

HIRING PROFESSIONALS FOR THE BIG PROJECTS

When your project requires hiring a professional landscape architect, engineer, hydrologist, etc., it is important to make sure they are aware of biotechnical engineering methods. The following is a list to help you and the professional you hire use biotechnical methods to landscape your property and maintain and restore your creek.

BOOK AND VIDEOS

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Federal Interagency Stream Restoration Working, 1998. *Stream Corridor Restoration: Principles, Processes, and Practices*. To order call (707) 605-6000.

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ORGANIZATIONS

East Bay Conservation Corps

1021 Third Street
Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 981-3930

Urban Creeks Council

1250 Addison Street, #107C
Berkeley, CA 94702
(510) 540-6669

Waterways Restoration Institute

1250 Addison Street, #107
Berkeley, CA 94702
(510) 848-2211

EROSION CONTROL MATTING VENDORS

(priced by phone on 5/8/01)

Atco Construction

4025 Nelson Avenue, Concord, (925) 686-4430

straw and coconut matting with wire mesh, \$27-\$75 per 6.5'x83.5' roll

Ewing Irrigation and Industrial Products

2462 Polvorsa Avenue, San Leandro, (510) 357-9530

jute netting for \$60 per 220' x 4' roll

Home Depot

1933 Davis Street, San Leandro, (510) 636-9600

3838 Hollis Avenue, Emeryville, (510) 601-9400

soil erosion control jute for \$56 for 4' x 25' roll

CALIFORNIA NATIVE PLANT NURSERIES

(list from 1998)

Baylands Nursery

East Palo Alto (650) 323-1645

Berkeley Horticultural Nursery

Berkeley (510) 526-4704

Carman's Nursery

Los Gatos (408) 356-0119

Cornflower Farms

Elk Grove (916) 689-1015

Elkhorn Ranch Restoration Nursery

Moss Landing (408) 763-1207

Bay West Nursery

Santa Cruz (408) 476-8865

Las Pilitas Nursery

Santa Margarita (805) 438-5992

Native Here Nursery

Tilden Park (510) 549-0211

Native Revival Nursery

Aptos (408) 684-1811

Mostly Natives

Tomales (707) 878-2009

Pacific Coast Seed

Livermore (925) 373-4417

Redwood Nursery

Santa Cruz (408) 438-2844

Soquel Nursery Growers

Soquel (408) 475-3533

Sunset Coast Nursery

Watsonville (408) 726-1672

Yerba Buena Nursery

Woodside (650) 851-1668