

PRICKLY PEAR PLACE

PLANTING PLAN



PRICKLY PEAR PLACE SHOWCASES A DROUGHT TOLERANT LANDSCAPE FOR A HOUSE WITH A CLASSIC LOOK.

The classic American home landscape features foundational plantings placed in straight lines along the front of the home and along fences. A progression of smaller plants in the front and larger plants in the back is arranged to create a layered hedge in front of the home and fence lines. Plants are spaced and trimmed tightly in landscape beds and there is often a strong sense of balance leading to the entryway. Curved beds, pathways and plantings are typically found further away from structures. The dominant features of the classic home landscape include a spacious lawn and large shade trees.

At the Prickly Pear Place a classic look is maintained while incorporating xeric plants and practices. Dwarf yaupon, cenizo, and dwarf wax myrtle are used to create hedges along the front porch and side fences. Sweeps of perennial plants such as skullcap, mistflower and echinacea create the landscape and provide seasonal color. Groundcovers such as frogfruit and sedge are showcased as potential lawn alternatives.

Green infrastructure features include rain chains and a green roof.

PLANT TYPE	COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	HEIGHT (FT)	WIDTH (FT)
A	Texas Redbud	<i>Cercis canadensis var. texensis</i>	15 to 20	15 to 20
A	Possumhaw	<i>Ilex decidua</i>	12 to 20	12
A	Yaupon	<i>Ilex vomitoria</i>	15 to 25	15 to 25
B	Dwarf Wax Myrtle	<i>Myrica pusilla</i>	4 to 6	10
B	Dwarf Yaupon	<i>Ilex vomitoria 'Nana'</i>	3 to 4	5
B	Lindheimer's Muhly	<i>muhlenbergia lindheimeri</i>	4 to 5	4 to 5
B	Cenizo	<i>Leucophyllum frutescens</i>	4 to 6	4 to 6
C	Powis Castle Artemisia	<i>Artemisia x 'Powis Castle'</i>	2 to 3	3 to 6
C	Fall obedient plant	<i>Physostegia virginiana</i>	2 to 3	2
C	Purple coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	2 to 4	1 to 3
D	Pink Skullcap	<i>Scutellaria suffrutescens</i>	1	1.5
D	Missouri primrose	<i>Oenothera macrocarpa</i>	1	2
D	Gregg's mistflower	<i>Conoclinium greggii</i>	2	2 to 3
E	Frog fruit	<i>Phyla nodiflora</i>	0.5 to 1	3
E	Grassland sedge	<i>Carex divulsa</i>	1 to 2	2
E	Snakeherb	<i>Dyschoriste linearis</i>	0.5 to 1.5	1 to 2

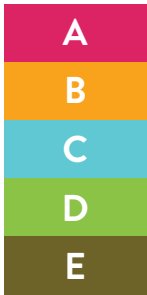
KEY WORDS

Xeric Requiring only a small amount of moisture.

Perennial Persist for several years.



RECREATE THE LOOK OF THE PRICKLY PEAR PLACE



A Ornamental tree (pick 1)

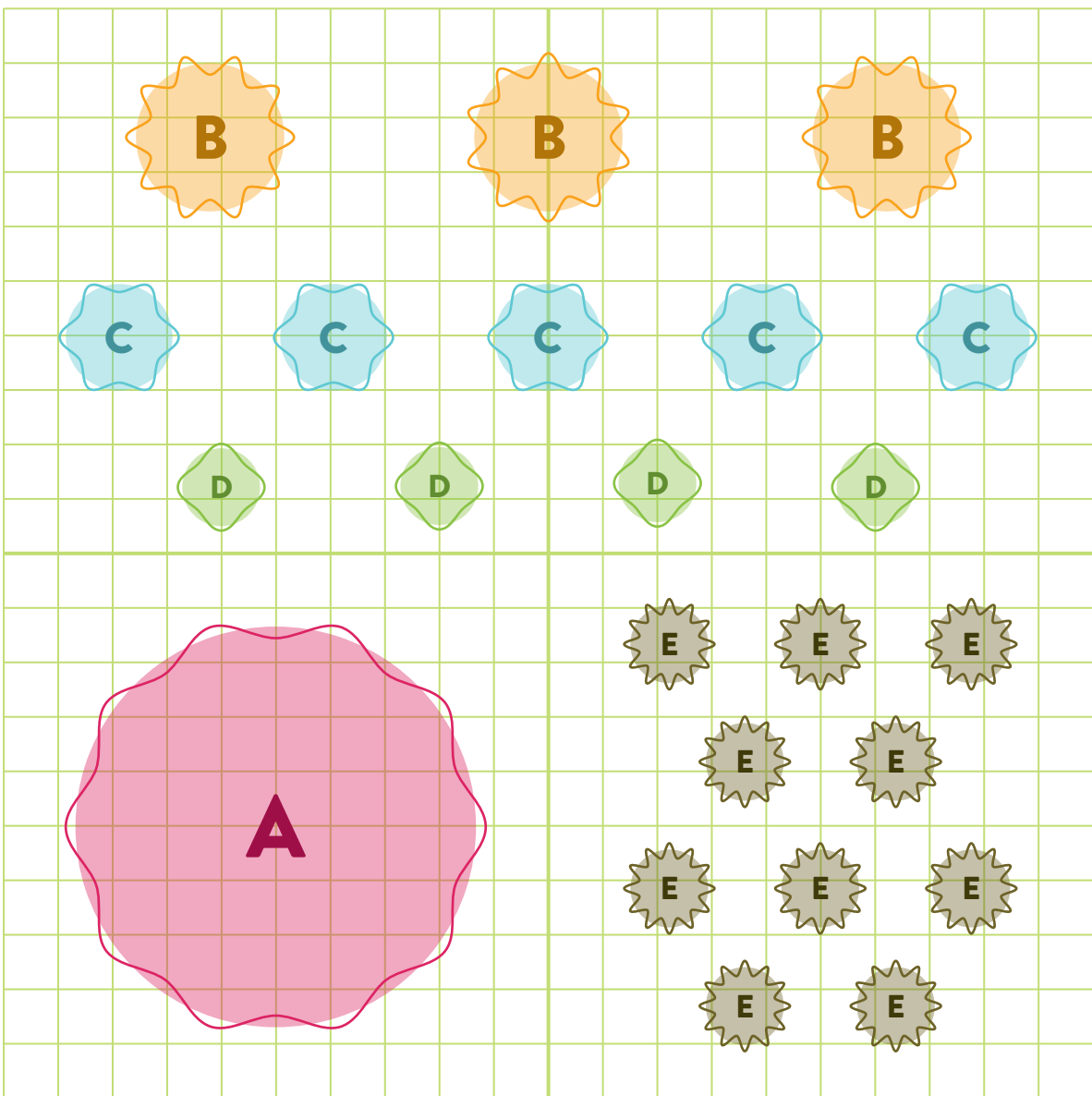
B Large perennial for background hedge (pick 1 and plant a row)

C Medium size perennial for mid-level color (pick 1 or 2 and plant in groups of 3)

D Small perennial (pick 1 or 2 and plant in groups of 3)

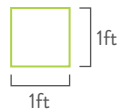
E Ground cover (pick 1 and mass plant)

20ft L



20ft W

SCALE



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Classic Sustainability

Prickly Pear Place blends a drought-resistant landscape with a classic home look. When in bloom, the cool-colored flowers of this landscape attract pollinators and wildlife. The landscape has a strong backbone of shrubs and the feel of the gardens of Southeast Texas. The green roof cools the surface, slows water runoff, and adds biodiversity to the garden.



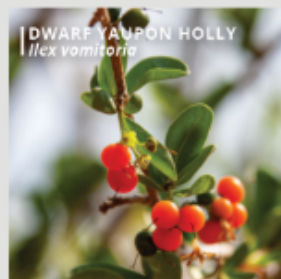
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Opuntia sp.



MISSOURI EVENING PRIMROSE
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AROMATIC ASTER
Symphoricarpos oblongifolium



DWARF YAUPON HOLLY
Ilex vomitoria



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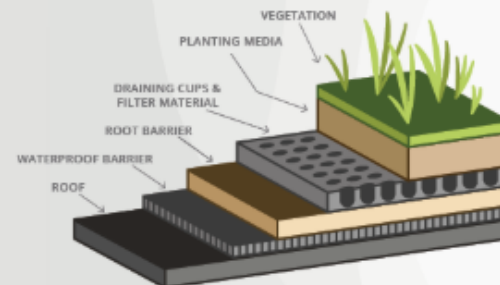
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Stormwater Management

Green roofs vary in complexity. This green roof uses a simple layered design. The layers include waterproof material, root barrier, drainage cups and filter material, well-draining planting media, and the plants.



Like downspouts, **rain chains** direct water runoff from roofs to water collection areas.



DIFFERENT TYPES OF RAIN CHAINS

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Sostenibilidad clásica

Prickly Pear Place combina un paisaje resistente a la sequía con un aspecto hogareño clásico. Cuando florecen, las flores de colores fríos de este paisaje atraen a los polinizadores y la vida silvestre. El paisaje tiene una fuerte columna vertebral de arbustos y la sensación de los jardines del sudeste de Texas. El techo verde enfría la superficie, ralentiza el escurrimiento del agua y añade biodiversidad al jardín.



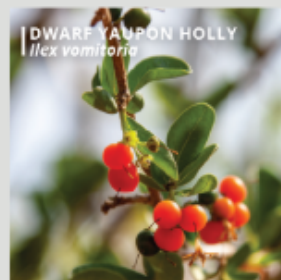
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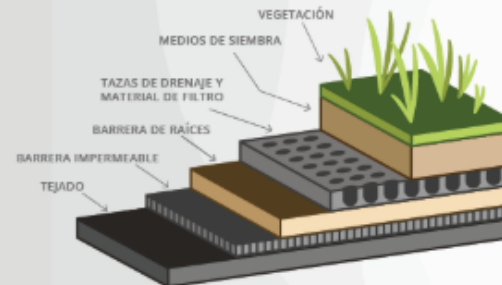
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Gestión de aguas pluviales

Los techos verdes varían en complejidad. Este techo verde utiliza un diseño en capas simple. Las capas incluyen material impermeable, barrera contra raíces, vasos de drenaje y material filtrante, medios vegetales con buen drenaje y las plantas.



Al igual que los bajantes, las cadenas de lluvia dirigen el escurrimiento del agua desde los techos hasta las áreas de recolección de agua.



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