

Colorado State University Extension  
**NATIVE PLANT MASTER™ APPLICATION**  
**JEFFERSON AND GILPIN COUNTY**

Applications are due to Jefferson County Extension by March 15. Email your application to [plthomas@jeffco.us](mailto:plthomas@jeffco.us), FAX to 303-271-6644, or mail to: 15200 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite C, Golden, CO 80401. PLEASE DO NOT SEND PAYMENT WITH YOUR APPLICATION. If accepted, you will receive confirmation by April 1 including a total for fees that will be due by April 15. Questions? Visit [www.conativeplantmaster.org](http://www.conativeplantmaster.org) or call 303-271-6620.

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Please PRINT to ensure you receive course acceptance materials.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

E-mail address (required): \_\_\_\_\_ County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile/Pager: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you at least 21 years old? \_\_\_\_\_

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Please check the program for which you are applying:

- Take Course(s). Go to page 2 and complete Sections B and C.**  
Anyone may take *Native Plant Master Courses*, pending course availability. There is no teaching requirement.
- Native Plant Master Volunteer. Complete all sections below.** Volunteer openings are limited and selection is based on demonstrated ability to educate others. Accepted volunteers who educate others and report educational contacts pay a reduced fee (see pg. 2). If contacts are not made by November 15, registrants are billed for the fee difference.

To become a *Certified Native Plant Master*, one must:

1. Complete three Native Plant Master courses in this or future years including passing field exams.
2. Teach at least 20 people about Colorado plants per course (60 people for 3 courses) and report on number of public educational contacts made by November 15.

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**SECTION A:** (Native Plant Master Volunteer Applicants Only. All others go to Page 2.)

Natural Resource Agency You Work or Volunteer For: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Are you an employee or a volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

May we contact your supervisor to verify your involvement with this agency? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If yes, who may we contact?

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name Phone

In your current job or volunteer role, how many people did you educate in public programs last year?

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Would be interested in becoming a trainer to teach Native Plant Master courses in future years?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Sure \_\_\_\_\_

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(Please See Page 2)

**SEC. B:** (All Applicants) - Check below courses for which you are applying.

2010 Course Dates	Location	Times	Requires Prior NPM Course	Fee*	Check Here To Apply	Dates You May Need to Miss
<b>NPM Credit Courses – Open to all:</b> (Count towards NPM volunteer certification)						
May 5, 12, 19 (Wed)	South Valley Park	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
May 6, 13, 20 (Thur)	South Valley Park	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
May 7, 14, 21 (Fri)	Deer Creek Canyon Park	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
May 8, 15, 22 (Sat)	Mt Falcon Park	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
June 8, 15, 22 (Tue)	Saddle Rock Golf Course, Aurora	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
June 12 & 13 (Sat. & Sun.)	Lair o’ the Bear Park	6/12 8:30 – 4:30 6/13: 8:30 – 12:30		\$90		
July 9, 16, 23 (Fri)	Golden Gate Canyon State Park**	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
July 10, 17, 24 (Sat)	Reynolds Park (Jeffco Open Space)	8:30 am – 12:30 pm		\$90		
Sept. 7, 14, 21 (Tue)	Saddle Rock Golf Course, Aurora (focus on grasses and composites)	8:30 am – 12:30 pm	YES	\$90		
<b>Special Classes – Open to all:</b> (Do not count toward NPM volunteer certification.)						
April 19 (Mon)	Basic Botany Classroom Class***	6:00 – 9:00 pm		\$20		
April 20 (Tue)	Basic Botany Classroom Class***	6:00 – 9:00 pm		\$20		
June 24 (Thur)	Subalpine/Alpine Field Seminar, Mt. Evans	9:00 am – 4:00 pm		\$45		
June 26 (Sat)	Subalpine/Alpine Field Seminar, Mt Evans	9:00 am – 4:00 pm		\$45		
Aug 19 & 20 (Thur & Fri)	Weed Master Classroom Seminar	9:00 am – 4:00 pm		\$90		
Sep 9 & 10 (Thur & Fri)	Grasses Field & Classroom Seminar	9:00 am – 4:00 pm	YES	\$90		

\* Accepted volunteers who educate others and report contacts pay \$60 per \$90 course, \$15 per \$20 class and \$30 per \$45 class.

\*\*Requires your own daily or annual State Parks pass. Carpooling is encouraged.

\*\*\*Basic Botany is optional but recommended for those taking NPM credit courses for first time or those wishing a refresher class.

**SECTION C:** (All Applicants)

**If accepted for one or more Native Plant Master courses, I agree to:**

- Pay all fees and submit health and waiver forms by April 15. (Please do not send payment now.)
- Adhere to all Native Plant Master Program guidelines, including refund policies (full refund of amount owed less \$15 processing fee with 30 day prior notice; 50% refund of amount owed with 14 days prior notice; no refund with less than 14 day prior notice.)
- I, (*print name*) \_\_\_\_\_, hereby grant permission to Colorado State University Extension, its employees or representatives, to take and use: photographs/digital images, videotape, audio recording or quoted remarks and educational or other PowerPoint or presentation materials of me or prepared by me for use in promotional or educational materials. These materials might include printed or electronic publications, Web sites or other electronic communications. I further agree that my name and identity may be revealed in descriptive text or commentary in connection with the image(s). I authorize the use of these materials indefinitely without compensation to me. All negatives, positives, prints, digital reproductions and video and audio recordings shall be the property of Colorado State University Extension. I agree that the media \_\_\_\_ may \_\_\_\_ may not contact me to speak with me regarding my involvement in CSU Extension activities.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

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(Date)

**Please check all that apply so we can demonstrate we are serving diverse audiences. Responses are anonymous & confidential.**

- Gender**       Male                       Female
- Race/Ethnicity**     White, Non-Hispanic     Black                       Hispanic Origin  
 American Indian       Asian                       Multi-Race