

Dear Friends of the Enchanted Forest,

Dr. Teresa Cooper is currently conducting research in the Forest for the species *Tillandsia utriculata*. Some simple items are on the wish list to facilitate the continuing research. Please search your households for any of these items that you may wish to donate. We are in the Forest on Wednesday mornings and can collect items then. Everything that we do to help in the study of this endangered plant will help! Many of us remember walking through the Forest and gazing up at this species which we often called Giant Wild Pine.

- a.) Clean canvas or cloth bags, grocery size for use in each garden
- b.) Burlap material for plant box bottoms and tree straps, any size can be cut to purpose
- c.) Sisal rope, for use in hanging plant boxes
- d.) Cotton rope, clothesline style for use in hanging trap boxes
- e.) Pineapple tops (for traps)
- f.) Natural wood (not pressure treated or chemically treated) 4" x 1/2" x 12" pieces to construct plant boxes and pineapple top (trap) boxes
- g.) Hardware cloth for pineapple top (trap) boxes

Delivery on Wednesdays mornings will help getting the materials into processing quickly.
Thank you very much!

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