



Survivors List

This is a list compiled by the staff of the Natural Gardener of *established* plants that survived the heat and drought of 2011. Plants listed were observed to have survived with minimal or no supplemental water. The list only includes plants that are found in the nursery trade.

Trees:

Cedar Elm – *Ulmus crassifolia*
Chitalpa – *Chilopsis x Catalpa*
Desert Willow – *Chilopsis linearis*
Flameleaf Sumac – *Rhus lanceolata*
Jujube – *Ziziphus jujuba*
Live Oak – *Quercus fusiformis*
Monterey Oak – *Quercus polymorpha*
Pomegranate – *Punica granatum*
Texas Ash – *Fraxinus texensis*
Texas Persimmon – *Diospyros texana*

Shrubs/Small Trees:

Agarita – *Berberis trifoliolata*
Anacacho Orchid – *Bauhinia lunarioides*, *B. Mexicana*
Bird of Paradise – *Caesalpinia gilliesii*, *C. mexicana*
Cotoneaster – *Cotoneaster spp.*
Crape Myrtle – *Lagerstroemia indica*
Elbow Bush – *Forestiera pubescens*
Esperanza/Texas Yellow Bells – *Tecoma stans*
Evergreen Sumac – *Rhus virens*
Flame Acanthus – *Anisacanthus quadrifidus*
Kidneywood – *Eysenhardtia texana*
Native Mimosas – *M. dysocarpa*, *M. borealis*
Pride of Barbados – *Caesalpinia pulcherrima*
Rose of Sharon – *Hibiscus syriacus*
Texas Mountain Laurel – *Sophora secundiflora*
Texas Sage/Cenizo – *Leucophyllum frutescens*
Wafer Ash – *Ptelea trifoliata*
Winter Honeysuckle – *Lonicera fragrantissima*

Perennials:

Agave – *Agave spp.*
Artemisia – *Artemisia spp.*
Blackfoot Daisy – *Melampodium leucanthum*
Clary Sage – *Salvia sclarea*
Crinum Lily – *Crinum spp.*
Dahlberg Daisy – *Thymophylla tenuiloba*
Damianita – *Chrysactinia mexicana*
FireBush – *Hamelia patens*
Four-nerve daisy – *Tetranneuris scaposa*
Hardy Amaryllis – *Hippeastrum x johnsonii*
Lavender – *Lavendula angustifolia*
Mexican Oregano – *Poliomintha longiflora*
Nierembergia – *Nierembergia spp.*
Philippine Violet – *Barleria cristata*
Pigeon Berry – *Rivina humilis*
Purple Heart – *Setcreasea pallida*
Pyramid Bush – *Melochia tomentosa*
Rosemary – *Rosmarinus officinalis*
Salvia – *Salvia spp.*
Santolina – *Santolina spp.*
Stonecrop – *Sedum spp.*
Yucca – *Yucca spp.*

Vines:

Butterfly Vine – *Mascagnia macroptera*
Purple Hyacinth bean – *Dolichos lablab*
Star Jasmine – *Trachelospermum jasminoides*
Sweet Autumn Clematis – *Clematis terniflora*
Trumpet Vine – *Campsis radicans*