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HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY

Each business is listed alphabetically with essential information about its operation, products, and services. Some businesses chose to pay for an enhanced listing that includes their name in larger print, their URL, and a more detailed description.

The location index provides an alphabetical listing of business by state, province, or insular area and by whether they produce plants or seeds.

Please remember that directories are out-of-date as soon as they are printed. Although precautions were taken to include only valid information, we cannot guarantee the accuracy of any given listing.

THE 2011 DIRECTORY

The basis for our directory is the database maintained by the USDA Forest Service, Reforestation, Nurseries and Genetics Resources (RNGR) team. Beginning this year, representatives from the University of Georgia, Southern Regional Extension Forestry (SREF) will contact everyone on the list to verify information. The database is also available and searchable on the RNGR website (<http://www.rngr.net>), which also holds a vast amount of information about growing native plants.

To report an error or omission, please contact SREF at directory@rngr.net.

In addition, each producer of native plant materials will have an opportunity to publish a free basic listing, a standard listing free to subscribers of the journal (nominal fee to non-subscribers), or an enhanced listing for an additional fee. For more information about this service or to report errors in current listings, please contact University Wisconsin Press, Customer Service, Native Plants Journal Materials Directory, 1930 Monroe Street, 3rd Floor, Madison WI 53711; *Ph* 608.263.0668 *Fax* toll-free in the US 800.258.3632; *E-mail* journals@uwpress.wisc.edu.

CONSIDERATIONS WHEN PURCHASING NATIVE PLANT MATERIALS

One of the most important differences between native plant materials and ornamental nursery stock is that natives are usually outplanted in relatively harsh environments generally without any subsequent care. Here are a few other things to keep in mind.

Source-Identified

Native plant materials are usually source-identified, which means that the seeds or cuttings can be traced back to their collection location. Conversely, most ornamentals are introduced species that have been selected for form or color, not source of origin. The importance of proper source identification cannot be overstated—local sources are assumed to be best unless scientific data prove otherwise. It's always a good idea to ask seed and plant producers what sources they have available, rather than asking if they have a particular source in stock.

Locally Adapted

In addition to selecting the proper species and genetic source (source-identified), native plant materials must be properly acclimated or processed (hardened) so that they will survive and grow under the climatic conditions of the project site. Although the species may be “locally adapted” to grow on a particular site, if it has not been properly hardened its survival and growth will be poor. The question of whether plant materials will be hardy on the outplanting site is often overlooked.

Selecting a Nursery and (or) a Seed Producer

Native plant customers should visit local nurseries and seed production facilities and talk to the personnel. Take a walk

directory key

NATIVE PLANTS-R-US
 123 Main Street, Anytown ID 83843
 Contact John Q Public
Ph 800.555.1212 *Fax* 800.555.1212
E-mail plants-r-us@somewhere.com
URL <http://www.nativeplantnetwork.com>

BUSINESS TYPE
Private, wholesale, retail, mail order, **M-Sat 8-5**

YEARS IN BUSINESS
Since 1985.

TYPES OF PLANTS
Bareroot, container, seeds.

% OF ANNUAL PRODUCTION THAT IS NATIVE
100% native, 85% propagated, 15% wild collected.

MINIMUM ORDER
Min wholesale \$500, retail none.

OTHER SERVICES OFFERED
Services: on-line catalog and ordering.

BUSINESS HOURS
M-Sat 8-5

PRODUCT TYPES
trees, shrubs, forbs, 350,000/y, 200 tons/y.

AMOUNT OF PLANTS
350,000/y, 200 tons/y.

% OF ANNUAL PRODUCTION THAT IS PROPAGATED AND (OR) COLLECTED FROM WILD
85% propagated, 15% wild collected.

VIEW THEIR AD
See ad on page 45

We offer more than 600 species of plants native to the northern Rocky Mountains, specializing in locally collected, source-identified Palouse Prairie plants. Our staff can help you plan your restoration project, facilitate collection and amplification of local seed sources, and supervise the restoration.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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around the operation and look at the current crop. In nurseries, remember to check the quality of the root systems as well as the shoots. In a seed production facility, check for weeds and vitality of the plants. Ask for a customer list and search out others who have purchased seeds or other plant materials. Inquire about the reputations of your potential vendors, including the success of their materials on outplanting sites.

Other Business Services

Traditionally, nurseries and seed producers merely grew plants and seeds for sale, but the current trend is to go beyond

propagation to a broader range of services. Nowadays, native plant growers offer a variety of services, depending on their facilities and expertise. An increasing number of progressive nurseries provide a full range of services, from seed collection and processing, plant propagation and storage, through outplanting and follow-up care.

Communication Is Essential

Buyers of native plant materials should consider the nursery manager or seed producer as a partner in their planting project and involve them early in the planning process.

alphabetical listing

3E TREE FARMS AND WETLAND NURSERY INC

PO Box 476, Loxahatchee FL 33470-3069
248 C Rd, Loxahatchee FL 33470
Contact: Irene Goltzena
Ph: 561.718.3069 Fax: 888.773.4458
E-mail: native3etrees@aol.com

Private, wholesale, retail, mail, Internet, contract, M-F 8-4 weekends by appointment, since 1995. Plants: 95% native, 25% propagated, 25% wild collected; container, bareroot, cuttings; tree, shrub, herbaceous, grass, wetland/aquatic.

Quality native trees, shrubs, palms, ferns, and aquatics. Let us be your one native plant stop. Delivery and contract growing are also available.

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A Quality Plant

1998 19th Ave NE, Ruskin FL 33570
Contact: Rob Pittman
Ph: 866.998.9393 Fax: 813.645.8268
E-mail: robp@aqualityplant.com
Private, wholesale, retail. Plants.

A Touch O' Green Landscape & Gardens LLC

7205 Holly Fern Cove, Austin TX 78750
Contact: Bridget
Ph: 512.736.4859 Fax: 512.349.2712
E-mail: toglg@sbcglobal.net
Private, wholesale, retail. Plants.

A Waldbart & Sons Nursery

5517 N Hwy 67, Florissant MO 63034
Contact: Jack Cunningham
Ph: 314.741.3121 Fax: 314.741.3825
Private, wholesale, retail. Plants.

Abbott's Nursery

2781 Scio Church Rd, Ann Arbor MI 48103
Ph: 734.665.8733
Private, retail. Plants.

Abraczinskas Nurseries Inc

346 Numidia Dr, Catawissa PA 17820
Contact: Peter Abraczinskas
Ph: 570.356.2323 Fax: 570.356.2366
E-mail: abs@sunlink.net
Private, wholesale, mail. Plants.

Abundant Life Seed

PO Box 279, Cottage Grove OR 97424
Ph: 541.767.9606 Fax: 866.514.7333
E-mail: info@abundantlifeseeds.com
Private, retail, mail. Seeds.

The Acorn Seed

2486 Oro Quincy Hwy, Oroville CA 95966
Contact: James Connolly
Ph: 530.534.5363
E-mail: rjconnolly@cncnet.com
Private, retail, contract. Plants.

Acorus Restoration

722 6th Concession Rd, Walsingham ON N0E 1X0
Contact: Paul Morris
Ph: 519.586.2603 Fax: 519.586.2447
E-mail: info@ecologyart.com

Private, wholesale, retail, mail, Internet, contract. Plants: 300,000/y, 100% native, 100% propagated; tree, shrub, herbaceous, grass. Seeds: 1000 lb/y, 100% native, 100% propagated; tree, shrub, herbaceous, grass.

ACTION THEORY LANDSCAPE AND NURSERY

6791 SW 57 Terrace, Miami FL 33143
22401 SW 130 Ave, Goulds FL 33170
Contact: Claude
Ph: 305.257.2244 Fax: 305.667.0266
E-mail: croatta@yahoo.com
URL: <http://www.actiontheorynursery.com>

Private, wholesale, retail, M-F 7:30-5, since 1997. Plants: 25% native, 90% propagated; container; tree, shrub, herbaceous, grass, wetland/aquatic.

Adams-Franklin Tree Seedlings Nursery

13512 Doerfler Rd SE, Silverton OR 97381
910 Cascade Hwy NE, Salem OR 97301
Contact: Don Doerfler
Ph: 503.581.5500 Fax: 503.873.2736
E-mail: sales@adamsfranklinnursery.com
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