

Endemic Plant Species to the City of Subiaco

Introduction

The City has adopted Local Planning Policy 1.3 – Sustainable Development (LPP 1.3) which requires new single houses, grouped dwellings and significant additions/alterations to consider sustainability in the design. The vegetation related sustainability measures under Table 1 of LPP 1.3 are:

- **Item 9:** Providing a water wise landscaping area (water wise plants as defined by the [Water Corporation](#))
- **Item 10:** Retaining a mature tree on-site
- **Item 11:** Providing a new tree on-site (in addition to what is required under State Planning Policy 7.3 – Residential Design Codes – Volume 1).

Endemic plants include species which can only be found in a certain region. Endemic plants can improve biodiversity and create healthy ecosystems. You may wish to consider choosing endemic plant species for the City of Subiaco area (**Table 1**), when choosing sustainability measure items 9, 10 and/or 11 under LPP 1.3.

This information sheet provides a list of endemic plants to the City of Subiaco area (**Table 1**), as a guide for proponents wishing to incorporate endemic plant species into their gardens.

Table 1: Endemic Plants Species for the City of Subiaco area

Genus	Species	Common Name	Size (m)	Flowers	Colour
Eucalyptus	gomphocephala	Tuart	40	Jan-Apr	cream
Corymbia	calophylla	Marri	35	Jan-May	white
Eucalyptus	marginata	Jarraah	30	Sep-Feb	cream
Allocasuarina	fraseriana	Common Sheoak	12	May-Nov	
Eucalyptus	todtiana	Prickly Bark	10	Feb	cream
Melaleuca	preissiana	“Modong”	10	Nov-Jan	white
Banksia	attenuata	Candle Banksia	8	Sep-Oct	yellow
Banksia	grandis	Bull Banksia	8	Sep-Dec	yellow
Banksia	menziesii	Firewood Banksia	8	Feb-Aug	red
Banksia	prionotes	Saw Tooth Banksia	8	Feb-Aug	orange
Xylomeleum	occidentale	Woody Pear	8	Dec-Feb	cream
Acacia	saligna	“Coojong”	6	Aug-Oct	yellow
Eucalyptus	decipiens	Limestone Marlock	6	Sep-Nov	cream
Banksia	sessilis	Parrot Bush	4	May-Nov	yellow
Dodonaea	hackettiana	Perth Hopbush	4	Jul-Oct	green
Acacia	cyclops	Red Eyed Wattle	3	Sep-Jan	yellow
Jacksonia	furcellata	Grey Stinkwood	3	Aug-Mar	yellow
Jacksonia	sternbergiana	Green Stinkwood	3	All year	orange
Kunzea	glabrescens	Spear Wood	3	Sep-Nov	yellow

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Spyridium	globulosum	Basket Bush	3	Jun-Sep	white
Xanthorrhoea	preissii	Grass Tree	3	Nov-Jan	white
Acacia	cochlearis	Rigid Wattle	2	Aug-sep	yellow
Acacia	pulchella	Prickly Moses	2	Jun-Oct	yellow
Acacia	rostellifera	Summer Scented Wattle	2	Aug-Oct	yellow
Austrostipa	elegantissima	Feather Spear Grass	2	Aug-Jan	
Calothamnus	quadrifidus	One-sided Bottlebrush	2	Aug-Dec	red
Regelia	inops		2	Oct-Jan	mauve
Allocasuarina	humilis	Dwarf Sheoak	1.5	May-Nov	
Alyxia	buxifolia	Dysentery Bush	1.5	Oct-Nov	white
Leptospermum	spinescens		1.5	Sep-Nov	white
Myoporum	caprarioides	Slender Myoporum	1.5	All year	white
Persoonia	saccatta	Snottygobble	1.5	Jul-Jan	yellow
Baumea	vaginalis	Sheath Twig Sedge	1.2	Oct-Nov	brown
Acacia	sessilis		1	Jul-Oct	yellow
Baumea	juncea	Bare Twig-rush	1	Oct-Jan	brown
Beaufortia	elegans	Elegant Beaufortia	1	Nov-Feb	purple
Calothamnus	sanguineus	Silky Leaved Blood Flower	1	Mar-Nov	red
Calytrix	angulata	Yellow Starflower	1	Sep-Dec	yellow
Dianella	revoluta	Flax Lily	1	Jun-Aug	orange
Gompholobium	confertum		1	Sep-Dec	yellow
Grevillea	crithmifolia		1	Jul-sep	white
Hypocalymma	robustum	Swan River Myrtle	1	Jul-Oct	pink
Melaleuca	seriata		1	Oct-Dec	pink
Melaleuca	systema	Coastal Honeymyrtle	1	Sep-Dec	cream
Melaleuca	thymoides		1	Sep-Jan	yellow
Villarsia	albiflora		1	Sep-Dec	white
Melaleuca	trichophylla		0.7	Nov-Jan	pink/purple
Jacksonia	sericea	"Waldjumi"	0.6	Dec-Feb	orange
Anigozanthos	humilis	Catspaw	0.5	Aug-Oct	yellow/red
Anigozanthos	manglesii	Mangles Kangaroo Paw	0.5	Sep-Nov	red/green
Austrodanthonia	caespitosa	Ringed Wallaby Grass	0.5	Oct-Nov	
Bossiaea	ericarpa	Common Brown Pea	0.5	Jul-Oct	brown/yellow
Burchardia	congesta	Milkmaids	0.5	Aug-Oct	white
Conostylis	aculeata	Prickly Conostylis	0.5	Sep-Oct	yellow
Conostylis	candicans	Grey Cottonheads	0.5	Aug-Sep	yellow
Eremophila	glabra	Tar Bush	0.5	Jul-Jan	orange
Gastrolobium	capitatum	Bacon and Eggs	0.5	Jun-Sep	yellow
Gastrolobium	nervosum		0.5	Jul-Nov	yell/red
Gompholobium	aristatum		0.5	Jul-Dec	yellow
Gompholobium	scabrum		0.5	Aug-Sep	purple
Gompholobium	tomentosum	Yellow Pea	0.5	Aug-Dec	yellow
Haemodorum	laxum	Bloodroot	0.5	Nov	black
Haemodorum	paniculatum	"Mardja"	0.5	Oct-Dec	yellow
Haemodorum	spicatum	"Mardja"	0.5	Nov-Dec	black
Neurachne	alopecuroidea	Foxtail Mulga Grass	0.5	Aug-Nov	
Orthrosanthus	laxus	Morning Iris	0.5	Aug-Oct	mauve

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Patersonia	occidentalis	Western Patersonia	0.5	Sep-Dec	purple
Philotheca	spicata	Salt and Pepper	0.5	Aug-Sep	mauve
Rhagodia	baccata	Berry Salt Bush	0.5	Mar-Jun	red
Trachymene	coerulea	Blue Lace Flower	0.5	Oct-Feb	blue
Lobelia	alata	Angled Lobelia	0.3	Mar-Apr	blue
Opercularia	vaginata	Dog Weed	0.3	Aug-Oct	green
Phyllanthus	calycinus	False Boronia	0.3	Jun-Nov	white
Isolepis	cernua	Nodding Club-rush	0.2	All year	
Laxmannia	squarrosa		0.1	Aug-Nov	white