## **Xeriscape Resources**

- Denver Water has a great source of material on Xeriscaping. Click on the following link to view their plans and ideas that mostly address the plant material. In your design you will need to also specify the stone and wood mulch as well as accent boulders.
  - o <a href="https://www.denverwater.org/residential/rebates-and-conservation-tips/remodel-your-yard/xeriscape-plans">https://www.denverwater.org/residential/rebates-and-conservation-tips/remodel-your-yard/xeriscape-plans</a>
- Pinterest has some great visual ideas. Keep in mind that you will need to specify all material. Also keep in mind appropriate plants for our climate.
  - o <a href="https://www.pinterest.com/mastergartener/parking-strips/">https://www.pinterest.com/mastergartener/parking-strips/</a>
- Denver Gardener has a good article on "Reimaging the Hell Strip". They also have an example of
  a hand drawn plan that would meet our needs with the addition of plant sizes and images of the
  proposed plants
  - o <a href="https://denvergardeners.wordpress.com/2018/07/03/reimaging-a-denver-hell-strip/">https://denvergardeners.wordpress.com/2018/07/03/reimaging-a-denver-hell-strip/</a>
- Demonstration Gardens There are several Drought Tolerant demonstration gardens in the area that are a great way to see mature plants to help in your selection.
  - o <a href="https://boulder.extension.colostate.edu/gardening-horticulture-native-plants-community-garden/demonstration-gardens-boulder-county-extension/">https://boulder.extension.colostate.edu/gardening-horticulture-native-plants-community-garden/demonstration-gardens-boulder-county-extension/</a>
  - o <a href="https://broomfield.extension.colostate.edu/local-programs/gardening-horticulture/demonstration-garden/">https://broomfield.extension.colostate.edu/local-programs/gardening-horticulture/demonstration-garden/</a>
  - o <a href="https://plantselect.org/welcome-sunshine-park-the-2nd-plant-select-hoa-demonstration-garden/">https://plantselect.org/welcome-sunshine-park-the-2nd-plant-select-hoa-demonstration-garden/</a>
  - o <a href="https://www.fcgov.com/utilities/residential/conserve/water-efficiency/xeriscape/demonstration-garden/">https://www.fcgov.com/utilities/residential/conserve/water-efficiency/xeriscape/demonstration-garden/</a>
- Plant List There are many sources of Drought Tolerant Plant list. Just be careful to look at appropriate plants for our location.
  - o <a href="https://plantselect.org/">https://plantselect.org/</a>
  - o https://extension.colostate.edu/docs/pubs/native/FrontRange.pdf
  - o <a href="https://extension.colostate.edu/topic-areas/yard-garden/xeriscaping-trees-and-shrubs-7-229/">https://extension.colostate.edu/topic-areas/yard-garden/xeriscaping-trees-and-shrubs-7-229/</a>
  - o https://www.lot-lines.com/the-20-best-xeriscape-plants-for-colorado/
- The following resources have some Xeriscape plans that may help in your design
  - o https://plantselect.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/xeriscape-design brochure-CFC.pdf