Acacia
Acacia longifolia (or A. latifolia)	Sydney Golden Wattle
Acacia melanoxylon	Blackwood Acacia, Black Acacia
Albizia julibrissin and A. julibrissin, var. rosea	Silktree
Arbutus unedo & A. unedo 'Compacta'	Strawberry Tree
Brachychiton acerifolius	Flame Tree, Australian Flame Tree
Brachychiton populneum	Bottle Tree
Callistemon viminalis	Weeping Bottlebrush
Calocedrus decurrens (or Libocedrus decurrens)	Incense Cedar
Carya illinoisensis	Pecan
Casuarina equisetifolia	Horsetail Tree
Catalpa speciosa	Western Catalpa
Cedrus atlantica	Atlas Cedar
Cedrus deodora	Deodar Cedar
Celtis occidentalis	Common Hackberry
Celtis sinesia	Chinese Hackberry, Yunnan Hackberry
Ceratonia siliqua	Carob, St. John's Bread
Cercidium spp.	Palo Verde
Cercis occidentalis	Western Redbud
Chilopsis linearis	Desert Willow
Chorisia speciosa	Silk Floss Tree
Cinnamomum camphora	Camphor Tree
Cotinus coggygria	Smoke Tree
Cupaniopsis anacardiodes	Carrotwood
Cupressocyparis laylandii	Lawson Cypress
Eriobotrya deflexa	Bronze Loquat
Eriobotrya japonica	Loquat
Eucalyptus camaldulensis	Red Gum, River Red Gum
Eucalyptus citriodora	Lemon-scented Gum
Eucalyptus microtheca	Eucalyptus
Eucalyptus nicholii	Peppermint Gum, Nichol's Willowleafed Peppermint
Eucalyptus polyanthemos	Silver Dollar Gum
Eucalyptus rudis	Desert Gum
Eucalyptus sideroxylon 'Rosea'	Red Ironbark, Pink Ironbark
Eucalyptus viminalis	Manna Gum
Feijoa sellowiana	Pineapple Guava
Ficus carica	Common Fig
Forestiera neomexicana	New Mexico Privet
Fraxinum oxycarpa	Ash
Fraxinus velutina	Arizona Ash
Fraxinus velutina 'Modesto'	Modesto Ash
Fraxinux oxycarpa 'Raywood'	Raywood Ash, Claret Ash
Fremontondendron spp.	Flannel Bush
Geijera parviflora	Australian Willow

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Ginkgo biloba	Maidenhair Tree, Ginkgo
Gleditsia triacanthos, var. inermis	Thornless Honey Locust
Grevillea robusta	Silk Oak
Grevillea 'Noellii'	Grevillea
Heteromeles arbutifolia	Toyon
Juglans californica	Southern California, Black Walnut
Juniperus californica 'Glauca'	California Juniper
Juniperus occidentalis	Sierra Juniper
Juniperus virginiana	Red Cedar Juniper
Koelreuteria paniculata	Goldenrain Tree
Lagerstroemia indica	Crape Myrtle
Leptospermum laevigatum	Australian Tea Tree
Ligustrum japonicum (L. texanum)	Waxleaf Privet, Japanese Privet
Ligustrum lucidum	Glossy Privet
Lyonothamnus floribundus asplenifolius	Fernleaf Santa Cruz Ironwood
Maytenus boaria	Mayten Tree
Melaleuca linarifolia	Flaxleaf Paperbark
Melaleuca nesophila	Pink Melaleuca
Melaleuca quinquenervia	Cajeput Tree
Melia azedarach 'Umbraculiefera'	Texas Umbrella Tree, Umbrella Chinaberry
Morus alba 'Stribling'	Fruitless White Mulberry
Olea europaea & varieties	Olive
Parkinsonia aculeate	Jerusalem Thorn, Mexican Palo Verde
Pinus canariensis	Canary Island Pine
Pinus coulteri	Coulter Pine
Pinus eldarica	Mondell Pine
Pinus eldarica var. brutia	Mondell Pine
Pinus halepensis	Aleppo Pine
Pinus jeffreyi	Jeffrey Pine
Pinus pinaster	Maritime Pine, Cluster Pine
Pinus pinea	Italian Stone Pine
Pinus thunbergiana	Japanese Black Pine
Pinus torreyana	Torrey Pine
Pistacia chinensis	Chinese Pistache
Pittosporum spp.	Pittosporum
Platanus x acerifolia	London Plane Tree
Platanus racemosa	California Sycamore
Populus acuminata	Lanceleaf Cottonwood
Populus alba	White Poplar
Prunus americana	Wild Plum
Prunus besseyi	Western Sand Cherry
Prunus cerasifera atropurpurea (or P. pissardii)	Pissard Plum
Pseudotsuga menziesii	Douglas fir
Ptelea trifoliate	Wafer Ash

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Quercus agrifolia	Coast Live Oak, California Live Oak
Quercus douglasii	Blue Oak
Quercus gambelii	Gambel Oak
Quercus ilex	Holly Oak
Quercus kelloggii	California Black Oak
Quercus suber	Cork Oak
Rhus lancea	African Sumac
Robinia pseudoacacia	Black Locust, False Acacia
Schinus molle	Pepper Tree
Schinus terebinthifolius	Brazilian Pepper
Sequoiadendron giganteum	Big Tree, Giant Sequoia
Sophora japonica	Chinese Scholar Tree, Japanese Pagoda Tree
Thuja plicata	Giant Arborvitae, Western Red Cedar
Ulmus parvifolia	Chinese Elm
Ulmus pumila	Siberian Elm
Zelkova serrata	Japanese Zelkova, Japanese Keaki Tree, Sawleaf Zelkova
Zizyphus jujuba	Chinese Jujube
Palms	
Chamaerops humilis	Mediterranean Fan Palm
Cordyline australis	Dracaena
Erythea armata	Mexican Blue Palm
Phoenix canariensis	Canary Island Date Palm
Phoenix dactylifera	Date Palm
Phoenix humilis (or P. loureiri)	
Phoenix sylvestris	Silver Date Palm
Washingtonia filifera	California Fan Palm
Washingtonia robusta	Mexican Fan Palm
Shrubs	
Abelia grandiflora	Glossy Abelia
Agapanthus africanus	Lily-of-the-Nile
Agave Americana	Century Plant
Aloe spp.	Aloe
Amorpha canescens	False Indigo
Arctostaphylos edmundsii	Little Sur Manzanita
Arctostaphylos ‘Emerald Carpet’	Emerald Carpet Manzanita
Arctostaphylos hookerii	Monterey Manzanita, Hooker’s Manzanita
Arctostaphylos uva-ursi	Bearberry, Kinnikinnick, Indian Tobacco
Artemisia spp.	Artemisia Species (Sages)
Artemisia californica	Coastal Sage, California Sage Brush
Atriplex canescens	Four-Wing Saltbush
Atriplex confertifolia	Shadscale
Atriplex lentiformis breweri	Brewer Saltbush
Baccharis sarothroides	Broom Coyotebush
Baccharis pilularis ‘Consanguinea’	Coyote Bush
Berberis thunbergii	Japanese Barberry

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Buddleia alternifolia	Fountain Butterfly Bush
Caesalpinia pulcherrima	Red Bird of Paradise
Callistemon citrinus	Lemon Bottle Brush
Carpenteria californica	Bush Anemone
Cassia spp.	Senna
Cassia arteminsioides	Feathery Cassia
Ceanothus spp.	Ceanothus
Ceanothus “x” Ray D. Hartman	Feltleaf Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Concha’	Wild Lilac
Ceanothus ‘Blue Buttons’	Blue Buttons Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Blue Whisp’	Blue Whisp Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Dark Star’	Dark Star Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Frosty Blue’	Frosty Blue Ceanothus
Ceanothus griseus ‘Santa Ana’	Santa Ana Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Joyce Coulter’	Coulter Ceanothus
Ceanothus ‘Julia Phelps’	Ceanothus
Ceanothus rigidus ‘Snowball’	Snowball Ceanothus
Ceanothus thyrsiflorus ‘Snow Flurry’	
Ceanothus thyrsiflorus ‘Skylark’	
Ceratoides lanata	Winterfat
Cercocarpus ledifolius	Curl-Leaf Mahogany
Cercocarpus montanus	Mountain Mahogany
Chaenomeles speciosa	Flowering Quince
Chamaebatiaria millefolium	Fernbush
Chrysothamnus naouseosus	Chamisa, Rabbitbrush
Cistus hybridus	White Rock Rose
Convolvulus cneorum	Bush Morning Glory
Coprosma kirkii	
Corylus maxima purpurea	Filbert
Cotoneaster glaucophylla	Bright-bead Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster lacteal	Red Clusterberry
Cotoneaster rotundifolia	Redbox Cotoneaster
Crassula argentea	Jade Plant
Denromecon harfordii	Island Bush Poppy
Dodonaea viscose & varieties	Hopseed Bush, Hop Bush
Echium fastuosum	Pride of Madeira
Elaeagnus angustifolia	Russian Olive, Oleaster
Elaeagnus pungens	Thorny Elaeagnus
Eriogonum giganteum	St. Catherine’s Lace
Euonymus alatus compactus	Dwarf Winged Euonymus, Burning Bush
Euryops sp.	Euryops
Forsythia spp.	Forsythia
Fremontodendron ‘California Glory’	Flannel Bush
Fremontodendron californicum	Common Flannel Bush
Grevillea thelemanniana	Hummingbird Bush, Spider-net Grevillea
Hakea laurina	Sea Urchin Tree
Hakea suaveolens	Sweet Hakea

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Halimium lasianthum	Yellow Rockrose
Hebe spp.	Hebe Species
Helianthemum nummularium	Sunrose
Heteromeles arbutifolia	Toyon
Juniperus spp.	Juniper
Lavandula officinalis	English Lavender
Leptospermum leavigatum	Australian Tea Tree
Leptospermum leavigatum 'Compactum'	Compact Australian Tea Tree
Leucophyllum frutescens	Texas Ranger
Ligustrum spp.	Privet Species
Lonicera spp.	Honeysuckle Species
Lupinus albifons	Silver Lupine
Lupinus arboreus	Lupine
Lysiloma thornberi	Feather Bush
Mahonia aquifolium (and M.a. 'Compacta) & other varieties	Oregon Holly Grape
Myrtus beoticus	Myrtle
Myrtus communis	Myrtle
Nerium oleander	Oleander, Rosebay
Phormium tenax	Flax
Photinia serrulata	Chinese Photinia
Pittosporum sp.	Pittosporum
Pittosporum crassifolium	Pittosporum
Pittosporum phillyraeoides	Weeping Pittosporum, Willow Pittosporum
Pittosporum viridiflorum	Cape Pittosporum
Plumbago capensis (or P. auriculata)	Cape Plumbago
Portulacaria afra	Elephant's Food, Purslane Tree
Potentilla arbuscula	Bush Cinquefoil
Potentilla fruticosa	Bush Cinquefoil
Prunus caroliniana	Carolina Laurel Cherry
Prunus virginiana demissa	Chokecherry
Pyracantha spp.	Firethorn
Punica granatum	Pomegranate -- varieties
Raphiolepis indica 'Rosea'	Pink Indian Hawthorn
Rhamnus californica	California Coffeeberry
Rhus glabra	Smooth Sumac
Rhus laurina	Laurel Sumac
Rhus ovata	Sugar Bush
Ribes speciosum	Fuchsia Flowering Gooseberry
Rosmarinus officinalis	Rosemary
Salvia leucophylla	Purple Sage
Senecio cineraria	Dusty Miller
Simmondsia chinensis	Jojaba, Goatnut
Sophora spp.	Sophora
Spiraea spp.	Spirea Species
Tamarix spp.	Tamarisk Species
Teucrium fruticans	Bush Germander
Viburnum spp.	Viburnum Species

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Vitex agnus-castus	Chaste Tree
Xylosma senticosa	Shiny Xylosma
Yucca glauca	Small Soapweed
Groundcovers	
Acacia redolens 'Prostratas'	Wattle
Ajuga reptans	Carpet Bugle
Arctostaphylos 'Greenbay'	Manzanita
Arctostaphylos hookeri 'Monterey Carpet'	Monterey Manzanita
Arctostaphylos 'Point Reyes'	Bearberry, Kinnikinnick
Arctotgeca calendula	Capeweed
Baccharis pilularis 'Pigeon Point'	Coyote Bush
Baccharis pilularis 'Twin Peaks'	Dwarf Coyote Bush
Carpobrotus edulis	Ice Plant, Hottentot Fig
Ceanothus gloriosus	Point Reyes Ceanothus
Ceanothus gloriosus exaltus 'Emily Brown'	Navarro Ceanothus
Ceanothus griseus horizontalis 'Yankee Point'	Carmel Creeper
Ceanothus 'Joyce Coulter'	
Ceanothus maritimus	
Cephalophyllum 'Red Spike'	Red Spike Ice Plant
Cistus crispus	Wooly Rose
Cistus salvifolius	White Dwarf Rockrose
Correa pulchella	Australian Fuchsia
Cotoneaster dammeri 'Coral Beauty'	Bearberry Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster horizontalis	Rock Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster 'Lowfast'	Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster microphylia	Rockspray Cotoneaster
Cotoneaster rotundifolia	Cotoneaster
Delosperma 'Alba	White Trailing Ice Plant
Drosanthemum spp.	Type of Ice Plant
Gazania spp.	Gazania
Hedera helix	English Ivy
Hedera canariensis	Algerian Ivy
Helianthemum nummularium	Sunrose
Hemerocallis hybrids	Daylily
Hypericum calycinum	St. Johnswort
Juniperus spp.	Juniper Species & Varieties
Juniperus chinensis sargentii	Sargent Juniper
Juniperus conferta	Shore Juniper
Juniperus horizontalis 'Plumosa'	Andorra Juniper
Juniperus procumbens	Japanese Garden Juniper
Juniperus sabina	Tamarix Juniper, Tam
Lampranthus spp.	Type of Ice Plant
Lantana spp.	Lantana
Lotus berthelotii	Parrot's Beak
Lupinus benthamii	Bentham's Lupine
Malephora crocea	Type of Ice Plant
Myoporum parvifolium 'Putah Creek'	
Oenothera cherianthifolia	Beach Evening Primrose

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Oscularia spp.	Type of Ice Plant
Penstemon heterophyllus 'Walker Ridge'	Chaparral Penstemon
Phlox subulata	Creeping Phlox, Moss Pink
Phyla nodiflora (Lippia repens)	Lippia
Polygonum capitum	Knotweed
Polygonum cuspidatum compactum	Japanese Knotweed
Santolina chamaecyparissus	Lavender Cotton
Sisyrinchum bellum	Blue Eyed Grass
Teucrium chamaedrys	Germander
Thymus serpyllum 'Roseum' (also T.s. 'Variegatum')	Mother-of-thyme
Verbena peruviana	Peruvian Verbena
Vinca minor	Dwarf Periwinkle
Zauschneria californica	California Fuchsia, Hummingbird Flower
Annuals/Perennials	
Abronia umbellata	Pink Sand Verbena
Achillea millefolium	Common Yarrow, White Milfoil
Achillea tomentosa	Wooly Yarrow
Agave americana	Century Plant
Aloe arbarescens	Tree Aloe
Alternanthera bettzichiana	Alternathera
Althaea rosea	Hollyhock
Alyssum spp.	Alyssum
Amaryllis belladonna	Naked Lady, Belladonna Lady
Aquilegia formosa	Western Columbine
Artemisia pycnocephala	Sand Hill Sage
Artemisia schmidtiana 'Silver Mound'	Silver Mound
Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly Flower
Brodiaea spp.	Brodiaea
Brodiaea elegans	Harvest Brodiaea
Cactus	Cactus
Catananche caerulea	Cupid's Dart
Catharanthus roseus	Vinca, Little Bright Eyes
Centaurea cyanus	Bachelor Button
Centaurea cineraria	Dusty Miller
Cheiranthus cheiri	Wallflower
Chrysanthemum parthenium	Feverfew
Coreopsis spp.	Coreopsis
Coreopsis lanceolata	Coreopsis Double Sunbursts
Cosmos sulphureus	Cosmos
Cynoglossum amabile	Chinese Forget-me-not
Diascia barberae	Twinspur, Pink Queen
Echium spp.	
Erigeron glaucus	Beach Aster, Seaside Daisy
Eriogonum crocatum	Saffron Buckwheat
Eriogonum latifolium rubescens	Red Buckwheat
Erysimum asperum	Siberian Wallflower
Eschscholzia california	Poppy

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Gaillardia grandiflora	Blanket Flower, Dwarf Goblin
Gazania spp.	Gazania
Helianthemum nummularium	Sunrose
Helichrysum bracteatum	Strawflower
Helichrysum petiolatum	
Hunnemannia fumariaefolia	Mexican Tulip Poppy, Golden Cup
Iris douglasiana & hybrids	Douglas or Mountain Iris, Pacific Coast Iris
Kniphofia uvaria	Red-hot Poker
Lagurus ovatus	Grass-Bunny Tails
Lathyrus latifolius	Sweet Pea
Lavandula angustifolia	English Lavender
Lavatera trimesters	Tree Mallow
Limonium bonduellii	Sea Lavender
Limonium perezii	Sea Lavender
Linaria dalmatica	Toadflax
Lotus berthelotii	Lotus, Parrot's Beak
Nierembergia spp.	Cup Flower
Oenothera berlandierii	Mexican Evening Primrose
Papaver alpinum	Alpine Poppy
Papaver nudicaule	Iceland Poppy
Pelargonium domesticum	Lady Washington Pelargonium, Regal Geranium
Pelargonium hortorum	Common Geranium, Garden Geranium
Pelargonium peltatum	Ivy Geranium
Penstemon strictus	Penstemon
Petunia hybrida	Common Garden Petunia
Phormium tenax	New Zealand Flax
Portulaca grandiflora	Portulaca, Moss Rose
Romneya coulteri	Matilija Poppy
Salvia splendens	Salvia
Senecio cineraria	Dusty Miller
Thymus vulgaris	Common Thyme
Tithonia rotundifolia	Mexican Sunflower
Tropaeolum majus	Garden Nasturtium
Venidium fastuosum	Gloriosa Daisy
Verbena spp.	Verbena Species
Vinca rosea (or Catharanthus roseus)	Madagascar Periwinkle
Yucca whipplei	Our Lord's Candle
Vines	
Bougainvillea	Bougainvillea
Clematis armandii	Armand Clematis or Evergreen Clematis
Ficus pumila	Creeping Fig
Lantana spp.	Lantana
Lonicera sempervirens	Trumpet Honeysuckle
Solandra hartwegii (or S. juttata)	Cup-of-Gold Vine
Solanum jasminoides	Potato Vine
Tecomaria capensis	Cape Honeysuckle
Vitus vinifera	Wine Grape

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Wisteria spp.	Wisteria
Ornamental Grasses	
Festuca ovina 'Glauca'	Blue Fescue
Festuca rubra	Red Fescue
Pennisetum reppelii	Fountain Grass
Pennisetum villosum	Feathertop
Stenotaphrum sacundatum	St. Augustine Grass
Zoysia spp.	Zoysia, Manila Grass, Korean Grass

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Fire Retardant/Drought Tolerant Plants – Trees	
Ceratonia siliqua	Carob
Eucalyptus spp.	Eucalyptus species
Rhus lancea	African Sumac
Schinus molle	Pepper Tree
Umbrellularia california	California Bay Tree
Washingtonia spp.	Fan Palm
Fire Retardant/Drought Tolerant Plants – Shrubs	
Artemisia caucasica	Caucasian Artemesia
Atriplex cuneata	Saltbush
Atriplex gardnari	Gardner's Saltbush
Atriplex semibaccata	Creeping Australian Saltbush
Callistemon citrinis	Lemon Bottlebrush
Callistemon viminalis	Weeping Bottlebrush
Cistus yellosus	Rockrose
Heteromeles arbutifolia	Toyon
Nevium oleander	Oleander
Prunus lyonii	Catalina Cherry
Rhamnus alaternus	Italian Buckthorn
Rhamnus integrifolia	Lemonade Berry
Rosmarinus officinalis 'Prostatus'	Creeping Rosemary
Fire Retardant/Drought Tolerant Plants – Herbaceous Plants	
Archillea tomentosa	Yarrow
Agave americana	Century Plant
Aloe spp.	Aloe
Arctotheca calendula	Cape Weed
Carpobrotus edulis	Hottentot Fig
Cerastium tomentosum	Snow in Summer
Crassula spp.	
Delosperma 'Alba'	White Trailing Ice Plant
Gazania uniflora	Trailing Gazama
Lampranthus spp.	Ice Plant
Potentilla verna	Spring Cinquefoil
Santolina chamaecyparissus	Lavender Cotton
Satureja montana	Winter Savory
Solanum jasminoides	Potato Vine
Tecomaria capenis	Cape Honeysuckle
Verbena peruviana	Peruvian Verbena
Vinca spp.	Periwinkle
Wisteria spp.	Wisteria

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Erosion Control/Drought Tolerant Plants – Trees	
Acacia longifolia	Signey Golden Wattle
Erosion Control/Drought Tolerant Plants – Shrubs	
Ceanothus spp.	Ceanothus Species
Cistus spp.	Rockrose Species
Coprosma kirkii	Coprosma
Cotoneaster spp.	Cotoneaster Species
Echium fatuosum	Pride of Madera
Eriogonum fasciculatum	Buckwheat
Mahonia repens	Creeping Mahonia
Rhamnus crocca ilicifolia	Redberry
Rhus aromatica	Fragrant Sumac
Rhus integrifolia	Lemonade Berry
Rhus laurina	Laurel Sumac
Rhus trilobata	Sqawbush
Ribes viburnifolium	Evergreen Currant
Rosmarinus officinalis	Rosemary
Santolina chamaecyparissus	Lavender Cotton
Symphoncarpos ordiculatus	Indian Currant
Erosion Control/Drought Tolerant Plants – Vines	
Bougainvillea spp.	Bougainvillea
Lonicera japonica	Honeysuckle
Erosion Control/Drought Tolerant Plants – Groundcovers	
Arctostaphylos uva-ursi	Bearberry, Kinnikinnick, Indian Tobacco
Artotheca calendula	Capeweed
Baccharis pilularis	Coyote Bush
Carpobrotus edulis	Ice Plant
Delosperma ‘Alba’	White Trailing Ice Plant
Drosanthemum spp.	Ice Plant Species
Gazania spp.	Gazania
Hedera spp.	Ivy Species
Hyupericum calycinum	Creeping St. Johnswort
Juniperus spp.	Juniper Species
Lampranthus spp.	Ice Plant
Malephora crocea	Ice Plant
Vinca spp.	Periwinkle
Erosion Control/Drought Tolerant Plants – Annual/Perennials	
Achillea tomentosa	Wolly Yarrow
Ajuga reptens	Carpet Bugle
Arctotis grandis	African Daisy
Helianthemum nummularum	Sunrose
Myosotis sylvatica	Forget-me-not
Pelargonium peltatum	Ivy Geranium

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Air Pollution/Drought Tolerant Plants – Trees	
Aesculus californica	California Buckeye
Ailanthus altissima	Tree-of-heaven
Broussonetia papyrifera	Paper Mulberry
Air Pollution/Drought Tolerant Plants – Shrubs	
Forsythia spp.	Forsythis Species
Hamanelis spp.	Witch Hazel Species
Nerium Oleander	Oleander, Rosebay

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Rare & Special Status Orange County Natives - Trees		
Cupressus forbesii	Tecate Cypress	Rare
Juglans californica var. californica	Southern California Black Walnut	Rare
Juglans californica var. hindsii	California Black Walnut, Northern California Black Walnut, Walnut	Rare
Pinus radiata	Monterey Pine	Rare
Quercus engelmannii	Englemann Oak	Rare
Rare & Special Status Orange County Natives - Shrubs		
Bergerocactus emoryi	Cunyado, Golden-Spined Cereus	Rare
Ceanothus megacarpus var. insularis	Island Bigpod Ceanothus, Island Ceanothus	Rare
Comarostaphylis diversifolia spp. diversifolia	California Comarostaphylis, Summer Holly	Rare
Euphorbia misera	Cliff Spurge	Rare
Fremontodendron mexicanum	Mexican Flannelbush	Endangered
Isocoma menziesii var. decumbens	Menzies' Goldenbush, Decumbent Goldenbush	Rare
Lavatera assurgentiflora ssp. assurgentiflora	Island Mallow	Rare
Lepechinia cardiophylla	Santa Ana Pitchersage, Hear-leaved Pitcher Sage	Rare
Polygala cornuta var. fishiae	Fish's Milkwort, Sierra Milkwort	Rare
Quercus dumosa	Nuttall's Scrub Oak, Coastal Sage Scrub Oak, Scrub Oak	Rare
Suaeda californica	California Seablite	Rare
Suaeda taxifolia	Seablite, Woolly Seablite	Rare
Tetracoccus dioicus	Parry's Tetracoccus, Red Shrubby-spurge	Rare
Rare & Special Status Orange County Natives – Annual/Perennial Herbs		
Abronia maritima	Red Sand-Verbena, Sticky Sand-Verbena	Rare
Abronia umbellate ssp. breviflora	Pink Sand-Verbena	Rare
Aphanisma blitoides	Aphanisma	Rare
Astragalus brauntonii	Brauton's milkvetch	Endangered
Atriplex coulteri	Coulter's Saltbush	Rare
Atriplex pacifica	Pacific Saltbrush, South Coast Saltscale, South Coast Saltbush	Rare
Atriplex parishii	Parish's Brittlescale, Parish's Saltbush	Rare
Atriplex serenana var. davidsonii	Davidson's Saltbush, Davidson's Saltscale, Bractscale	Rare
Boykinia rotundifolia	Round-Leaved Boykinia	Rare
Brodiaea filifolia	Thread-Leaved Brodiaea, Threadleaf Brodiaea	Endangered
Brodiaea orcuttii	Orcutt's Brodiaea	Rare
Calandrinia maritima	Seaside Calandrina	Rare
Calochortus catalinae	Catalina Mariposa, Catalina Mariposa Lily	Rare

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Rare & Special Status Orange County Natives – Annual/Perennial Herbs (continued)		
Calochortus plummerae	Plummer's Mariposa Lily	Rare
Calochortus weedii var. intermedius	Weed's Mariposa Lily, Intermediate Mariposa Lily	Rare
Caulanthus simulans	Payson's Wild Cabbage	Rare
Chorizanthe procumbens	Prostrate Spineflower	Rare
Clarkia delicata	Campo Clarkia, Delicate Clarkia	Rare
Convolvulus simulans	Small-flowered Morning Glory	Rare
Cordylanthus maritimus ssp. maritamus	Salt March Bird's-beak, Saltmarsh Bird's-beak	Endangered
Dichondra occidentalis	Western Dichondra, Western Ponysfoot	Rare
Dudleya attenuata ssp. orcuttii	Orcutt's Dudleya, Orcutt's Liveforever	Rare
Dudleya blochmaniae ssp. blochmaniae	Blochman's Dudleya, Blochman's Liveforever	Rare
Dudleya cymosa ssp. ovatifolia	Santa Monica Mountains Dudleya	Threatened
Dudleya multicaulis	Many-stemmed Dudleya, Manystem Liveforever	Rare
Dudleya stolonifera	Laguna Beach Dudleya, Laguna Beach Liveforever	Threatened
Dudleya virens	Bright Green Dudleya	Rare
Dudleya viscida	Sticky Dudleya, Sticky Liveforever	Rare
Eleocharis parvula	Dwarf Spikerush, Small Spikerush	Rare
Eriastrum densifolium ssp. sanctorum	Santa Ana River Woollystar	Endangered
Harpagonella palmerii	Palmer's Grapplinghook	Rare
Hemizonia parryi ssp. australis	Spikeweed, Pappose Tarweed, Southern Tarplant	Rare
Hemizonia pungens ssp. laevis	Spikeweed, Common Tarweed, Smooth Tarplant	Rare
Holocarpha virgata ssp. elongata	Graceful Tarplant, Wand Tarbush	Rare
Junchus acutus ssp. leopoldii	Leopold's Rush, Wire Grass, Southwestern Spiny Rush	Rare
Lasthenia glabrata ssp. coulteri	Coulter Goldfields, Coulter's Goldfields, Goldfields	Rare
Lepidium viginicum var. robinsonii	Robinson's Peppergrass, Robinson's Pepperweed	Rare
Lillium humboldtii ssp. ocellatum	Humboldt Lily, Humboldt's Lily, Spotted Humboldt's Lily	Rare
Linanthus orcuttii	Orcutt's Linanthus	Rare
Microseris douglasii spp. platycarpha	Douglas' Silverpuffs, Small-flowered Microseris	Rare
Mimulus clevelandii	Cleveland's Bush Monkeyflower	Rare
Mimulus diffuses	Palomar Monkeyflower	Rare
Monardella hypoleuca ssp. lanata	Felt-leaved Monardella, Feltleaf Monardella	Rare
Monardella macrantha ssp. hallii	Hall's Monardella	Rare

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Mucronea californica	California Spineflower	Rare
Nama stenocarpum	Mud Fiddleleaf, Mud Nama	Rare
Nemacaulis denudata var. denudata	Coast Wooly-heads, Cottonheads	Rare
Perideridia gairdneri ssp. gairdneri	Gairdner's Yampah, Southern Squaw Root, Squaw Potato	Rare
Phacelia suaveolens var. keckii	Santiago Peak Phacelia	Rare
Romneya coulteri	Coulter's Matilija Poppy	Rare
Sagittaria sanfordii	Sanford's Arrowhead, Valley Arrowhead	Rare
Satureja chandleri	San Miguel Savory, San Diego Satureja	Rare
Senecio aphanactis	California Groundsel, Chaparral Ragwort, Rayless Ragwort	Rare
Suaeda esteroa	Estuary Seablite, Seablite	Rare
Verbesina dissita	Bigleaf Crownbeard, Crownbeard	Threatened
Rare & Special Status Orange County Natives – Ferns		
Selaginella asprella	Bluish Spike-moss, Bluish Spikemoss	Rare
Selaginella cinerascens	Ashy Spike-moss, Mesa Spikemoss	Rare