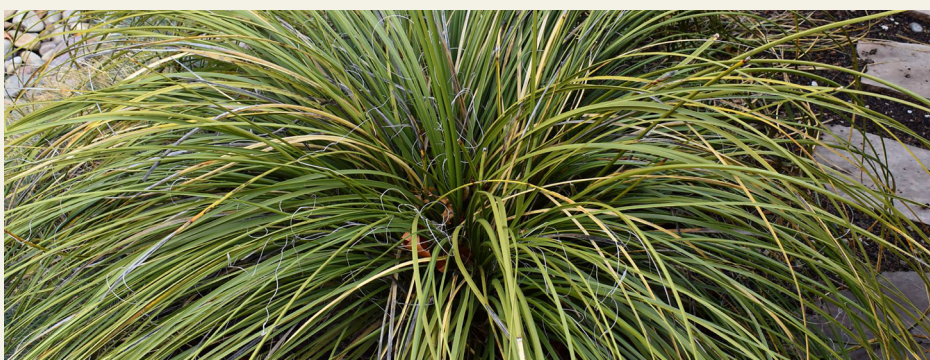


Nolina macrocarpa

BEAR GRASS

Tough, ornamental evergreen grassy accent plants. Bear grass may be the toughest, most adaptable evergreen accent plants widely available for residential and commercial landscapes across the southwest, and yet we see or notice them rarely, which is a shame. Glossy green strap-like 3 ft. long leaves, arch out from a basal center clump. The leaves have a slightly sharp margin, and all the ends taper into a cute, white curly cue. Visually attractive as it sounds. They can be found all over AZ growing naturally on rocky slopes and grassy foothills from about 2500 ft. to nearly 7000 ft., which gives a clue to how adaptable they can be. They develop slowly to form sizable naturally rounded clumps and in late spring to early summer 6-8 ft. flower stalks can shoot out of the center of mature plants. The scale and height of the stalks is impressive but the flowers are fairly insignificant although bees and other pollinators find them quite attractive. Low water and low maintenance make them an outstanding option for virtually any landscape.



DESCRIPTION	
	UP TO 4 FT. x 4-6 FT.
	FULL SUN
	USDA ZONE 5-11
	NORTH AMERICA
	CREAM
	LOW
	TO -20°F