



Facts about your Kulu'i Tree:

- ☀️ Kulu'i (*Nototrichium humile*) is an endangered tree that is endemic to Hawaii.
- ☀️ Kulu'i can grow up to 15 ft tall and up to 20 ft wide.
- ☀️ Great for use in landscaping as a hedgerow.
- ☀️ Natural habitats include dry forests on cliff faces, in gulches, and on steep slopes at elevations from 900 to 2,300 feet.
- ☀️ Kulu'i trees belong to the Amaranth family, and they produce flowers. Flowers and seeds have been traditionally used for lei making.

Instructions for keeping your tree happy this holiday:

- ☀️ Place the tree where it will receive the most direct sunlight available.
- ☀️ DO NOT EVER water this tree with your Christmas lights plugged in.
- ☀️ You must water the tree every day. The tree will let you know if it's thirsty – the leaves will wilt when it needs water. Please pay attention to your tree.
- ☀️ Move the tree outside from time to time if more sunlight is needed.
- ☀️ To avoid tipping over, we recommend putting tree into a large stable pot or 5-gallon bucket.

ALSO: please send us a photo of your decorated tree for inclusion in our website's community tree gallery! (via email, to proudtobuylocal@gmail.com)

Planting Instructions:

- ☀️ Plant tree in full sun and well-drained soil.
- ☀️ Avoid planting where there is direct salt spray from the ocean.
- ☀️ Stake tree in the ground initially if needed for stability.
- ☀️ This tree is federally listed as an ENDANGERED SPECIES. You must grow and care for it in your yard – do not plant it in the wild.

Planting assistance is available, please e-mail Joe at proudtobuylocal@gmail.com or visit our website www.permaculturegroup.com