

Landscape practices plants & wildlife love



- **Avoid pesticides and herbicides.** They harm wildlife and the environment.
- **Go native.** Local native plants attract wildlife and need less water and upkeep.
- **Limit pruning.** Over-pruning stresses plants. Wildlife love and depend on the habitat (food, shelter, and nesting sites) that plants provide.
- **Watch wildlife interact with plants.** Let your observations of nature guide your landscape practices.

Water plants in the morning to limit evaporation.

Plant trees to provide shade for wildlife, plants, and people.

Create basins to collect rainwater for wildlife and plants.

Let leaves fall and accumulate on the ground. Leaves enhance soil nutrients and moisture.

Allow plants to flower and set seeds for wildlife.

