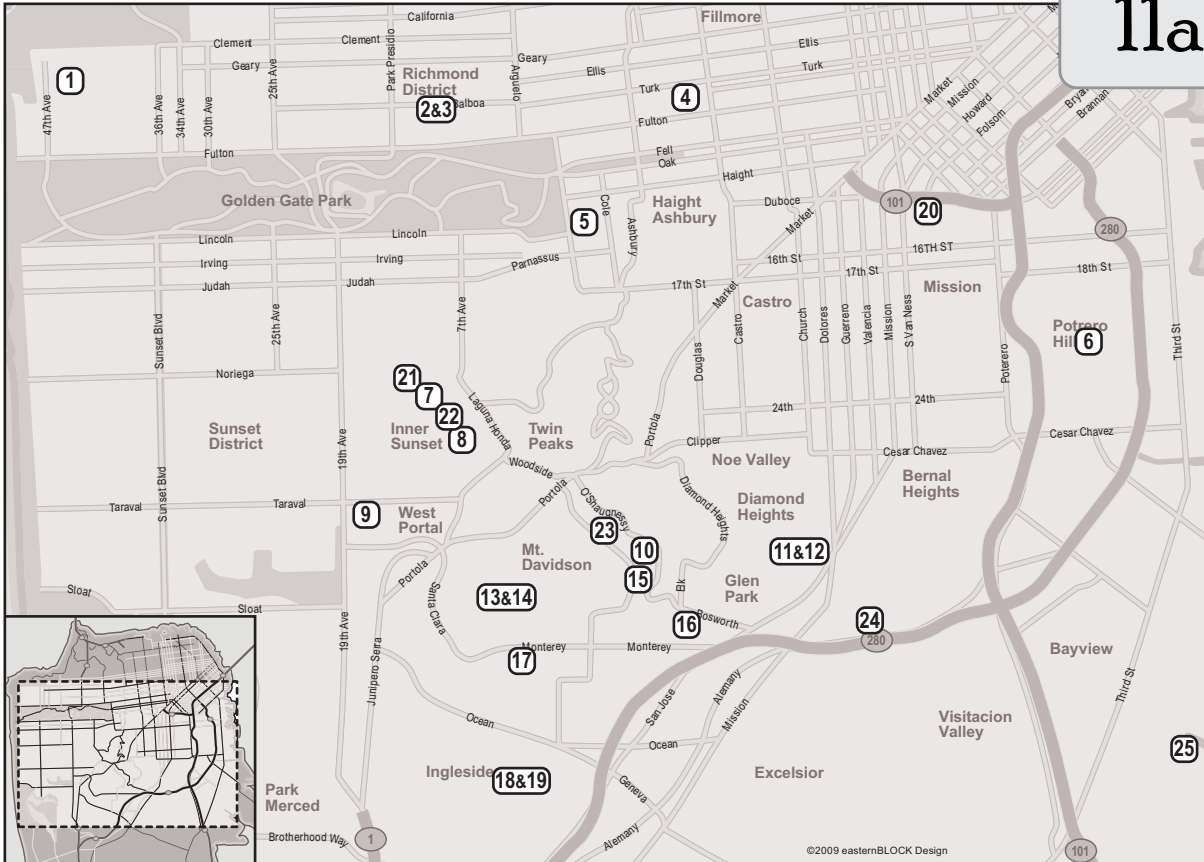


Native Plant Garden Tour

Sunday April 25, 2010

11am to 3pm



1. 542 46th Avenue
2. 635 9th Avenue #2
3. 749 8th Avenue
4. 2065 Fulton Street
5. 156 Beulah Street
6. 785 Carolina Street
7. 1972 Tenth Ave
8. 206 Castenada Ave
9. 2471 15th Avenue
10. 34 Valletta Court
11. 210 Laidley Street
12. 359 Chenery Street
13. 440 Hazelwood Avenue
14. 455 Hazelwood Avenue
15. 812 Teresita Boulevard
16. 257 Joost Avenue
17. 59 Hazelwood Avenue
18. 727 Lakeview Avenue
19. 717 Lakeview Avenue

- Featured Public Gardens:**
20. 1745 Folsom Street
 21. 14th Avenue at Ortega St.
 22. 12th Avenue at Pacheco Street
 23. 350 O'Shaughnessy Boulevard
 24. 700 Alemany Boulevard
 25. 1150 Carroll Avenue

Garden Details:

- 1. 542 46th Avenue** (at Anza)
An historic house originally built by Adolf Sutro for his gardener. The garden features a reestablished meadow, newly blooming wildflowers, and a 15' Ceanothus.
- 2. 635 9th Avenue**
A birdlife-rich native garden focused on shrubs and perennials.
- 3. 749 8th Avenue**
The only dune garden on the tour featuring seaside daisy, lupine, and beach evening primrose.
- 4. 2065 Fulton Street**
Come enjoy the wild hillside of Lone Mountain. A great example of what happens when nature is allowed to return to the garden.
- 5. 156 Beulah Street** (at Stanyan)
This garden features a variety of California natives such as ferns, spicebush, rushes, native bunchgrasses, several types of manzanita, ceanothus, and other native or decorative shrubs.
- 6. 785 Carolina Street**
A low-maintenance garden featuring shade-loving natives.
- 7. 1972 Tenth Avenue**
A garden of shade-loving & aquatic natives as well as foodplants.

- 8. 206 Castenada Avenue**
A mix of shade and grassland natives fill this backyard garden.
- 9. 2471 15th Ave** (at Ulloa - 94116)
A garden of sand-loving natives, you'll find at least ninety native species here such as stinging nettle (for butterfly eggs), wax myrtle, sneeze weed and mustard - plus ocean spray, three varieties of fern, grasses, dogwood and a miniforest of other trees.
- 10. 34 Valletta Ct.** (near Malta and O'Shaughnessy - 94131)
A large cliff garden filled with oaks, Islais cherry, buckeye, coffee berry, and other shrubs, flowering plants and many grasses.
- 11. 210 Laidley Street** (between Miguel & Fairmount)
One of the early native plant gardens in San Francisco, begun twenty years ago. Plants include ceanothus, fremontodendron, red elderberry, pink flowering currant and bunch grasses.
- 12. 359 Chenery Street**
This designer's garden of mostly native, some edible, and a few remnant ornamentals exemplifies gardening by the square inch. It includes a street-pocket-park and back guerilla garden.
- 13. 440 Hazelwood Avenue** (@ Los Palomos Drive - 94127)

- Formerly a lawn, this garden has now grown into a feast for the eyes. In addition to the 15-step public stairway into the back garden, there is a more accessible walkway to the left with gradual stepping stones.
- 14. 455 Hazelwood Avenue**
What was once a water-thirsty lawn, is now a second year, North facing coastal chaparral garden hosting natives such as columbine, currant, hummingbird sage, and manzanita.
 - 15. 812 Teresita Boulevard**
A former crabgrass patch, this reimagined landscape features California natives set in a Japanese aesthetic.
 - 16. 257 Joost Avenue** (between Congo & Baden - 94131)
Your challenge here is to find at least fifteen varieties of native plants woven into this sensuous, eclectic garden of flowers, shrubs, trees, mosses, lichen, water plants, and succulents galore.
 - 17. 59 Hazelwood Avenue**
Bunchgrasses and wildflowers inhabit this garden featuring a raised bed of recycled concrete.
 - 18. 727 Lakeview Avenue**
A water-conserving native garden that utilizes 2 grey-water systems.
 - 19. 717 Lakeview Avenue** (between Faxon & Capitol)

- Hill top & former grassland garden with natives mixed throughout.
- 20. 1745 Folsom Street**
This decade-old native garden at Rainbow Grocery is a tiny island of natives featuring well-established buckeye, silk-tassel and currant.
 - 21. 14th Avenue at Ortega Street**
This median and curb triangle is planted with bird- and insect-benefitting natives with a special focus on the Green Hairstreak butterfly.
 - 22. 12th Ave at Pacheco Street**
This garden at the corner of 12th and Pacheco is a great example of using native plants on municipal landstrips. Neighborhood members have transformed a median/right-of-way parcel into a wonderful native pant garden.
 - 23. 350 O'Shaughnessy Boulevard**
A native garden planted via seeds and cuttings from nearby Glen Canyon.
 - 24. 700 Alemany Boulevard**
A community run farm and preserve that features riparian, wetland, scrub, and grassland habitats, as well as habitat for native bees.
 - 25. 1150 Carroll Avenue**
This sizable all-native garden, situated in front of a beautiful mural, was planted four years ago.