

## **HELP SUPPORT A 501(C) 3 NON- PROFIT PUBLIC CHARITY**

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Back to Natives Restoration is a non-profit 501(c)3 public charity dedicated to the restoration and conservation of Orange County and California wildlands, through education and restoration programs. Some funding for these programs is acquired by designing locally native landscape plans for homeowners and Businesses. LIC #963706

## **FEES FOR SERVICES**

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Onsite consultation     \$60.00 per hour  
   min. 2 hours

Design services         \$120 per hour  
   (min 4 hours)

Workshop                 \$60.00 per hour  
   (primary)  
   \$40.00 per hour  
   (each assistant)

Landscape Maintenance also available for Native Gardens. Email for more information : [gardens@backtonatives.org](mailto:gardens@backtonatives.org)

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## **REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**

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View some of our designs at these

Back to Natives Restoration websites:

<http://backtonatives.org/NativeLandscapes.htm>

<http://btnportfolio.blogspot.com>



### **Back to Natives RESTORATION**

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## **BACK TO NATIVES RESTORATION**

### **LANDSCAPING WITH NATIVES**

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Back to Natives Restoration can help you choose the right native plants for your yard, and our designer can create a locally native plant design that is right for you and your family! To schedule a consultation call 949-509-4787. LIC#963706



### **REDUCE THE USE OF WATER**

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Native plants are adapted to the unique climatic conditions of their growing area and once established they require little or no irrigation. When we grow plants found locally, we use far less water than traditional landscape plants. Using drought tolerant natives in our gardens conserves a scarce natural resource and saves money on water costs.

## **ENJOY A LOW MAINTENANCE GARDEN**

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Spend more time enjoying your garden and less time maintaining it. Natives require less work at garden chores such as mowing, pruning, fertilizing and dividing.



## **REDUCE THE USE OF PESTICIDES**

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Many native plants are not severely affected by insect pests and diseases that afflict traditional ornamentals. Often, natives have adapted defense mechanisms to pests common in their habitats or have a high tolerance for pest damage. Eliminating pesticide use in the garden promotes biodiversity, reduces our exposure to toxic substances and saves money.

## **PROVIDE HABITAT**

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Many flowering native plants provide nectar for hummingbirds and butterflies. "Host plants" - the plants caterpillars eat before transforming into butterflies - provide you with an opportunity to watch as butterflies live out their entire life cycles! When choosing plants, remember to be sure they are plants native to your area. Some nurseries sell hybridized natives, or Baja species, which can do more harm than good. Just because a plant is "California friendly" does NOT mean that it is native! "California friendly" plants might be drought tolerant, but they can also degrade local habitats by escaping and becoming invasive "weeds" which most native animals can not use. Back to Natives only uses native plants, and as locally native as possible.

## **NATIVE PLANTS ARE BEAUTIFUL!**

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Fine native plant choices exist for virtually any garden environment. With over 1200 plants native to Orange County, there are several species available to replace traditional, non-native landscape plants. We also sell native plants and hold workshops to help you install your garden.

## **ONSITE CONSULTING**

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Back to Natives will send a designer to your home to inspect soil type, sunlight exposure, and moisture levels, to provide advice, tips and suggestions for California Native Plant Gardening.

## **DESIGN SERVICES**

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A Back to Natives designer will use information from the initial onsite consultation, along with site measurements and your desired look to create a comprehensive landscape design with only California Native Plants. A PowerPoint presentation of the plant palette is provided with each design for reference to each species used, along with a full legend and plant availability information.

## **NATIVE PLANT WORKSHOP**

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Back to Natives is not a contractor, and so can not at this time provide installation services. However we can provide a Native Plant Workshop where our staff will teach you and a group of your guests how to plant your own native plant garden from design. Learn proper installation techniques for natives, including recommended amendments, watering schedules and maintenance practices while completing the installation of your own garden design!

To schedule an appt.

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Or visit

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