

# Working with a business from the Backyard Habitat Arborist & Landscape Professionals Directory

# **Program Participants:**

Are you interested in working with a professional from our directory?

### Steps for working with a professional:

- Feel free to **invite** them to your site visit.
- Share with them the site report you receive after your visit.
- **Discuss** how they can help incorporate the 5 elements of the program into your project:



Noxious Weed Removal



Native Plants



Pesticide Reduction



Stormwater Management



Wildlife Stewardship

### If you're working towards certification, keep in mind:

- We're looking for **5% or more** of your outdoor space to have groupings of multiple native canopy layers where a majority of the plants are from the *Portland Plant List*.
- For the purposes of our program, **cultivars and hybrids are considered ornamental** (**non-native**) due to their unknown value to wildlife.
- If you have questions, feel free to reach out to us.





# Working with a Backyard Habitat Program Participant

# **Arborists & Landscape Professionals:**

Are you helping a client with their backyard habitat?

### Consider the following when working with a participant:

- **Offer** to join them for their site visit.
- **Ask** them to share their site report with you.
- **Discuss** how you can help incorporate the 5 elements of the program into their project:



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