



NATIVE PLACER COUNTY PLANTS TO ATTRACT NATIVE POLLINATORS

This list is a sampling of native plants in Placer County that are generally available, low in water use, easy to grow in the garden plus known to support bees, butterflies and/or hummingbirds. The list is sorted by bloom time. For detailed information and more plant options, please refer to the resource list: [Choose Native Plants to Support Native Pollinators. Placer County Master Gardeners](#). February 2020.

Common Name	Botanical Name	UC Davis All-Stars	Plant Type-Size	Exposure	Bloom time *	Butter flies and Moths	Bees	Humming birds
Whiteleaf manzanita	<i>Arctostaphylos viscida</i>		Shrub-Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Winter, Spring			
Oregon grape	<i>Berberis aquifolium</i>		Shrub-Small to Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Winter, Spring			
Interior live oak	<i>Quercus wislizeni</i>		Tree-Small to Large, Shrub-Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Winter, Spring			
Hollyleaf redberry	<i>Rhamnus ilicifolia</i>		Shrub-Small to Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Winter, Spring			
Lemmon's ceanothus	<i>Ceanothus lemmonii</i>		Shrub-Small	Full Sun	Winter, Spring			
Silver lupine	<i>Lupinus albifrons</i>		Shrub-Small to Medium	Full Sun	Winter, Spring, Summer			
Coyote bush	<i>Baccharis pilularis</i>		Shrub-Small to Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Winter, Spring, Summer, Fall			
Mountain pride	<i>Penstemon newberryi</i>		Perennial-Small	Full Sun, Part Shade	Spring			
Cream bush	<i>Holodiscus discolor</i>		Shrub-Small to Large	Shade, Part Shade	Spring, Summer			
Toyon	<i>Heteromeles arbutifolia</i>	★	Tree-Medium Shrub-Large	Full Sun, Part Shade	Summer			
Wax currant	<i>Ribes cereum</i>		Shrub-Small	Full Sun, Part Shade	Summer			
Showy milkweed	<i>Asclepias speciosa</i>		Perennial-Large	Full Sun	Summer			
Coyote mint	<i>Monardella villosa</i>		Perennial-Medium	Full Sun, Part Shade	Summer			
California fuchsia	<i>Epilobium canum</i>	★	Perennial-Small to Medium	Full Sun	Summer, Fall			
Sulphur buckwheat	<i>Eriogonum umbellatum</i>		Perennial-Small to Large	Full Sun	Summer, Fall			
Plant Size Key	Perennials	Small To 1'	Shrubs	Small To 4'	Trees	Small 15' to 20'		
	Medium 1' to 3'	Medium 4' to 6'		Medium 20' to 40'				
	Large 3' +	Large 6' to 15'		Large 40' +				
* Select a combination of plants that will bloom throughout all four seasons								

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