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Purpose or Primary Use of the Planting	Recommended Mix* (see Table 2.2)														
	1	2	3	4	5	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Reduce sheet, rill, and wind erosion (provide perennial cover)	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	٠	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	٠	٠	٠
Improve surface water quality (by nutrient uptake and reduced sedimentation)	~	~	~	~	~	٠	~	~	~	~	~	~	•	•	•
Improve groundwater quality (by nutrient uptake)	~	✓													
Reduce dust (provide vegetated travel lanes for light to moderate use in perennial crop systems, such as orchards and vineyards)							•	٠		٠					
Enhance wildlife, pollinator, and beneficial organism habitat (provide diverse mixes of grasses and forbs)			٠	٠	٠	~	٠	٠	٠	٠		٠	~	~	~
Improve soil health (provide high volumes of organic matter)	~	✓	٠	٠	✓	٠	٠	٠	٠	٠		٠	•	•	٠
Firebreak (cool-season grass strips adjacent to flammable vegetation, such as warm-season grasses, woodland, etc.)							~	~	~	~	~				
Paths/Walkways (low-growing, low-maintenance grasses for light to moderate use)										~					
Companion planting (low-growing, non-competitive grasses to control erosion in conjunction with tree/shrub plantings)										~					

TABLE 2.1 NOTES:

- ✓ Recommended mix for this purpose.
- ◆ Alternative mix, depending on site conditions and preferences of the client.
- * Mixes 6 & 7 (Reserved) are omitted from this table.