

APLD California Chapter Platinum and Gold Sponsor Testimonials

We asked our members about APLD CA Platinum and Gold Sponsors. Here's what they had to say...

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The Intelligent Use of Water™

rainbird.com

Rainbird's online calculators take my designs to the next level of irrigation design and water efficiency. Innovative products, like their prefabricated drip line header and heavy-duty drip line with a built-in check valve, save time in design and installation.
— **Linda Middleton, APLD, Terralinda Design**



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bamboopipeline.com

For a recent job, I needed plants quickly and on time. Not only was Bamboo Pipeline the only source in all of Southern California that had the plant and quantity I needed, they were able to deliver to my client on short notice. I was very impressed with their service, and the quality of the plants they delivered.

— **Marilyn Guidroz, APLD, Marilyn's Garden Design**



belgard.biz

Belgard Hardscapes is my number one choice for concrete pavers. The natural Belgard color blends make their concrete pavers a reliable choice, proven through the years. On past projects with driveways, patios, and sitting walls, my clients and I continue to admire the long lasting beauty, durability, and richness of Belgard pavers.

— **Cathleen Lynch, The Essential Gardener**



thebrickyard.com

I recommend Brickyard Building Materials for well-priced manufactured stone products. They are easy to work with, for both my clients and installing contractors. I can count on the counter staff to honestly answer questions, and the yard is set up to easily see and compare product lines. Their deliveries come on time and without hassle.— **Alison Fleck, Simply Perfect Gardens**



devilmountainnursery.com

Devil Mountain has been my go-to source for plants for years. I have worked with most of the salespeople, veterans and newcomers, and all are consistently responsive in filling orders and suggesting substitutes when needed, but the best is scooting around the yard to find plants. Deliveries are on schedule, and the drivers courteous.

— **Katie Creighton, Katie Creighton Garden Design**



emerisa.com

I adore Emerisa Gardens! They have a huge selection of perennials, grasses, phormiums, and small shrubs that I use in many of my designs. Emerisa plants are healthy, well grown, and thrive in the garden. The growing grounds are organized for in-person selection, inspiration, and quick substitutes.

— **Cathy Edger, Edger Landscape Design**



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Certification through the G3 Watershed Wise Landscape Professional Training expanded my knowledge and confidence to design landscapes that build healthy soil, use rain water as a resource, and feature climate appropriate plants. Thanks to the pioneering work of G3, we face a brighter future for our landscapes and future generations. — **Jacky Surber, Urbafloria**



idiggreenacres.com

From quality plants and qualified staff to a large selection of edibles and unusual plants, Green Acres Nursery is the place to be! I send clients to the demonstration beds for inspiration, and I know that I can run in quickly to pick up items on the way to an installation. —**Aimee Hendrie, Branching Out**



lyngsogarden.com

Lyngsø has been an invaluable resource for my practice for more than twenty years. Their full range of materials for the garden, selection of flagstone, and decorative rock have enhanced my design options for over twenty years. I particularly like to bring my clients to the demonstration garden so they can see firsthand a wide range of materials installed! —**Laurie Calloway, APLD, Callaway Garden Design**



When I want something unusual, striking and tough as nails, I turn to plants from Mountain States for plant material that goes way beyond drought tolerance to a uniquely distinctive desert-adapted palette. — **Lee Mangus, Smith Mangus**



ogawamune@yahoo.com

I've relied on Ogawa-Mune Nursery to fill my clients' plant needs for over 10 years. I especially appreciate their seasonal bare-root fruit tree selection in the winter for my clients who want edibles in their gardens. They have a good selection of the drought tolerant and native plants I use, and their staff is knowledgeable and friendly. — **Amy Griffiths, New Leaf Garden Design**



Pacific Nurseries are my go-to source for plants when I have a job on the San Francisco Peninsula. They are conveniently located and willing to track down the unusual plants I am often specifying. Their new website is great! — **Mary Fisher, APLD, Mary Fisher Garden Design**



PBM is an invaluable resource to me. They have a wide variety of stone and paver products, a great showroom for my clients to see selections in person, and incredibly helpful and friendly staff. Additionally, they are a source I can count on to keep me up to date on new products. — **Tina Roushall, Roushall Gardens**



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sanmarcosgrowers.com

San Marcos Growers has an outstanding selection of beautiful and often unusual water wise trees, shrubs, perennials, and grasses that give my designs a polished look. An easy to navigate website and the office staff including owner, Randy Baldwin, are helpful both in person and on the phone. They make it easy to get exactly what I need.
— Julie Molinare, The Grass Is Always Greener Designs



spjlighting.com

SPJ Lighting is wonderful reliable resource for my design business, consistently providing excellent customer service. With no distributor—just a direct connection with the company, who manufacture right in the USA— SPJ can customize my designs for original fixtures, in addition to their line of gorgeous and tough lighting.
— Laura Morton, APLD, Laura Morton Design



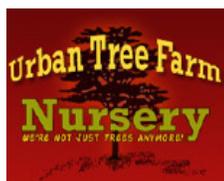
tuffypants.com

Over the past twenty years, my plant palette has shifted toward low water use, low maintenance, high impact, tough plants. Tuffy Plants are perfect on all counts. I can't imagine designing a garden without at least one variety of Lomandra. When I look at tuffypants.com, I am reminded how grateful I am that they have developed the plants that grace my gardens!
— Patricia St. John, APLD, St. John Landscapes



urbanfarmerstore.com

As experts in graywater, rainwater catchment and LED lighting supply and education, the stellar staff at Urban Farmer pulls all of us forward with their leadership and sponsorship of high quality educational programs. To me, the Urban Farmer represents a lifetime of commitment to sustainability and best practices.
— Maureen Decombe, Second Spring Consulting



urbantreefarm.com

The staff of Urban Tree Farm is always willing to drive me around the nursery to pick out just the right plants for my clients. When I have a question about availability of plants, I can count on expert assistance to ensure I have the plants I need, when I need them.
— Nann White, Redbud Design



villagenurserieslc.com

Village Nurseries Wholesale and their "Dry Lush" line of plant species is a real help for our geographic area, with their low-water profiles, pleasing colors, and good availability. Pricing is good and the delivery schedule is flexible and fast. I especially enjoy the on-site events and appreciate the Village team for being speakers at APLD events.
— David Clarke, APLD, David Clarke Design



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