

# Top Low-Water Plants for the Tri-Valley

The Tri-Valley's water agencies offer rebates to residents and businesses to help convert their lawns into beautiful and sustainable low-water landscaping. All the plants below qualify for lawn conversion rebate programs and are easily found at local nurseries. For more information on available rebates, visit the following links:

- **Cal Water customers:** [www.calwater.com/rebates](http://www.calwater.com/rebates)
- **Livermore Municipal Water customers:** [www.zone7water.com/rebate-program](http://www.zone7water.com/rebate-program)

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<b>Jujube/Chinese Date</b> 🍏 Ziziphus jujuba	Tree	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Loquat</b> 🍏 Eriobotrya japonica	Tree	☀️ ☁️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Pomegranate</b> 🍏 Punica granatum	Tree or Shrub	☀️ ☁️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Japanese Persimmons</b> 🍏 Diospyros kaki	Tree	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Sweet Bay</b> 🍏 Laurus nobilis	Tree	☀️ ☁️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Rosemary</b> 🍏 Rosmarinus	Shrub	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Caper Bush</b> 🍏💧 Capparis spinosa	Shrub	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Lemon Verbena</b> 🍏 Aloysia triphylla	Shrub	☀️ ☁️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>






















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<b>Culinary Sage</b> 🍏 Salvia officinalis	Shrub	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Mint</b> 🍏 Mentha	Groundcover	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Thyme</b> 🍏 Thymus	Groundcover	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Fountain Grass</b> Pennisetum setaceum	Grass	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Spiny-Headed Mat Rush</b> Lomandra longifolia	Perennial	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>California Grey Rush</b> 🌿 Juncus patens	Perennial	☀️ ☁️☀️ ☁️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Blue Fescue</b> Festuca glauca	Groundcover	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Pink Muhly Grass</b> Muhlenbergia capillaris	Grass	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Statice</b> Limonium perezii	Perennial	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Lavender</b> Lavandula	Shrub	☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Dwarf Plumbago</b> Ceratostigma plumbaginoides	Groundcover	☀️ ☁️☀️	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
















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<b>Trailing Lantana</b> Lantana montevidensis	Groundcover or Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Autumn Sage</b> Salvia greggii	Perennial, Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Blue Hibiscus</b> Alyogyne huegelii	Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Bush Mallow</b>   Malacothamnus fasciculatus	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Coreopsis</b> Coreopsis	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Catmint/Catnip</b> Nepeta	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Santa Barbara Daisy</b> Erigeron moerheimii	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Wallflower</b> Erysimum 'Bowles Mauve'	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Ivy Geranium</b> Pelargonium peltatum	Groundcover, Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Garden Geranium</b> Pelargonium hortorum	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>



















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<b>Baby Sun Rose</b> Aptenia 'Red Apple'	Groundcover, Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Dymondia</b> Dymondia margaretae	Groundcover, Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Lamb's Ears</b> Stachys byzantina	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Desert Willow</b>  Chilopsis linearis	Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Manzanita</b>  Many low-water varieties available Arctostaphylos	Shrub or Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Toyon</b>  Heteromeles arbutifolia	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Ceanothus/California Lilac</b>  Many low-water varieties available Ceanothus	Shrub or Groundcover		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>White Sage</b>  Salvia apiana	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Blue Sage</b>  Salvia clevelandii	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>











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<b>California Fuchsia</b>  Epilobium	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Juniper</b> Juniperus	Groundcover, Shrub, or Tree	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Mexican Evening Primrose</b> Oenothera speciosa	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Yaupon Holly</b> Ilex vomitoria	Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Carolina Jessamine</b> Gelsemium sempervirens	Vine	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Rockrose</b> Cistus	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>African Iris</b> Dietes iridioides	Perennial	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Parrot's Beak</b> Lotus berthelotii	Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Blanket Flower</b> Gaillardia	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Australian Fuchsia</b> Correa	Shrub	 	<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>












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<b>Myoporum</b> Myoporum parvifolium	Groundcover or Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Lantana</b> Lantana camara	Groundcover or Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Verbena</b> Many low-water varieties available Verbena	Groundcover, Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>"Cousin Itt" Acacia/Bower Wattle</b> Acacia cognata	Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Eucalyptus Silver Dollar</b> Eucalyptus cinerea	Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Australian Woolly Bush</b> Adenanthos sericeus	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Conebush</b> Leucadendron	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Grevillea</b> Grevillea	Tree or Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Lion's Tail</b> Leonotis leonurus	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Dusty Miller</b> Senecio cineraria	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>











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<b>Bottlebrush</b> Callistemon	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Olive Tree</b>  Olea europaea	Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Hens and Chickens</b> Echeveria	Perennial, Shrub, Succulent		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Ice Plant</b> Delosperma	Groundcover		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Rock Purslane</b> Calandrinia	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Agave</b> Agave attenuata	Perennial, Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Aloe</b> Aloe	Succulent		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>African Daisy</b> Osteospermum	Groundcover		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>African Daisy</b> Arctotis Hybrids	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Bulbine</b> Bulbine	Bulb, Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>

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<b>Golden Euryops</b> Euryops pectinatus	Perennial, Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Pygmy Date Palm</b> Phoenix roebelenii	Shrub or Tree		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Cyclamen</b> Cyclamen	Bulb		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Licorice Plant</b> Helichrysum petiolare	Perennial		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>African Boxwood</b> Myrsine africana	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Fringe Flower</b> Loropetalum chinense	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Peruvian Lily</b> Alstroemeria ligtu	Bulb		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Bush Morning Glory</b> Convolvulus cneorum	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Pink Indian Hawthorne</b> Raphiolepis indica	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>

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<b>Coast Rosemary</b> Westringia fruticosa	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Common Myrtle</b> Myrtus communis	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Mint Bush</b> Prostanthera ovalifolia	Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>
<b>Australian Bluebell Creeper</b> Sollya heterophylla	Groundcover or Shrub		<a href="#">See it</a>	<a href="#">Learn More</a>

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