Native Plants
Reading / Reference Materials

CSU Extension Fact Sheets

    #7.242   Native Herbaceous Perennials
    #7.421   Native Trees
    #7.422   Native Shrubs

Web: Visit the CSUCE Gilpin County, CMG “Mountain Gardening” web site at www.coopext.colostate.edu/gilpinmg

Review Questions

1. List five benefits of using native plants in the landscape.

2. What soil amendments should be used for growing native plants?

3. Why are aspens not recommended for planting in Front Range cities?

4. Why is it hard to find native plants in nurseries/garden centers?

5. All native plants can survive on natural rain and snowfall in your yard. True or False? Explain your answer.

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