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As we head into more drastic climate change, it is imperative to continue to catalog our plants and identify those that are native and best suited to our changing environments. Specifically the Oregon Flora project is a critical resource for identifying native plants that can thrive and hold soil while being water wise in all the varied ecosystems in Oregon. Identifying and explaining these plants to our public with a central location for accurate information is critical for residents, landscapers, farmers, educators and policy makers all over Oregon.