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| Native Plants |
| **Swamp Milkweed**  | Asclepias incarnataUpright with slender leaves; in summer plants are topped by rounded flower clusters **Suggested uses**: Naturalize, Rain Garden**Attracts**: Butterflies, Hummingbirds | **Height:** 4-5 feet **Spread:** 2-3 feet**Bloom time:** July to August**Sun:** Full sun**Water:** Medium to wet**Tolerates:** Deer, wet soil***Monarch caterpillars*** ***feed on them!*** |
| **White Wood Aster** | *Eurybia divaricatus*Keystone species; low mounding perennial with oval leaves; late summer blooms with white daisies **Suggested uses:** Groundcover, Border, Shade Garden**Attracts**: Butterflies | **Height:** 2-3 feet **Spread:** 3-4 feet**Bloom time:** September to November**Sun:** Partial to full shade **Water:** Moist to dry**Tolerates:** Deer, rabbits  |
| **Purple Coneflower** | *Echinacea purpurea*Sturdy, upright plant with showy, daisy-like, purple flowers**Suggested uses**: Wildlife Garden, Cut Flower Garden**Attracts**: Butterflies, Goldfinches | **Height:** 2-5 feet **Spread:** 2 feet**Bloom time:** June to August**Sun:** Full sun to partial shade **Water:** Moist to dry**Tolerates:** Deer, drought, clay soil |
| **Black-eyed Susan**  | *Rudbeckia fulgida*Keystone species; resilient wildflower with shiny deep green foliage, golden flowers with brown cones **Suggested uses**: Naturalizing, Wildlife Garden, Cut Flower Garden**Attracts**: Pollinators, Butterflies, Songbirds | **Height:** 2-3 feet**Spread:** 1-2 feet**Bloom time:** July to September**Sun:** Full sun to partial shade**Water:** Moist to dry**Tolerates:** Deer, drought***Maryland’s state flower!*** |

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| **Wrinkle-leaf Goldenrod** | *Solidago rugosa Fireworks*Keystone species; mounding, clumping perennial with bright yellow flower sprays in late summer**Suggested uses**: Wildlife Garden, Rain Garden, Perennial Borders **Attracts**: Bees, Butterflies, Birds | **Height:** 3-4 feet**Spread:** 2-3 feet**Bloom time:** September to October**Sun:** Full sun **Water:** Moist **Tolerates:** Deer, drought, clay soil |
| **Sneezeweed**  | *Helenium Autumnale 'Helena Gold'*Upright clumping perennial with bright green leaves and golden daisy-like flowers **Suggested uses**: Wildlife Garden, Rain Garden**Attracts**: Bees, Butterflies | **Height:** 3-4 feet**Spread:** 1.5 to 3 feet**Bloom time:** July to September**Sun:** Full sun to partial shade **Water:** Moist to wet**Tolerates:** Deer, clay soil |
| **Narrowleaf Evening Primrose**  | *Oenothera fruticosa ‘Fireworks’*Deep bronze foliage, red stems and buds with canary yellow blooms in late Spring and early Summer**Suggested uses**: Perennial Border, Sunny slope, Rock Garden**Attracts**: Pollinators, Butterflies | **Height:** 12-18 inches**Spread:** 1-2 feet**Bloom time:** May to June**Sun:** Full sun to partial shade**Water:** Moist to dry**Tolerates:** Deer, drought |
| **False Sunflower****(Ox-eye Sunflower)** | *Heliopsis helianthoides*Keystone species; upright clumping perennial wildflower with clusters of yellow 2-3” daisies**Suggested uses**: Naturalizing, Wildlife Garden, Cut flower Garden**Attracts**: Pollinators, Butterflies, Songbirds | **Height:** 3-5 feet**Spread:** 2-4 feet**Bloom time:** June to August**Sun:** Full sun **Water:** Moist to dry**Tolerates:** Deer, drought, dry soil, shallow rocky soil |