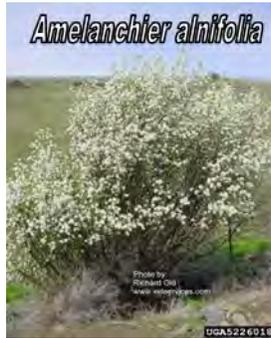


Conservation Landscaping for the Lake Tahoe Basin



Slope Stabilization - Shrubs

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Amelanchier alnifolia (western serviceberry): native, 4'-6' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, white blooms followed by blue-black fruit



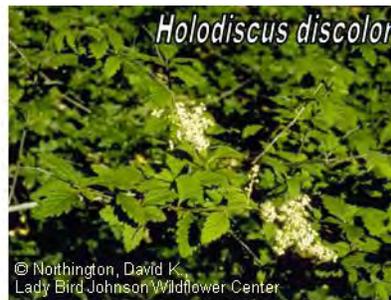
Ceanothus cordulatus (whitethorn): native, 5' height, full sun, minimal water needs, drought tolerant, high fire risk, evergreen, golden spring blooms, thorny



Ceanothus velutinus (tobacco brush): native, 4' height, sun to shade, moderate water needs, drought tolerant, high fire risk, evergreen, white blooms



Cornus sericea or *stolonifera* (red twig or red osier dogwood): native, 3'- 8' height, shade to sun, high water needs, spreads by suckers, red branches, white flowers followed by blue berries, red leaves in fall, many adapted choices



Holodiscus discolor (creambush): native, 6'-12' height, sun to part shade, medium water needs, very hardy to a variety of conditions



Lonicera involucrata (twinberry): native, 5' height, sun to part shade, high water needs, yellow flowers followed by dark fruit and striking red bracts



Physocarpus spp. (ninebark): adapted, 4'-6' height, sun to part shade, moderate to high water needs, fall color, native to western states



Prunus besseyi (western sand cherry): adapted, 4'-6' height, minimal to moderate water needs, drought tolerant, suckers, fragrant white blossoms, native to western states



Prunus emarginata (bittercherry): native, 4'-12' height, sun to part shade, moderate to high water needs, white blooms followed by red fruit, forms thickets

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Prunus virginiana



Prunus virginiana (western chokecherry): native, 20' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, drought tolerant, forms thickets



Purshia tridentata (antelope bitterbrush): native, 6' height, sun to part shade, minimal water needs, drought tolerant, establishes easily from seed, golden blooms



Quercus vaccinifolia (huckleberry oak): native, 2' height, sun to part shade, minimal water needs, high fire risk, evergreen



Ribes cereum (wax currant): native, 3' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, drought tolerant, rapid growth



Ribes nevadense (sierra currant): native, 3-6' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, pink flowers followed by blue berries, bright green maple-like leaves emerge early in spring, gold fall color, several native and adapted choices



Rosa woodsii (woods' rose): native, 4'-5' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, rapid growth, suckers, forms thickets, pink flowers followed by red rose hips, fall color



Salix scouleriana (Scouler's willow): native, 10'-30' height, sun to shade, moderate to high water needs, moderate drought tolerance, rapid growth, propagates easily from cuttings, many adapted choices

(not shown)

Salix lemmonii (Lemmon's willow) is an alternative for wet slopes



Spiraea cultivars: native and adapted, 3'-5' height, sun to shade, moderate water needs, white to pink flowers, fall color



Symphoricarpos albus (snowberry): native, 5' height, sun to part shade, moderate water needs, white fruit, forms thickets

Note: Depending on site specific conditions, cultural practices, and individual seed or plant vigor; plant establishment, needs and care may vary. This is not a complete list.

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