



LANDSCAPE PLANNING SHEET

PLANTS

PLANT TYPES *(Check all you would like to include)*

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shade trees | <input type="checkbox"/> Perennials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flowering trees | <input type="checkbox"/> Decorative grasses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unique accent trees | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildflowers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evergreen trees | <input type="checkbox"/> Vines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Evergreen shrubs | <input type="checkbox"/> Bulbs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flowering shrubs | <input type="checkbox"/> Annuals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Groundcovers | <input type="checkbox"/> Fruits & vegetables |

Favorite Plants: _____

Disliked Plants: _____

PLANT USE/GOALS *(Intended goals through use of plants)*

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Beauty | <input type="checkbox"/> Pollution reduction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Privacy | <input type="checkbox"/> Site enhancement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attract birds and wildlife | <input type="checkbox"/> Shade |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wind reduction | <input type="checkbox"/> Edibles & herbs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Noise reduction | <input type="checkbox"/> Energy efficiency |

STYLE AND USE *(Check all you would like to include)*

- Modern: Spare lines, evergreens, rock
- Rustic: Trees, woodland plants
- Oriental: Simplistic, symbolic, gravel, stone
- Country: Wildflowers, naturalistic
- New American Garden: Natural, grasses, junipers, wildflowers
- Traditional-Mix of shrubs, evergreens, groundcovers
- Informal or natural
- Formal or manicured
- Curvilinear
- Angular

FAVORITE COLORS

LEAST FAVORITE COLORS

FAVORITE SEASONS

Spring

Summer

Fall

Winter

TIMES OF DAY GARDEN WILL BE USED

- Early morning
- Mid-morning
- Noon

- Mid-afternoon
- Early evening
- After dark

IDEAS YOU HAVE FOR SPECIALTY GARDEN(s)

THE STRUCTURAL SPACE

GARDEN MOTIF AND DESIGN

*Overall shapes you prefer
and style of installation*

- Curves
- Angular
- Natural
- Tiered/stepped
- Sunken
- Raised
- Hidden
- Formal
- Informal
- Rustic

LANDSCAPE STRUCTURES

Features you would like to add

- Decks
- Patios
- Walks
- Arbor
- Retainer walls
- Steps
- Water Feature
- Statuary
- Drip Irrigation
- Lawn Sprinkling
- Trellis
- Swim pool
- Hot tub
- Lighting
- Sports areas
- Seating
- Gazebo
- Fencing

IDEAS YOU MAY HAVE ON ABOVE

UTILITY AREAS / STRUCTURES

What you need or wish to include

- Storage
- Clothes line
- Parking/back-up
- Utility walks
- Compost Bin
- Firewood storage
- Shed
- Garage/outbuilding
- Pet Kennels

MATERIALS

Check all that appeal to you

- Treated wood
- Cedar
- Concrete
- Colored/patterned concrete
- Brick pavers
- Asphalt
- Gravel paths
- Boulders
- Timbers

OUTDOOR LIVING SPACES

DESIGN FUNCTIONS *Outdoor activity special needs*

Dining:

* how many: _____

* how often: _____

Entertaining:

* how many _____

* how often _____

Children:

* how many _____

* ages _____

Pets:

* size/type _____

Athletic activities:

Reading: Y N

Sunning: Y N

Other: _____

IDEAS YOU MAY HAVE ON ABOVE: _____

LANDSCAPE CARE AND MAINTENANCE

| <i>Yourself</i> | <i>Others</i> | <i>Items</i> | <i>Estimated hours / week</i> |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Mow lawn | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Rake leaves | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Weed beds | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Fertilize & treat lawn | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Fertilize & treat plantings | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Prune shrubs/trees | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Mulch beds | _____ |

PROPERTY STATISTICS, MEASUREMENTS AND MICRO-CLIMATE

Measurements of design areas: _____

Geographic orientation and hours of sun: _____

Prevailing winds: _____

Sloping areas and grade percentages: _____

Pleasant views: _____

Unpleasant views: _____

Drainage patterns and/or problems: _____

Buried Utility locations: _____

Features worth keeping: _____

Easements, Condo restrictions: _____

Other: _____

PROJECT BUDGET RANGE

\$1200-2000

\$4-7000

\$10-15,000

\$25-35,000

\$2-4000

\$7-10,000

\$15-25,000

\$35-50,000