



BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE STAFF REPORT

ITEM NO. 4.4

DATE: March 11, 2026
TO: Chairperson and Members of the Beautification Committee
FROM: Marisa Gan, Management Analyst II
SUBJECT: Receive a presentation from Committee Member Weiss on the Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the Beautification Committee receive a presentation from Committee Member Weiss on the Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour.

DECISION TYPE

Administrative

SUMMARY

The Beautification Committee will receive a presentation from Committee Member Weiss on the Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour which showcases native plant gardens around Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

DISCUSSION

Committee Member Weiss will give a presentation for the Committee on the Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour. The free tour includes 60 native plant gardens around Alameda and Contra Costa counties including three in Livermore. The online tours will be on April 4th and April 5th and in-person tours will be held on May 2nd and May 3rd. The in-person tours will provide residents the opportunity to showcase their native plant gardens. Participants of the tours can learn how to select and care for California native plants, attract pollinators to your garden, garden without the use of pesticides, and reduce water use for gardens.

ATTACHMENTS

1. [2026 Bringing Back the Natives Tour Flier](#)

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