



**Scientific name:** *Engelmannia pinnatifida*, *E. peristenia*

**Common name(s):** Engelmann's Daisy, Cutleaf Daisy

**Family:** Asteraceae (Sunflower)

**Native:** CO, Southern Great Plains, Southwest

**Habitat:** Prairie, roadsides

With a deep taproot, Engelmann's Daisy thrives in hot, dry gardens. Combine with Blanket Flower (*Gaillardia aristata*), Plains Coreopsis, (*Coreopsis tinctoria*), Beardtongue (*Penstemon sp.*), Dotted Blazing Star (*Liatris punctata*), Sage (*Artemisia sp.*), Grama Grasses (*Bouteloua sp.*), Yucca and Red Yucca (*Yucca sp.*, *Hesperaloe parviflora*), Cholla (*Cylindropuntia sp.*) and Prickly Pear Cactus (*Opuntia sp.*). Leave seed heads standing to provide winter forage for birds; cut to the ground in spring.

**Plant type:** Perennial (may reseed)

**Elevation:** Native range to 6200', cultivated to 7500'

**USDA Hardiness Zone:** 5

**Exposure:** Full sun, part sun

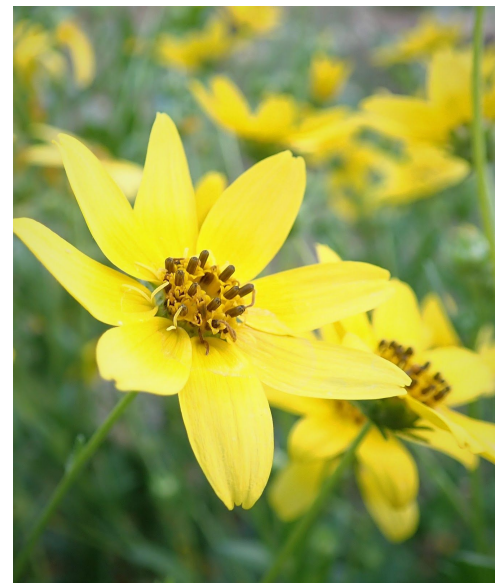
**Soil:** Clay, loam, sandy; prefers unamended, poor soil and inorganic mulch

**Moisture:** Moderate, low, dry xeric

**Flower color:** Bright yellow

**Bloom time:** Mid spring to early fall (hard frost)

**Mature size (height x width):** 18-28" x 14-24"



**Propagation:** Sow in situ in early fall. Press lightly into the soil. The seeds require light to germinate.



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