

Botanical Name: *Grevillea juniperina* 'Molonglo'

Common Name: Grevillea Molonglo

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SHRUB



Spring



Summer



Fall



Winter

Family: Proteaceae

Origin: Australia, open alpine slopes

Climate Zone: USDA 7-11, Sunset 6-9, 14-24

Mature Height: 2-3 feet

Mature Width: 6-8 feet

Plant Type: Evergreen

Growth Habit: Low, mounding, spreading

Growth Rate: Fast

Flower Color/Details: Apricot, clustered at tips of branches, tubular and curved, spider type

Flower Season: Late winter to summer, persisting into fall

Bark: Gray

Fruit: N/A

Foliage: Golden-green, needle-like, fragrant

Use: Low shrub, tall groundcover in rock gardens, sloping banks

Floral: Unknown

Wildlife/Beneficials: Nectar feeds hummingbirds, butterflies, and bees

Deer Resistant: Yes

Fire Resistant: Yes

Medicinal Uses/Edible: Unknown

Adverse Factors: Intolerant of alkaline soils and high-phosphorus fertilizers, leaves can cause skin rash, may self-sow, control by pruning

Soil: Adaptable, requires good drainage.

Exposure: Full sun, frost-tolerant

Water Requirements: Low, drought-tolerant

WUCOLS Water Needs: L L L L / M

UC Davis Arboretum All-Star: No

Description: Resembles low growing rosemary plants, dense and spreading. Shares space well with agaves and other large succulents. Stunning interplanted with *G. juniperina* 'Low Red'.

Maintenance: Water infrequently. Can be lightly pruned immediately after heaviest bloom, remove dead and crossing branches, and tip trim to retain shape. Do not fertilize. Don't mulch heavily, as a groundcover may suppress weeds.



#5 Nursery Container