



Localscapes Checklist:

1 - Central Open Shape

Localscapes begin with a Central Open Shape that is geometric in nature. The size and material used for this element can be unique to each landscape, but typically there will be a Central Open Shape in both the front and back yards.

Design Requirements:

- The Central Open Shape is unobstructed. Trees, posts, playsets, and other elements are not placed inside this area.
- The Central Open Shape cannot be lawn if it is on a slope with more than a 25% grade.

Additional Requirements if Lawn is used as a Central Open Shape:

- The Central Open Shape is irrigated separately. This is the only landscape element that can use overhead sprinklers. All other irrigated areas will use a drip system.
- The Central Open Shape is not more than 35 percent of the total landscaped area.
- The Central Open Shape is at least 8 feet wide at its narrowest point.

2 - Gathering Areas

Gathering Areas like patios, gazebos, or outdoor seating areas should be incorporated throughout the landscape and vary in shape and size.

Design Requirements:

- Gathering Areas are hardscaped. Surfacing materials may include concrete, brick pavers, stone, gravel, or crushed stone.
- Gathering Areas are not irrigated.

3 - Activity Zones

Activity Zones like children's play areas, fire pits, vegetable gardens, and hot tubs are designed to meet a homeowner's needs and interests.

Design Requirements:

- Activity Zones are not surfaced with lawn.
- Activity Zones are placed outside the Central Open Shape.

4 - Paths

Paths connect each of the previously designed elements.

Design Requirements:

- Paths are not lawn. Paths can be created using hardscape or organic mulch.
- Paths are not irrigated.

5 - Planting Beds

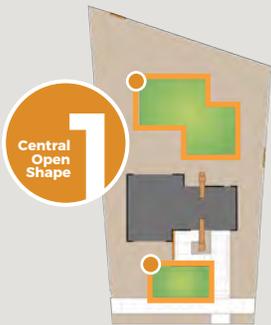
Remaining areas of the landscape become Planting Beds.

Design Requirements:

- Planting beds are drip irrigated. Drip systems should be equipped with a pressure regulator, filter, flush-end assembly and any other appropriate components.
- Planting beds are covered in 3-4" of mulch.

Park Strips Design Requirements:

- Lawn is not allowed in park strips. Park strips should be designed with hardscape, mulch, and other planting materials.



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Why should you follow these requirements?

Localscapes are designed to offer all sorts of benefits like reduced maintenance, simplified irrigation, high curb appeal—and of course, water efficiency. Following this checklist is the best way to ensure your landscaping project will deliver the benefits you expect. **If your project doesn't meet these requirements, it cannot receive a reward from Utahwatersavers.com.**



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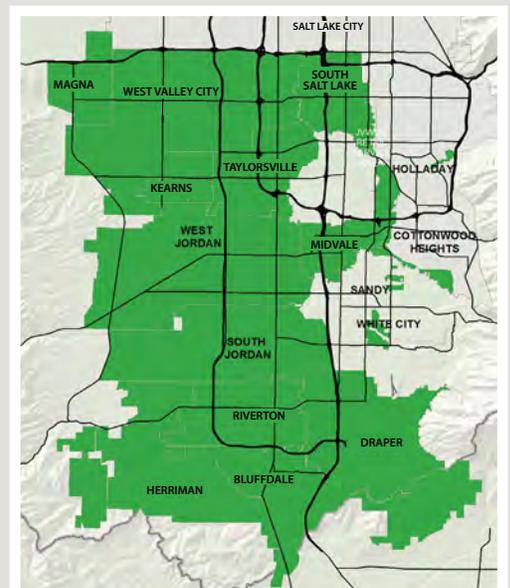
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