

**XERIC©**  
**WATER WISE GARDENING RESOURCES**  
**INDIAN WELLS VALLEY, REGIONAL and ON-LINE**

**Note:** The following is a reference list of people and businesses known to be familiar with water efficient landscape principals, design and implementation. This list should not be considered an endorsement or recommendation of the people or services.

**Indian Wells Valley Water District (IWWVD) and City of Ridgecrest Approved Plant List can be found at [www.iwwvd.com](http://www.iwwvd.com) – nine pages of xeric plants that are known and tested to do well here, listed by common and botanical name.**

**IWV Landscape Architects and Landscape Designers:**

Craig Yeargain, Deluxe Landscaping & irrigation installations	760.377.4313
Taryn Tree, Treehouse Landscape Design	760.793.2267 cell 760.384.0090 office
R. Steve Miller, Landscape Architect	760.872.0784
Luis Miro de Acevedo, Raintree Nursery	760.384.1945
Kari Hunter, Landscape Design	760.382.2003
Jose Cazares, Landscape Design	760.382.8634
<a href="mailto:jc@rethinkworkshop.com">jc@rethinkworkshop.com</a>	
Shane Elliott, builds pondless fountains and ponds	760.608.9400
Peter Brown, Earth Landscaping	760.446.2565

**IWV Plant Sources:**

Raintree Nursery 134 S. Sierra View, Ridgecrest	760.384.1945
GreenScape Nursery 1234 West Ridgecrest Blvd, Ridgecrest <a href="mailto:greenscape@hotmail.com">greenscape@hotmail.com</a>	760.375.TREE 760.677.9202
Taryn Tree/Treehouse Landscape Design (Submits large orders to out-of-town suppliers.)	760.793.2267 cell 760.384.0090 office
Desert Mountain Resource Conservation District in Ridgecrest, holds plant sales Fall & Spring <a href="http://www.desertmountainrcandd.org/">http://www.desertmountainrcandd.org/</a>	760.446.1974

Home Depot  
Wal-Mart  
Kmart

*Recommendation: take the Sunset Western Garden Book plus the IWWVD / City of Ridgecrest Approved Plant List with you for reference when you shop for plants at the Big Box stores—most of their plants cannot survive here.*

**High Desert Gardening Information:**

Desert Planters of Ridgecrest Garden Club	President David Jester
Oasis Garden Club of IWV (plant sales in Spring & Fall)	President Donna Thomas
Marianne Kistler	760.384.4995
Judy Talbot	760.371.1953
Kathy LaShure, CA Native Plant Society Ridgecrest Chapter	760.377.4541

**Tree Trimmers, Arborists**

Ridgecrest Tree Service, Drake Nokes	760) 377.5861
Mike's Tree Service.-licensed	760.371.4123
TipTop Arborists—licensed, certified Arborists <a href="http://www.tiptoparborists.com/">www.tiptoparborists.com/</a>	661.524.0112 or 877.231.3642

**Soil Amendment distributor**

Art Hislop <a href="mailto:art.hislop@gmail.com">art.hislop@gmail.com</a>	760.375.4923
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**IWV Irrigation Hardware & Desert Specific Soil Amendments:**

True Value High Desert Home Center 760.375.9741  
 824 W. Ridgecrest Blvd., Ridgecrest

Gateway Ace Hardware 760.377.4571  
 6259 Inyokern Rd., Inyokern

**Mail/Web orders—representative list only, not comprehensive!**

Diane's Seeds [www.dianeseeds.com/](http://www.dianeseeds.com/)

High Country Gardens [www.highcountrygardens.com](http://www.highcountrygardens.com) --a favorite of many in IWV

Las Pilitas Nursery [www.laspilitas.com](http://www.laspilitas.com) outstanding reference for plant IDs

Mountain States Wholesale Nursery [www.mswm.com](http://www.mswm.com) only sells in large orders—Treehouse Landscaping uses them.

Mountain Valley Growers [www.mountainvalleygrowers.com](http://www.mountainvalleygrowers.com)

Plants of the Southwest [www.plantsofthesouthwest.com](http://www.plantsofthesouthwest.com)

Southwestern Native Seeds [www.southwesternnativeseeds.com](http://www.southwesternnativeseeds.com)

**Synthetic Lawn:**

ProTurf, Ron Rios 760.375.2197 or 760.793.8852

Evergreen Landscaping 760.375.0203

GreenScape Landscaping & Nursery 760.375.8733

High Desert Home Center / True Value Hardware 760.375.9741

**Plants and Seed – Drivable**

Antelope Valley Resource Conservation District Nursery 661.942.7306  
 10148 W. Avenue I, Lancaster  
[www.avrcd.org/](http://www.avrcd.org/)

Oak Hills Nursery 760.947.6261  
 13874 Rancho Rd., Hesperia

Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden (Grow Native Nursery) 909.625.8767 x200  
 1550 N. College Ave., Claremont [www.rsabg.org](http://www.rsabg.org)

Theodore Payne Foundation 818.768.1802  
 10459 Tuxford St., Sun Valley [www.theodorepayne.org](http://www.theodorepayne.org) –Seeds are sold on-line, plants sold in-store

White Forest Nursery 661.366.6291  
 300 Morning Drive  
 Bakersfield, CA 93306-6620

**IWV Outdoor Art:**

J. P. (Skip) Gorman—Outdoor Metal Art 760.446.2091 (call for hours)  
 Bill Maddux—Copper Art 760.375.2756  
 Ed McBride—Metal Artist 760.216.6582 (by appointment)  
 Mike Mumford—Metal Artist 760.375.5876 (by appointment)

[www.roadrunnerforge.com](http://www.roadrunnerforge.com)

T. Scott Sayre—Outdoor Murals

Jerry Bradley—Artist

J. Woolford Deems—Muralist

Danny Foster—Designed & constructed Pondless Fountain at Maturango Museum

