



NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING INVITATION MEDIAN LANDSCAPING IMPROVEMENTS

April 21, 2015

Dear Resident:

The City is starting a program, as funding becomes available, to replace ornamental turf with drought tolerant landscape throughout the City, in an effort to reduce the use of potable water due to the severe drought conditions in the State of California.

In Fiscal Year 2014-2015 the City Council allocated funding to replace the turf in the existing medians on Mesa Verde Drive from east to west of Adams Avenue, and California Street at New Hampshire Avenue with drought tolerant plants.

The City of Costa Mesa Department of Public Services/Engineering Division will host a neighborhood meeting to discuss and receive input on this proposed landscape improvements. The proposed landscape plant palette is posted on the City's website under Public Notices and Latest News. If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may submit written correspondence to the attention of Fariba Fazeli, City Engineer, City of Costa Mesa, 77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, California 92626 or email at: fariba.fazeli@costamesaca.gov. For further information you may also contact the Engineering Division at (714) 754-5323.

The neighborhood meeting will be held as follows:

DATE: **Wednesday, May 6, 2015**

TIME: 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

PLACE: City of Costa Mesa, Council Chambers
77 Fair Drive, Costa Mesa, CA 92628



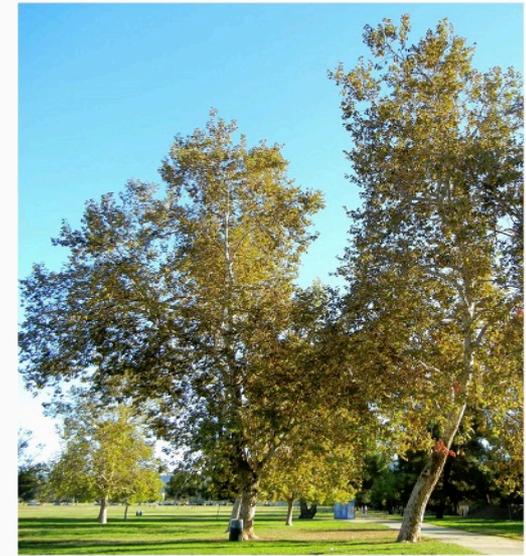
Texture Color Contrast - Dianella Little Rev



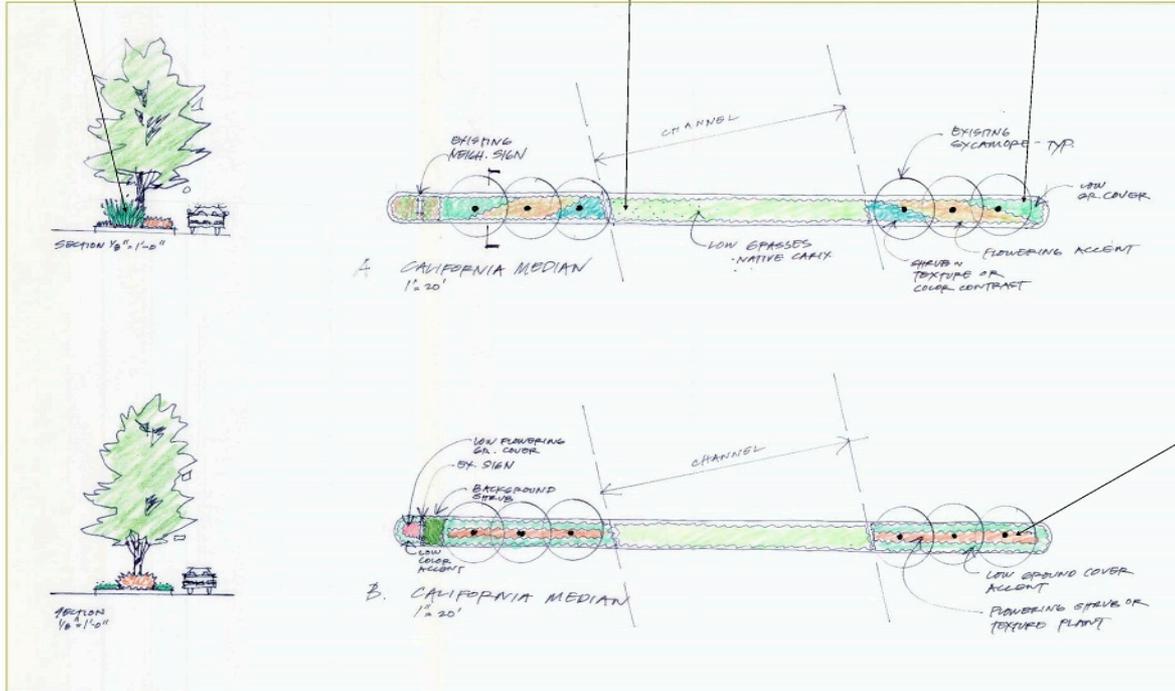
Replace Turf with native Grass meadow - Carex Pansa or Tumulicola



New Improved Arctotis Daisy



Existing Median Trees - Sycamores to remain - Replace one



Knockout Roses - Yellow



Achillea Millefolium/Yarrow



Dianella Species



Shrub Mass-Grass alternative

Lomandra Breeze



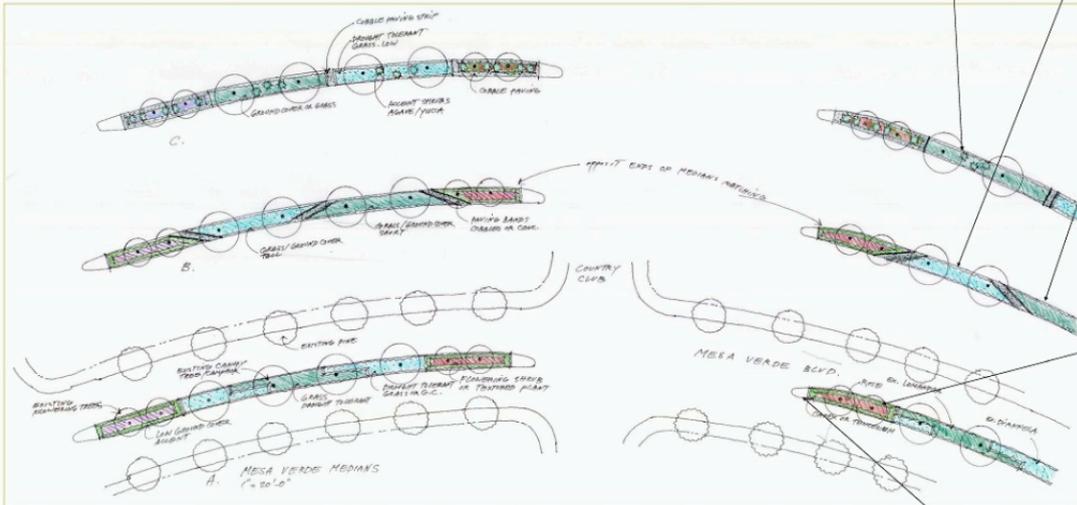
Median ends- accent roses with shrub border



Median Tips- Walkable Ground cover

Existing Trees to Remain

Accents in between trees-Cordyline and or Agave



Option B & C COMBINATION SELECTED

Mesa Verde Drive Existing Median Trees— to Remain
Bauhinia/Orchid Tree
Cassia Leptophylla



Theme :
Drought Tolerant low maintenance
Grass Alternatives
Green Lush Tones

Lawn replacement
Dianella Species
Lomandra Species
Carex Species
Festuca Species
Herinaria
Achillea

Accents:
Ground cover/Shrub Roses

