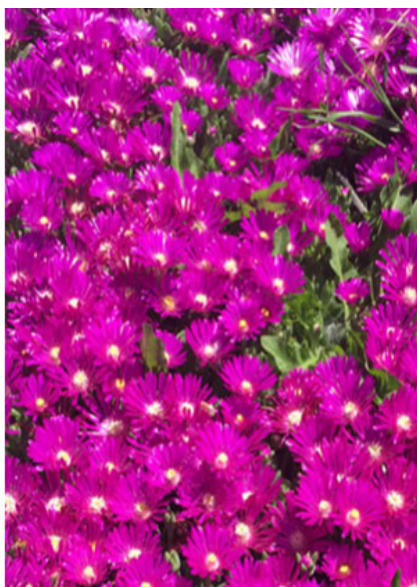
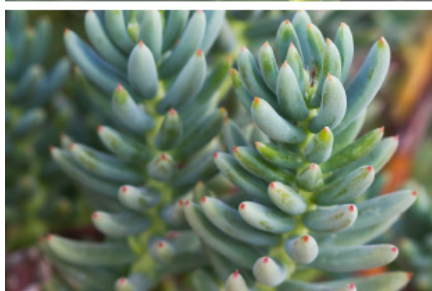


# Six Pack: Groundcovers

Plant as you wish! Plant-by-number design not included.



Looking to fill a few empty spots in your low-water garden? Fill out the front of your existing garden beds, pathways, or sidewalk strips with this six pack of vibrantly-colored, waterwise groundcovers.



Full sun exposure  
(requires a minimum of 6 hrs of direct sun per day)



Blooms late spring to fall



Low to medium water needs



Hardiness maximum of 7,000 ft.

## Individual Plant Information

**N** indicates a regionally native plant

### BLUE SPRUCE SEDUM - *Sedum* 'Blue Spruce'

QTY. 2



This evergreen perennial has a low growing, trailing habit with blue-green conifer like leaves and yellow, star-shaped flowers on reddish hued stems. A vigorous grower.



Mature height 4-6"  
Mature spread 12-15"



Full sun



Low water needs



Blooms summer



Attracts bees, butterflies



Resists deer, rabbits



**CARE:** Prefers full sun or partial shade. Only occasional watering needed once established. This low maintenance sedum can handle some neglect!

### MISSOURI EVENING PRIMROSE - *Oenothera macrocarpa* **N**

QTY. 2



Native to the High Plains, this perennial has large, square, lemon-yellow flowers. Although the flowers are only open for one evening, the plant will bloom again and again throughout the season.



Mature height 12-18"  
Mature spread 18-24"



Full sun



Low to medium water needs



Blooms late spring to summer



Attracts butterflies



Resists deer, rabbits



**CARE:** The Missouri Evening Primrose fares well in hot, dry areas with well-drained soil, and once established, it will become drought-tolerant. Prevent complete soil dryness, and maintain a mulch layer.

### PURPLE ICEPLANT - *Delosperma cooperi*

QTY. 2



Vivid, violet-purple flowers blanket a thick carpet of slender, succulent, grayish-green leaves that turn reddish-purple through the winter.



Mature height 2-4"  
Mature spread 12-18"



Full sun



Low water needs



Blooms early summer to fall



Attracts butterflies



Resists deer, rabbits



**CARE:** This succulent thrives in poor quality, well-drained sandy or gravel soils. Do not amend or add compost to the soil around this plant. Mulch with gravel or not at all. It is important to water consistently during the first growing season in order to establish an extensive root system.

# Plant Maintenance by Season

MAINTENANCE TASKS	PLANT
SPRING (AFTER FIRST GROWING SEASON)	
Cut back old growth or winter damage in mid to late spring.	Missouri Evening Primrose
If weather in the spring is rainy, place a plastic gallon milk jug with the bottom cut out over the plant to keep the ground around the plant dry. Leave the top off of the jug so the plants don't overheat in the sun.	Blue Spruce Sedum, Purple Iceplant
SUMMER	
Water sparingly once established.	Blue Spruce Sedum, Purple Iceplant
Deadhead spent flowers to encourage new blooms and compact growth, and/or minimize self seeding.	Missouri Evening Primrose
FALL	
Leave last blooms to self-seed and/or feed the birds come winter.	Missouri Evening Primrose