

Alto Lakes Special Zoning District  
Recommended Plant List and Water Estimating Worksheet

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Common Name, "variety"	Comments	Deer Resistant	# of Emitters (note#1)	# of Plants	Gallons per Month
<b>Deciduous Tree, Large</b>					
Aspen	Need deer protection for 3 years	Not Resistant	4		
Cottonwood "Santa Fe"	Top Pick	Moderately	4		
Cottonwood, "Lanceleaf" & "Noreaster"		Highly	4		
Hackberry		Highly	4		
Honey Locust, Golden	Top Pick - Great Golden color	Highly	4		
Honey Locust, Shademaster	Top Pick	Highly	4		
Locust "Purple Robe"		Highly	4		
Maple, "Autumn Blaze"		Highly	4		
Poplar, Theves		Highly	6		
Sycamore, Arizona		Highly	4		
Walnut, Arizona		Highly	4		
Willow, Curly Red		Highly	4		
Willow, Globe	Best Willow	Highly	4		
Willow, Weeping		Highly	4		
<b>Deciduous Tree under 20'</b>					
Almond, Dwarf		Highly	4		
Cherry, Canada Red		Highly	4		
Chitalpa		Highly	4		
Crabapple	Beautiful but messy	Highly	4		
Dogwood, Red Twig		Highly	4		
Pear, Bradford & Red Spire	Strong spring bloomer	Moderately	4		
Plum, Newport	Top Pick - Purple leaves	Moderately	4		
Plum, Purple Leaf		Not Resistant	5		
Vitex (Chaste Tree)		Extremely	2		
Willow, Coyote		Not Resistant	2		
Willow, Desert	Some question about hardiness above 5,500'	Extremely	2		
Willow, Pussy		Moderately	2		
<b>Tree, Fruit</b>					
Apple	Check with local nursery for best varieties	Not Resistant	4		
Apricot	Check with local nursery for best varieties	Moderately	4		
Cherry	Check with local nursery for best varieties	Not Resistant	4		
Plum	Check with local nursery for best varieties	Not Resistant	4		
<b>Evergreen</b>					
Alberta Spruce, Dwarf		Highly	4		
Cypress, Italian		Highly	4		
Fir, White		Highly	4		
Juniper, "Spartan"	Tall screen plant	Extremely	3		
Juniper, Blue varieties	Less hardy in general than green	Extremely	3		
Juniper, Green varieties		Extremely	2		
Muhgo Pine		Moderately	3		
Pine, Austrian		Highly	4		
Pine, Pinon	Native	Highly	4		
Pine, Ponderosa	Native, treat transplants for bark beetle	Highly	4		

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Pine, Southwest White		Highly	4		
Spruce, Black Hills	Not as broad as Colorado Blue, same color	Moderately	4		
Spruce, Colorado Blue	Deer protection recommended	Moderately	6		
Spruce, Norway		Moderately	6		
<b>Perennial Shrub, Large</b>					
Althea		Not Resistant	2		
Apache Plume	Native	Extremely	2		
Butterfly Bush		Moderately	2		
Cliff Rose	Native	Extremely	2		
Forsythia, Beatrix		Highly	2		
Lilac		Moderately	2		
Mock Orange		Moderately	2		
Peashrub, Siberian		Extremely	2		
Photenia "Red Tip"		Not Resistant	2		
Potentilla, Gold Star	Top Pick	Highly	2		
Privet, Golden Vicary		Extremely	2		
Privet, New Mexico	Native	Extremely	2		
Rabbitbrush	Top Pick, Native	Extremely	2		
Sea Buckthorn	Thorny	Extremely	2		
Spanish Broom	Top Pick	Highly	2		
Spirea, Bridal Wreath		Moderately	2		
Sumac		Extremely	2		
Viburnum "Japanese Snowball"		Moderately	3		
Yellow Bells		Highly	2		
<b>Perennial Shrub under 4'</b>					
Barberry, Crimson	Great for color contrast	Extremely	2		
Bluebeard	Top Pick	Highly	2		
Boxwood	Semi-Evergreen	Extremely	3		
Broom, Royal Gold	Top Pick	Moderately	2		
Honeysuckle, Arnold Red		Highly	2		
Oregon Grape (Mahonia)	Shady Locations	Extremely	2		
Potentilla, Pink Beauty		Highly	2		
Rabbitbrush, Dwarf	Native	Extremely	2		
Rosemary	Best when protected from west and north winds	Extremely	2		
Russian Sage	Top Pick - Perennial Plant of the year winner	Extremely	2		
Sage, "Cherry"	Top Pick - Red Blossoms	Extremely	2		
Spirea "Anthony Waterer"		Moderately	2		
Spirea, Vanhouttei		Moderately	2		
Yew, Hicks	Semi-Evergreen	Highly	3		
<b>Perennial Color</b>					
Agastache		Moderately	1		
Artemisia		Extremely	1		
Balloon Flower		Moderately	1		
Bellflower	Works nice as ground cover	Moderately	1		
Black Eyed Susan	Top Pick	Moderately	2		
Blanket Flower		Extremely	1		
Catmint	Top Pick	Extremely	1		
Chrysanthemum		Moderately	1		

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Columbine		Moderately	1		
Coneflower, Purple & Yellow	Top Pick	Moderately	1		
Coreopsis	Top Pick	Highly	1		
Daisy, White Varieties	Top Pick	Extremely	1		
Daylily		Moderately	1		
Daylily "Stella De Oro"	Shady	Not Resistant	1		
Delphinium		Moderately	1		
Dianthus		Highly	1		
Dusty Miller		Extremely	1		
Flax, Blue		Moderately	1		
Foxglove		Moderately	1		
Gazania		Moderately	1		
Geranium, Hardy		Highly	2		
Heliotrope		Moderately	1		
Hollyhock		Highly	1		
Iris "Bearded"		Extremely	1		
Iris, "Siberian"		Extremely	1		
Jupiter's Beard	Blooms in shady locations	Moderately	1		
Lavender, "Munstead", "Providence"	Top Pick	Extremely	1		
Mallow		Moderately	1		
Mexican Hat		Extremely	1		
Penstemon		Moderately	1		
Peony	Top Pick	Highly	2		
Pincushion		Moderately	1		
Plumbago		Not Resistant	2		
Poppy California	Reseeds well - not perennial	Highly	1		
Red Hot Poker		Extremely	1		
Salvia		Moderately	1		
Salvia, May Night	Top Pick	Moderately	1		
Snapdragon		Highly	1		
Verbena		Highly	1		
Whirling Butterflies		Moderately	2		
Winecups		Moderately	1		
Yarrow	Top Pick, Native	Extremely	1		
<b>Vine</b>					
Honeysuckle, 'Halls' & 'Coral'		Moderately	2		
Pyracantha		Extremely	2		
Silverlace Vine		Extremely	2		
Trumpet Vine		Moderately	2		
Virginia Creeper	Top Pick - Red Leaves in the Fall	Moderately	2		
<b>Cactus &amp; Succulents</b>					
Gopher Plant	Repels Gophers, Invasive	Extremely	1		
Ice Plant Yellow & Pink	Mixed Success	Moderately	1		
Sedum	Some hardy varieties	Moderately	1		
Sotol		Highly	2		
Yucca Pendula		Highly	2		
Yucca, Texas Red	Best cactus	Extremely	2		
<b>Grass</b>					
"Elijah Blue"		Extremely	2		
Deergrass		Highly	2		

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Feather Reed Grass	Top Pick	Extremely	2		
Fountain Grass "Hamelin"	Top Pick	Extremely	2		
Fountaingrass "Little Bunny"		Extremely	2		
Fountaingrass, "Karley Rose"	Top Pick	Extremely	2		
Grass, Pampas Hardy		Extremely	2		
Grass, Sacaton		Extremely	2		
Maidengrass		Extremely	2		
Miscanthus, "Yakushima" Dwarf		Extremely	2		
Muhle Grass		Extremely	2		
Zebragrass		Extremely	2		
<b>Ground Cover</b>					
Bishop's Weed	Shady ground cover	Highly	1		
Cotoneaster		Extremely	2		
Jasmine, Winter		Highly	1		
Lambs Ear		Extremely	1		
Lamium	Shady ground cover	Highly	1		
Mexican Primrose	Invasive - good erosion control on slope	Highly	1		
Santolina, Grey	Touchy to get started	Extremely	2		
Snow in Summer		Extremely	1		
Spurge, Cushion		Highly	1		
Thyme "Elfin" & "Wooly"		Extremely	1		
Veronica, Blue		Moderately	1		
Vetch, Deer	Attracts Deer	Not Resistant	1		
Vinca Major	Protected locations	Extremely	1		
Wintercreeper, Purple Leaf		Highly	2		
				<b>Total</b>	
<b>Notes:</b>					
#1: Using 1 gallon emitters. Suggested application on established plants is 15 minutes, once weekly which equals 1 gallon per month.					