

2023 Resource List for Texas Native Plants

Native Plant Society of Texas

Promoting research, conservation and utilization of native plants and plant habitats of Texas through education, outreach and example. We are a non-profit organization supported by grants, donations and member dues. Learn more at <http://www.npsot.org>; - see "Resources" for any NPSOT sponsored plant sales. Or, you can write to Native Plant Society of Texas, PO Box 3017, Fredericksburg, TX 78624.

Websites - For Plants and Design

Operation NICE (Natives Improve and Conserve Environments)
<https://npsot.org/our-work/nice-native-plant-partners/> For the locally featured plant of the season: <https://npsot.org/chapters/collin-county/programs/nice-native-plants-tf/>

Plant Lists for Various Garden Types:
<https://npsot.org/chapters/trinity-forks/tf-what-to-plant/>

Texas Wildscapes: A Backyard Wildlife Habitat Program
http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/huntwild/wild/wildlife_diversity/wildscapes/

Grow Green <http://www.growgreen.org>

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center Explore Plants database
<http://www.wildflower.org/explore/>

Texas Invasives, www.texasinvasives.org

Texas Native Trees, Benny Simpson's, <https://aggiehort.tamu.edu/ornamentals/natives/tamuhort.html>

Texas SmartScape, <http://www.txsmartscape.com/>

Texas Tree Planting Guide <http://texastreeplanting.tamu.edu/index.html>

City of Irving Native Plant Guide
<http://cityofirving.org/documentcenter/view/948>

Web Soil Survey. National Resource Conservation Survey.
<http://websoilsurvey.nrcs.usda.gov/>

iNaturalists www.inaturalist.org

Organizations

Audubon Society <http://www.audubon.org/>

Trinity River Audubon Center <https://trinityriver.audubon.org/>

Cedar Ridge Preserve <https://audubondallas.org/cedar-ridge-preserve/>

Bring Back the Monarchs to Texas <http://www.monarchjointventure.org>

Botanical Research Institute of Texas <http://www.brit.org/>

Clear Creek Natural Heritage Center <http://www.clearcreekdenton.com/>

Connemara <https://connemaraconservancy.org/>

Fort Worth Botanic Garden <http://www.fwbq.org>

Fort Worth Nature Center <http://www.fwnaturecenter.org/>

Fossil Rim Wildlife Center <http://www.fossilrim.org>
Heard Natural Science Museum <http://www.heardmuseum.org/>
Lewisville Lake Environmental Learning Area <http://llela.unt.edu/>
Texas Master Gardener Association <http://mastergardener.tamu.edu/>
Collin County Master Gardener Association <https://ccmgatx.org/>
Dallas County Master Gardener Association
<https://dallascountymastergardeners.org/>
Denton County Master Gardener Association dcmga.com
Tarrant County Master Gardener Association <https://tarrantmq.org/>
Master Naturalists <http://txmn.org/>
MonarchWatch <https://monarchwatch.org/>
Native Plant Society of Texas <http://npsot.org/>
Collin County <https://npsot.org/chapters/collin-county/>
Cross Timbers (Weatherford) <https://npsot.org/chapters/cross-timbers/>
Dallas <https://npsot.org/chapters/dallas/>
North Central (Fort Worth) <https://npsot.org/chapters/north-central/>
Prairie Rose (Glen Rose) <https://npsot.org/chapters/prairie-rose/>
Trinity Forks (Denton Area) <https://npsot.org/chapters/trinity-forks/>
NPAT/Native Prairies Association of Texas www.texasprairie.org
River Legacy Living Science Center <http://www.riverlegacy.org/>
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension <http://agrilifeextension.tamu.edu/>
Texas Discovery Garden <https://txdg.org/>

Local Nurseries Selling Native Plants

The following nurseries participate in NPSOT's NICE (Natives Improve and Conserve Environments) program. They receive support from their local NPSOT chapter, and have demonstrated an effort to stock native plants. Check the NPSOT website – npsot.org – under Resources to find additional nurseries across the state.

Archie's Gardenland, 6700 Camp Bowie Boulevard, Fort Worth, 76116,
817-737-6614 www.archiesgardenland.com/
D&L Farm and Home, 7976 Highway 377, Pilot Point, TX 76258, 940-365-3129
www.dandlfarmandhome.com
The Denton Plant Factory, 1421 North Loop 288, Denton, TX 76209,
940-514-1234 www.DentonPlantFactory.com
Eco-blossom Nursery, on-line only, local delivery, 817-720-5970
www.ecoblossom.com
Hartwell's Nursery, 1570 N. Stemmons, Lewisville, TX 75067, 972-436-3612
www.hartwellsnursery.com
Marshall Grain, 3427 Raider Drive, #6, Hurst, TX 76053, 817-416-6600,
www.marshallgrain.com

Meador's Nursery, 2623 James St, Denton, TX 76205, 940-382-2638,
www.meadornursery.com

North Haven Gardens, 7700 North Haven Road, Dallas, TX 75230
214-363-5316, www.nhg.com

Painted Flower Farm, 3801 Lariat Rd, Denton, TX 76207, 940-382-3789,
www.paintedflowerfarm.com/

Native Roots Perennial Farm & Garden, 8463 Crestview Rd, Sanger, TX
76266, 940-395-0886, By Appointment Only
<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100090967043688>

Queen Bee's Nursery, 200 E. Main St., Azle, TX 76020, 817-444-2400
<https://www.azletexasflowershop.com/>

Redenta's, 2001 Skillman, Dallas, TX 75206, 214-823-9421
www.redentas.com/

River Glen Studio, 303 SW Barnard St., Glen Rose, TX 76043, 254-897-1960,
riverglenstudio.net

RootedIn, 12804 Pelzel Road, Pilot Point, TX 76258, 979-777-4522
<https://rootedin.com/>

Shades of Green Nursery & Landscape, 1213 Sunset Blvd, Celina, TX 75009
972-335-9095, www.shadesofgreeninc.com/

Shades of Green, 8801 Coit Road, Frisco, TX 75035, 972-335-9095,
www.shadesofgreeninc.com/

Weston Gardens in Bloom, 8101 Anglin, Fort Worth TX 76140, 817-572-0549,
www.westongardens.com/

The following nurseries are known to be frequent purveyors of Texas native plants and are well worth a visit.

Blooming Colors, 2221 Ira E. Woods, Grapevine, TX 76051, 817-416-6669,
<http://www.bloomingcolorsnursery.com/>

Bruce Miller Nursery, 1000 E Beltline Rd, Richardson TX 75081, 972-238-0204,
<http://www.brucemillernursery.com>

Brumley's Garden, 10540 Church Rd., Dallas, TX 75238, 214-942-0794,
www.brumleygardens.com

Selected Calloway's Nurseries. We have found Denton and Flower Mound stores to be native friendly. 601 Dallas Dr., Denton TX 76205, 940-591-8865 and 2901 Long Prairie Road, Flower Mound, TX 972-691-2650
<http://www.calloways.com>

Christina's, Stone & Garden Center, 14400 Preston Road, Frisco, TX 75033,
(214) 705-9660, <https://www.facebook.com/CristinasGardenCenterFrisco/>

Covington's Nursery and Landscape, 5518 Pres. George Bush Hwy, Rowlett TX 75089, 972-475-5888, www.covingtonnursery.com

Four Seasons Nursery, 3333 E. University, Denton, TX 76208, 940-566-2172,
www.fourseasons91.com
 Greenmaker Nursery, 3030 Northwest Loop, Stephenville TX 76401, 254-965-
 7273, <http://www.greenmakernursery.com/>
 H.I.S. Nursery, 3080 E Hwy 67, Glen Rose TX 76043, 254-396-1943,
<https://www.facebook.com/H.I.S.Nursery>
 Hypermotion Landscape, 8021 County Road 167, McKinney, TX, 972-523-8120,
<http://www.hypermotionlandscape.com/>
 Justin Ace Hardware, 1429 W. 1st Street, Justin, TX 76247 (940)648-0099,
<https://www.acehardware.com/>
 Justin Seed, 524 South Highway 156, Justin, TX, 76247 (940) 648-2751,
<http://justinseed.com/>
 Native American Seed (mail order only), 610 Main Street, Junction, TX 76849,
 800-728-4043, www.seedsource.com
 Native Gardeners, 407 South Pipeline Road East, Euless, TX 76040,
 214-814-0932, <https://native-gardeners.com/>
 Native Plant Sales by your local Native Plant Society Chapter <http://npsot.org>
 Ron's Organics, 1820 S Beltline Rd, Mesquite TX 75181, 972-329-4769,
www.organicdynamics.com
 The Tree Place, 5501 East IH20, Fort Worth TX 76140, 817-561-9248,
thetreeplace.com/

Books

Atlas of the Vascular Plants of Texas by B.L. Turner, H. Nichols, G. Denny, and
 O. Doron. 2003. Botanical Research Institute of Texas.
A Beginner's Handbook for Rural Texas Landowners, How to Live in the Country
 Without Spoiling It by Jim Stanley
A Field Guide to Texas Trees by B. Simpson. 1999. Taylor Trade Publishing.
Bringing Nature Home by Douglas W. Tallamy. 2009. Timber Press
Butterfly Gardening for Texas by Geyata Ajilvsgi. 2013. Texas A&M University
 Press.
Common Texas Grasses by Frank W. Gould. 1978. Texas A&M University
 Press
Field Guide to Common Texas Grasses by Stephen L. Hatch,
 Kelly C. Umphres & A. Jenet Ardoin. 2015. Texas A&M AgriLife
 Research & Extension Series
Grasses of Southern Oklahoma and North Texas: a Pictorial Guide by Russell
 Stevens & Chuck Coffey with the Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation.
www.noble.org, 580-223-5810
Guide to Texas Grasses by R. Shaw. 2012. Texas A&M University Press.
How to Grow Native Plants of Texas & the Southwest by Jill Nokes, University of
 Texas Press

Identification of Milkweeds in Texas, Jason Singhurst, Ben Hutchins, & Walter C. Holmes. Texas Parks & Wildlife and the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center, 2015
https://tpwd.texas.gov/publications/pwdpubs/media/pwd_rp_w7000_1803.pdf

Landscaping with Native Plants of Texas and the Southwest (Natural World) by G. Miller 1991. Voyageur Press.

Landscaping with Native Texas Plants by Sally Wasowski and Julie Ryan, 1985. Texas Monthly Press.

Native and Adapted Landscape Plants: an Earthwise Guide for Central Texas. 2009. 4th edition. Texas AgriLife Extension, City of Austin. Guide is online at http://www.austintexas.gov/watershed_protection/publications/document.cfm?id=198301

Native Texas Gardens: Maximum Beauty Minimum Upkeep by S & A Wasowski. 2003. Taylor Trade Publishing.

Native Host Plants for Texas Butterflies, A Field Guide by Jim Weber, Lynne Weber and Roland H Wauer. 2018. Texas A&M University Press.

Native Host Plants for Texas Moths, A Field Guide by Jim Weber & Lynne Weber. 2022. Texas A&M University Press

Native Texas Plants: Landscaping Region by Region by S & A Wasowski. 2003. Taylor Trade Publishing, 2nd edition

The Nature of Oaks: The Rich Ecology of our Most Essential Native Trees by Doug Tallamy. 2021. Timber Press

Nature's Best Hope: A New Approach to Conservation that Starts in Your Yard by Doug Tallamy. 2020. The Timber Press, Inc.

Nature's Best Hope (Young Readers Edition): A New Approach to Conservation that Starts in Your Yard by Doug Tallamy. 2023. The Timber Press, Inc.

North Central Texas Wildflowers, Field Guide by Mary Curry (with guidance from Shirley Lusk), 2015, available from Amazon

Range Plants of North Central Texas, a Land User's Guide to Their Identification, Value and Management by Ricky J. Linex 2014; USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Weatherford, TX.

Remarkable Plants of Texas, Uncommon Accounts of our Common Natives by Matt Warnock Turner. 2009. University of Texas Press

Shinner's & Mahler's Illustrated Flora of North Central Texas by G.M. Diggs, B.L. Lipscomb & R.J. O'Kennon. 1999. Botanical Research Institute of Texas, 1st ed. Online at <http://artemis.austincollege.edu/acad/bio/gdiggs/NCTXpdf.htm>

Texas Trees: A Friendly Guide by P. Leslie & P.W. Cox. 1988. Corona Pub Co; New edition.

Texas Wildscapes: Gardening for Wildlife by K. C. Bender 2009. Texas A&M Nature Guides

Trees, Shrubs and Vines of the Texas Hill Country by J. Wrede. 2010. Texas A&M University Press; Revised edition.

Trees, Shrubs and Woody Vines: a Pictorial Guide by Russell Stevens & Chuck Coffey with the Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation, www.noble.org, 580-223-5810

Wanted! Mountain Cedars, Dead or Alive by Elizabeth McGreevy. 2021.
Spicewood Publications

Wild Edible Plants of Texas by Charles Kane. 2016 & 2017. Lincoln Town Press

Wildflowers of Texas by G. Ajilvsgi. 2003. Shearer Publishing, Revised edition.

Wildflowers of Texas by Michael Eason. 2018. Timber Press Field Guide.

Wildflowers of the Texas Hill Country by M. Enquist. 1989. Lone Star Botanical, 1st ed.

Your Remarkable Riparian by Steve Nelle & Nueces River Authority. 2010.
Nueces River Authority

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