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Xeriscaping in Colorado

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Introduction and Context

- Why Xeriscape now, where Colorado and the west is heading
- Other programs to promote water-wise landscaping
- The demand for environmental services from urban landscapes
- How each speaker will incorporate the fundamentals and principles of Xeriscape

Origin of Xeriscape plus Water-Wise Wildlife Gardening

- Combining two great gardening themes
- Combining wildlife with water-wise gardening makes gardening great by being something to do, not something to be done with

History and Resources

- The water archives at Colorado State University
- The history of Xeriscape in Colorado, in the archives

Water-wise Water Budgets and Tools

- The water budget approach to ensure water-wise landscapes.
- Revisiting the seven principles in the 21st century landscape.
- Water-wise, climate-wise, environmental services from urban landscapes

Designing to Align Planting Aesthetics with the Semi-Arid Climate

- The underlying values that prevent acceptance and development of alternative planting aesthetics
- Designing to align planting aesthetics with the semi-arid climate
- Examples of successful projects

Extension Resources for Water-wise Landscapes

- The continued need for urban landscape education for Colorado residents and the green industry
- The connection between water-wise design, landscape management and environmental quality
- Upcoming resources and certifications for the urban landscape

The Future of Urban Landscapes and Water

- The fast-changing policy world of western landscapes and water
- The continuing evolution of xeriscape into climate-friendly tools for every professional and practitioner

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Lori Catalano *Associate professor in the Department of Horticulture and Landscape Architecture at Colorado State University*

Deryn Davidson *Experienced Extension Agent*

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