

# Welcome to Vacaville's Demonstration Meadow

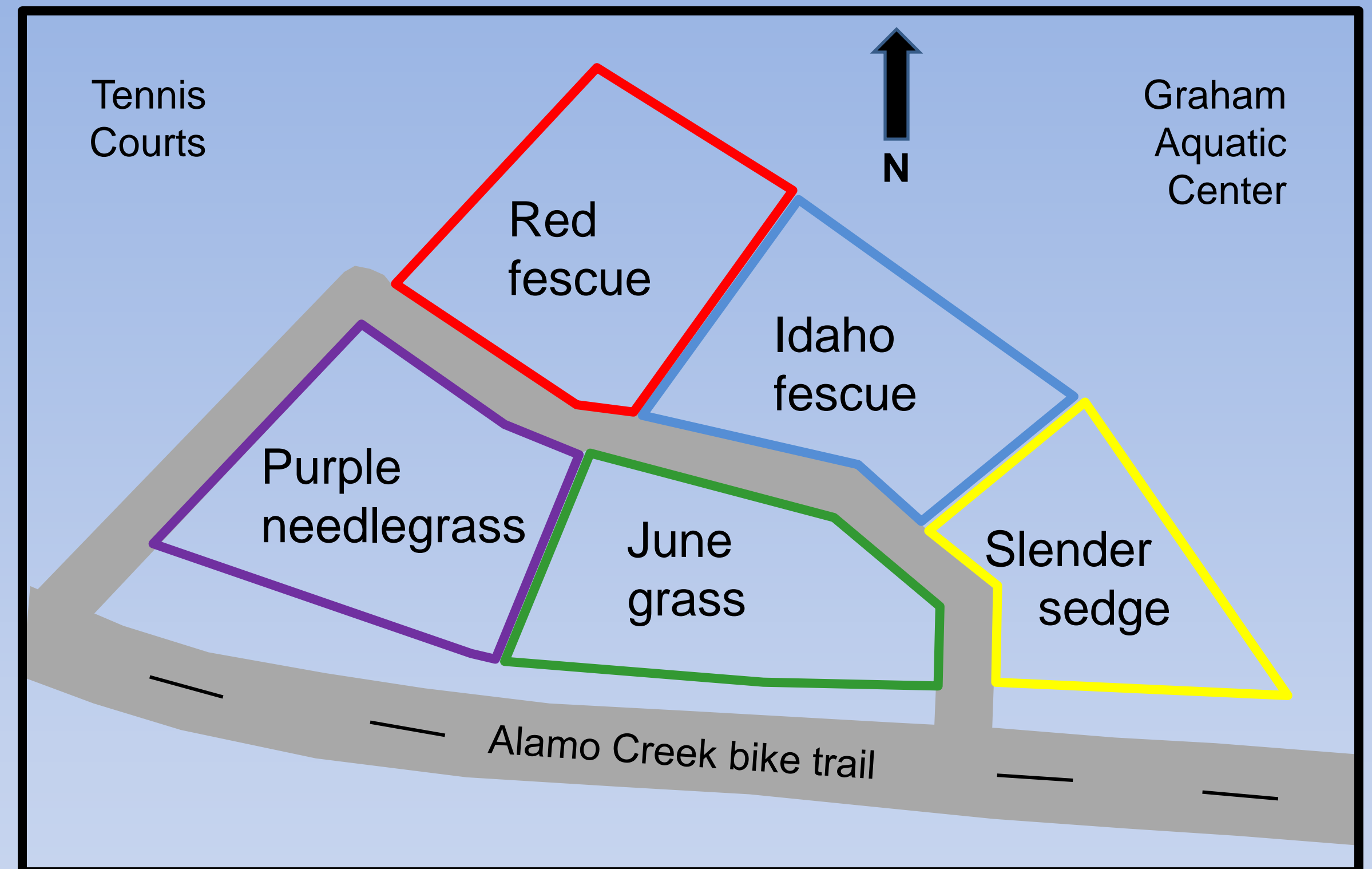
The grass and sedge species featured here are native to California and thrive in our dry climate. Once established, they only need to be irrigated two or three times a month. Replacing a traditional turf lawn with one (or more) of these California natives will greatly reduce landscape water use and will help create a drought-tolerant, wildlife-friendly yard.

## Featured species:

- Red fescue (*Festuca rubra*)
- Idaho fescue (*Festuca idahoensis*)
- Slender sedge (*Carex praegracilis*)
- June grass (*Koeleria macrantha*)
- Purple needlegrass (*Stipa pulchra*)

For more information on these and other native grass and sedge meadow species as well as information on how to plant them, please visit:

<http://solanorcd.org/demomeadow>



Location of the native grass and sedge species within the Three Oaks Demonstration Meadow



This meadow was created by the City of Vacaville and Solano Resource Conservation District, and funded by the California Natural Resources Agency with an Urban Greening grant and Proposition 84 bond funds. Another garden featuring drought tolerant native trees and shrubs is located along Southside bike trail in Irene Larson Park.