plants that attract



- Aloe Ferox (a) (aka Cape Aloe, Bitter Aloe, Red Aloe & Tap Aloe) this evergreen succulent enjoys full sun and well-drained soil. Drought tolerant and needs only occassional watering once established. Wonderful accent plant for borders, in garden beds or in containers.
- Baja Ruellia (b) Ruellia peninsularis This evergreen shrub produces masses of dense, deep blue-purple petunia-like flowers. Enjoys partial to full sun and needs only occasional watering once established.
- **Bird of Paradise (red/yellow) (c)** *Strelitzia reginae* This tropical-looking evergreen produces large, bird-like colorful flower heads and enjoys partial to full sun. Grows best with regular watering—weekly, or more often in extreme heat. Fabulous as a border, in containers, poolside or in an urban garden.
- Claret-cup Cactus (d) Echinocereus triglochidiatus Gorgeous bright scarlet-red to orangered blooms adorn this cactus spring through early summer. Enjoys full sun and well-drained soil. Ideal for desert gardens, rock gardens, succulent gardens, Mediterranean gardens and in containers. Deer and rabbit resistant.
- Coral Bells (e) *Heuchera* This beautiful plant enjoys partial shade to full sun and blooms spring through fall. Different coral bell varieties offer a wide range of dramatic foliage colors. Wonderful as a border, in a container, in mass plantings or in rock gardens.
- Eremophila (f) (aka Emu Bush) This waterwise, desert-loving evergreen shrub enjoys full sun and colorful blooms in spring. Requires only occassional watering, once established.
- Impatiens (g) Vibrant blooms from spring to late summer. Enjoys full shade to partial sun and moist soil by frequent watering. Great as a border, in a patio container or hanging basket, as a mass planting or even poolside.
- Lantana (h) Shrub verbenas This firewise, prolific flower blooms spring through summer and enjoys full sun. Once established it needs only occassional watering. Landscapes uses include as a border, in containers, as a mass planting.
- Petunias (i) Petunias enjoy full sun and offer high-impact color from late spring until the first frost. Ideal for containers, hanging baskets or as seasonal borders.
- Pomegranate (j) *Punica granatum* Orange-red blooms produce large vivid red fruit. Enjoys













- full sun and needs only occassional watering once established; water more while blooming/ producing fruit.
- Salvia species (various) (k) These waterwise, drought tolerant plants enjoy full sun and bloom spring into summer. Needs only occassional watering once established.
- Trumpet Vine (l) Campsis radicans This vine enjoys partial shade to full sun and blooms in the summer. Grows best with the support of a trellis, fence or arbor. Excellent as an accent plant. Water regularly in extreme heat; once established, requires little water and care.
- Yellow Bells (m) *Tecoma stans* Fast growing with beautiful large clusters of bell-shaped flowers that bloom golden-yellow. This semi-evergreen is very heat tolerant and grows best in full sun.
- Yucca (n) Low maintenance, drought resistant and waterwise. This evergreen grows best in full sun, flowers in the summertime and is a great choice for the poolside, containers and Firescaping.

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