Weed Alert!
Tamarisks

Tamarisk (*Tamarix ramosissima*)

Smallflower tamarisk (*T. parviflora*)

Athel tamarisk (*T. aphylla*)

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(*T. aphylla; T. parviflora; T. ramosissima*)

**Mature Size**  Tree

**Description**
- Large perennial shrubs or trees
- Tiny flowers with white or pink petals
- Small scale-like leaves
- Ground underneath plants sometimes white-salty
- Reproduces by seed and sometimes from root sprouts and stem fragments; resprout vigorously when damaged
- Spread by wind, waterways, horticulture
- Native to Asia

**Bloom Period**  Apr - Nov

**Habitat**  Dunes, scrub, wetlands, rivers, desert washes

**2-Minute Removal**  Dig

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