ECOLOGICAL DESIGN...“Sculpting with the Environment” is a collection of outdoor sculptures by 35 internationally acclaimed artists, edited by Baile Oakes. With more than 90 separate works and more than 200 photographs, this is the most comprehensive and definitive work to date on ecological art and design. Great for anyone who designs public spaces or persons concerned with environmental issues. Cost is $59.95, available from Van Nostrand Reinhold publishers, (212) 254-3232.

IRRIGATION TEXTBOOK...The Society for Engineering in Agricultural, Food and Biological Systems has published “Landscape Irrigation Design” by Eugene Rochester, an engineer and 25-year member of the Auburn University faculty. This is the 8th of a series of textbooks published by the ASAE. Rochester says the 220-page book is also ideal for independent learning. ASAE can buy the book for $32 but non-members must pay $38. Contact: ASAE, 2950 Niles Road, St. Joseph, MI 49085-9639, (616) 429-0300.

MORE WILDFLOWERS...Applewood Seed Company’s 1995 “Wildflower Seeds” catalog includes 7 new species of wildflowers, including 3 U.S. natives and 1 new native grass. The catalog features 130 wildflower species and 18 regional and special-use mixtures. To receive the catalog: Applewood Seed, 5380 Vivian St., Arvada, CO 80002, (303) 431-7333.

MICHIGAN DIRECTORY...The 1995 “Membership Directory and Advertisers Buyers Guide” for the Michigan Nursery and Landscape Association includes contacts and phone numbers for over 750 member companies. MSU’s hort department, county cooperative extension offices, and state regulators. Non-members pay $40; members’ first copy is free. Michigan Nursery and Landscape Association, 819 N. Washington Ave., Ste. 2, Lansing, MI 48906.

ROOTS BACK ON TV...The International Society of Arboriculture says its new ISA book “The Landscape Below Ground” is also available as a set of two videos. Both the books and the videos originated from the international workshop on tree root development in urban soils. Each of the videos is about 30 minutes long. Cost to members for the pair of videos is $50, to non-members $60, ISA, P.O. Box GG, Savoy, IL 61874. (217) 355-9516.

GREEN INDUSTRY EVENTS

JULY
25-27: Freshwater Wetland Construction Techniques Short Course, Cook College Campus, New Brunswick, NJ. Phone: (908) 932-8443.
31: ITI/GCSA Benefit Golf Tournament, Fort Dodge Country Club, Fort Dodge, Iowa. Phone: 1-800-605-0420.
26-29: AAN/MNLA Nursery & Landscape Convention & Trade Show, Minneapolis. Phone: AAN at (202) 789-2900 or MNLA at (612) 633-4987.
27-31: APLD “Minnesota Northem Lites” Summer Conference, Minneapolis. Phone: APLD (312) 201-0101.
30-Aug. 5: Perennial Plant Symposium, Minneapolis. Phone: Perennial Plant Association (612) 771-8431.

AUGUST
3: NTEP Turfgrass Research Field Day, Beltsville, Md. Phone: (301) 504-5125.
3-5: Turf Diagnostic Course, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY. Phone: (607) 255-1792.
8-Sept. 14: Trees for Landscape Use course, meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, UCLA, Los Angeles. Phone: (310) 825-7093.
8: Golf Course Construction & Design Seminar, SUNY Delhi, Delhi, NY. Phone: NYSTA (800) 873-TURF.
8: Associated Green Industries Field Day, Mackenzie Nursery Supply, Perry, Ohio. Phone: (216) 428-4108.
10: Wisconsin Nursery Association Summer Field Day & Trade Show, West Madison. Phone: (414) 529-4705.
13-16: International Society of Arboriculture Conference, Hilton Head Island, SC. Phone: (217) 355-9411.
16-18: Field Diagnosis of Insects & Diseases on Trees & Shrubs, Cornell U., Ithaca, NY. Phone: (518) 783-1322.
18: Ohio Turfgrass Foundation Field Day, Phone: (614) 261-6750.
25-27: San Francisco County Fair Flower Show, Golden Gate Park. Phone: (415) 507-0142.
30-Sept. 1: Pacific Hort Expo and CAN Convention, San Diego Convention Center. Phone: (916) 567-02003.

SEPTEMBER
10: “Festival of Color,” Anderson Research Facility, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln. Phone: (402) 472-2584.