

# The Smith-Mossman Display Garden

## Mission And Guideline Statement

Effective Date:	January, 2001
Approved by LWAF Board on:	January, 2001
Applicability:	Property Management
Manager of Responsibility:	PMD Committee Chairperson

### Mission

The Smith-Mossman Western Azalea Collection shall preserve a living record of the genetic diversity of *Rhododendron occidentale* as found in the wild.

This garden shall display a collection of some of the horticultural work of Dr. Frank Mossman & Mr. Britt Smith. It shall be designed to capture the ambiance of the biological community of the Western Azalea in the wild, complemented with appropriate companion plants.

### Guidelines

Companion plants will be selected based on relevance to northwestern biosystems and/or ethnobotany. Evergreens will be incorporated where they do not conflict with the best interests and ambiance of the Western Azaleas.

The hardscape of the Smith-Mossman garden shall complement its natural setting. Pathways will allow access within all parts of the Smith-Mossman garden and tie the garden together with the Lake Wilderness Lodge and other portions of the Arboretum.

### Change Log:

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