



# Call for Entries

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The annual Water-Wise Landscape Tour is open to all landscapes (residential or commercial) of Dallas Water Utilities customers. The Water-Wise Landscape Tour is co-sponsored by City of Dallas Water Utilities and the Dallas County Master Gardener Association, Inc.

- The tour will feature landscapes (back yard landscapes may be included at the discretion of the homeowner).
- All entrants must agree that their landscapes may be photographed for publicity and educational purposes.
- All winners must agree to be present to answer visitor questions from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on tour day.

## Judging Criteria

- **Design**  
Aesthetic appeal; composition; use of color and plant variety
- **Water Conservation**  
Efficient irrigation/water use; use of non-vegetative materials such as fences, walls, walks, etc.; use of native or adapted plants; reduced turf area; and use of mulches
- **Appropriate Maintenance**  
Landscape tidy - healthy, disease and pest free plants; no weeds; plants pruned as appropriate

### **Entry Deadline August 18, 2017.**

Entries will be judged in late August. The public tour of landscapes will be held **October 14, 2017.**

Questions? Call (214) 670-3155 or e-mail [tour@savedallaswater.com](mailto:tour@savedallaswater.com)



# Entry Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Category (check one):  Residential  Commercial/Industrial  Demonstration Garden (public)

*Please submit completed entry form and a minimum of 3 current photographs (including at least one overall view) of your landscape to the City of Dallas Water-Wise Landscape Tour, 1500 Marilla Street, Room 2AN, Dallas, TX 75201 by **August 18, 2017**. You can also fax the form and photographs to (214) 670-5244 or e-mail them to [tour@savedallaswater.com](mailto:tour@savedallaswater.com). Photographs will not be returned.*

Is your Water-Wise landscape located in the front yard and visible from the street?  Yes  No

How long has your Water-Wise landscape been installed? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the average charge for the water portion of your utility bill in the summer months? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dallas Water Utilities account number: \_\_\_\_\_

What type(s) of irrigation do you use in your landscape? (Check all that apply)

- Automatic irrigation system  Manual watering  Drip irrigation  Soaker hoses

What particular challenges were involved with your landscape (i.e., deep shade, reflective heat, slope, etc.) Any other comments you'd like to make (attach a separate sheet if necessary):

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How did you hear about the Water-Wise Landscape Tour? \_\_\_\_\_

### *If your landscape is chosen as a tour winner:*

By signing below, you agree to have your address published in the newspaper and on the SaveDallasWater.com website, to have a sign in your yard for one month indicating your landscape is a tour winner, and to be present to answer visitor questions from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on tour day, **October 14, 2017**.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_