

# Jambalaya Fountain Grass



**Low maintenance,  
deer resistant, and  
drought tolerant!**



## *Pennisetum alopecuroides* 'Jambalaya'

- **Use:** Another of the new sterile hybrids from the University of Georgia breeding program. *Pennisetum* 'Jambalaya' forms a 3' tall x 4' wide clump of upright, arching stalks, topped, starting with plumes that emerge violet pink, and age to silver.
- **Exposure/Soil:** Full sun– part sun. Drought tolerant once established. Needs at least 4 hours afternoon sun.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower mounding to 4-5(in plume) feet tall, 5 feet wide.
- **Hardiness:** Zone 5a-9, Perennial
- **Foliage:** Deciduous. Cut back grass to 1' tall in February to allow new growth to flush nicely.
- **Flower:** Silvery pink foxtail plumes rise over graceful arching mounds. An infertile variety that flowers spring to fall and will not reseed. Because flowering starts later than most other fountain grass cultivars, the season of interest continues well into the fall. Dried plumes add architectural interest to your winter garden as well.