

# TAKE ONE



# Palms of East Texas

## DID YOU KNOW:

There are over 2,000 species of palm trees!

Use them around a pool to provide a tropical atmosphere

Unlike woody trees & shrubs, palms are best planted in spring and summer because palms need the warm weather and soil to quickly establish and develop a good root system.



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### Windmill Palm



### Texas Sabal Palm



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The **Windmill Palm** can grow up to 30 feet. However, it's more commonly found at heights of 10 to 20 feet, so it's well-suited as an accent piece framing your deck, pool or driveway. Hardy down to 5 degrees so no need to cover during the winter.

The **Texas Sabal** is native to Texas and, although they are slow growers, they can eventually reach up to 50 feet tall and spread 25 feet across (at the top). They are hardy down to 10 degrees so no need to cover in the winter.

**NOTE:** Do NOT fertilize with anything other than root stimulator for the first year. After that, you can use a food specialized for palms.

### Sago Palm



Although it's not truly a palm, the **Sago** is a wonderful plant that adds a tropical look to any space! During tough winters they can lose their fronds but they'll return the following summer.

### Pindo Palm

The **Pindo Palm** is slow growing to 20 feet tall and wide (at the top). Also produces an edible fruit. Hardy down to 10 degrees so no need to cover.

