**AVAILABILITY DEFINITIONS**

**Buds/Blooms:** Plants are full in the pot, of seasonally appropriate height, have a good root system, and have nice foliage with buds and blooms.

**Budded:** Plants fit above description without blooms. Buds are not expected to open for at least another week.

**Retail Ready:** Plants are full in the pot, of seasonally appropriate height, and have a good root system with nice foliage.

**Ready Nice:** Plants are rooted, have nice foliage, but do not fill the pot yet.

**Ready Small:** Plants are rooted with a top that is seasonally short or only fills 1/3 to 1/2 of the pot.

**Ready Emerging:** Plants are coming out of dormancy, rooted and ready to plant with foliage just beginning to emerge above the soil surface.

**Just Breaking:** Plants are coming out of dormancy, rooted and ready to plant with old woody growth above soil surface that will leaf out from the old wood.

**Leafing Out:** Following “Just Breaking”, leaves are flushing out from old wood.

**LS Ready:** Plants are rooted and ready to plant in the landscape. Foliage is not ‘Retail Ready’ and may be flushing out from being cut back or have older seasonally appropriate foliage.

**Dormant:** Plants are rooted and ready to plant but showing no signs of life either above the soil surface or on old woody growth.

**Ready Soon:** Plants will probably be ready in about a week to 10 days. Top growth may only fill ½ the pot and the root system is still developing.

**2-3 wks, 3-4wks, etc.:** An estimate of how many weeks until plants are rooted and ready to plant.

**Newly Potted:** Plants are recently potted and/or have not started developing a root system.

**Cut Back:** Plants are rooted and ready to plant. The foliage has been cut back, either for over-wintering or to improve the overall shape and attractiveness.

**Trimmed:** Less than the upper third of foliage height has been cut.