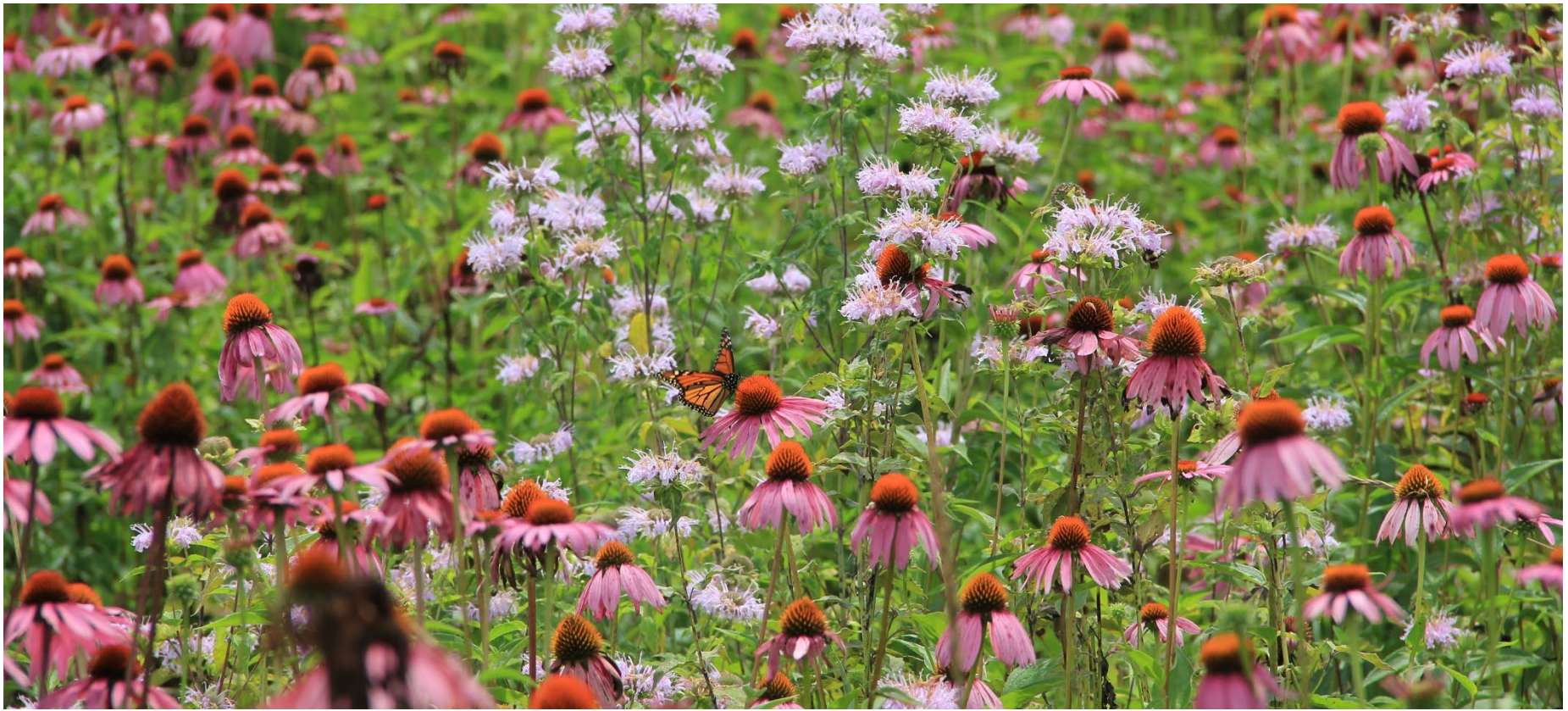




2021 Native Plant Sale



Plant Photos & Descriptions



Flowers

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Columbine

Aquilegia canadensis

Communities: Dry Woods, Dry Savanna

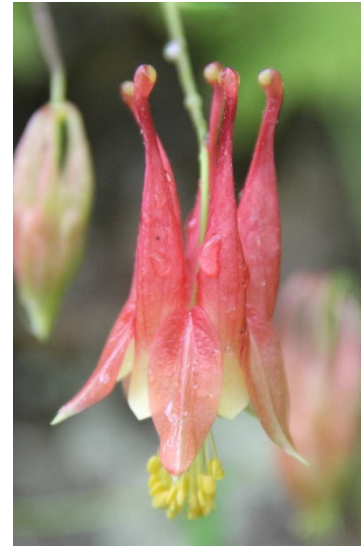
Sun: part shade to shade

Height: 2-3 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: May – June

Notes: Performs best in partial shade in well-drained soils. Provides early season nectar source for hummingbirds and other pollinators. Excellent for woodland gardens. Spreads by self-seeding. Host plant for the Columbine Duskywing butterfly.



Marsh Milkweed

Asclepias incarnata

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow,
Wet Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3-4 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Thrives in wet areas, but will also grow in moist garden soil. Fragrant flowers attract pollinators, and is a host plant for Monarch butterfly caterpillars. Also known as Swamp or Rose Milkweed.





Sullivant's Milkweed

Asclepias sullivantii

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3 – 4 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Also called Prairie Milkweed. Similar look to Common Milkweed, but less aggressive. Deep taproot makes it drought tolerant. Host plant for Monarch butterfly.



Blue False Indigo

Baptisia australis

Communities: Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: blue

Flower Season: May - June

Notes: Spikes of beautiful blue flowers appear above blue-green foliage. Later in the season, large dark seed pods make an interesting addition to dried arrangements. Mature plants are shrub-like, reaching 3 - 4 foot high with an equal spread.



White Turtlehead

Chelone glabra

Communities: Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

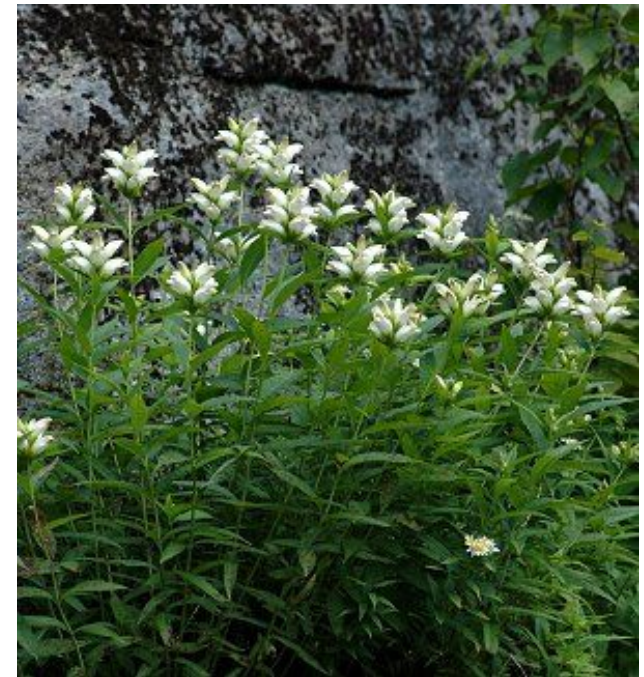
Sun: part shade

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: white (sometimes pink tinged on ends)

Flower Season: August - September

Notes: Prefers moist conditions with rich soils. Can pinch back stems in spring to keep plant shorter. Larval host of the Baltimore Checkerspot butterfly and pollinated by bumblebees.



Purple Coneflower

Echinacea purpurea

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna, Dry Woods, Bioretention

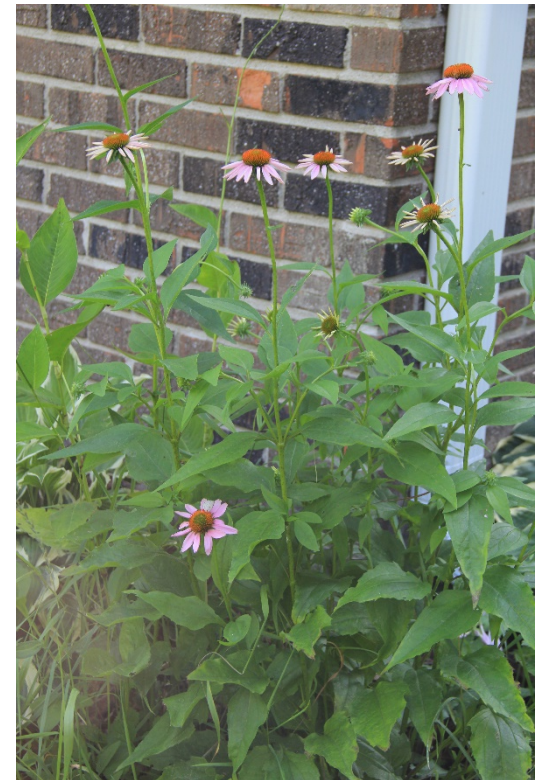
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Height: 3 - 4 ft.

Color: pink/purple

Flower Season: June - Aug

Notes: Tolerant of many site conditions. Does well as a cut flower. Attracts pollinators. Eastern Goldfinches eat seeds.



Queen of the Prairie

Filipendula rubra

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow

Sun: part shade to sun

Height: 4 – 7 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: June - July

Notes: Showy pink blooms atop unusual foliage. Fragrant flowers. Not drought tolerant. Requires moist to wet soils.



Wild Geranium

Geranium maculatum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 1 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: April – May

Notes: Mounded form. Spreads by rhizomes.
Excellent for woodland gardens.



Swamp Rose Mallow

Hibiscus moscheutos

Communities: Sedge Meadow

Sun: sun

Height: 3 - 6 ft.

Color: white/pink

Flower Season: July – September

Notes: Large showy flowers. Does well in moist garden soil to standing water. Visited by Ruby-Throated Hummingbirds and other pollinators.



Blue Flag Iris

Iris virginica shrevei

Communities: Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 2 - 3 ft.

Color: Blue

Flower Season: May - Jun

Notes: Prefers slightly acidic soil. Fragrant flowers. Grows best in moist soil.



Dense Blazing Star

Liatris spicata

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Wet Mesic Prairie, Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun

Height: 3 - 5 ft.

Color: Purple

Flower Season: July- August

Notes: Attracts pollinators. Does well as a cut flower in arrangements.



Cardinal Flower

Lobelia cardinalis



Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow, Wet Woods

Sun: sun to shade

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: August - September

Notes: Attracts hummingbirds and other pollinators. Requires moist soil.



Great Blue Lobelia

Lobelia siphilitica

Communities: Wet Woods, Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun to shade

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Color: blue

Flower Season: August - September

Notes: Requires moist soil. Attracts pollinators.



Bergamot

Monarda fistulosa

Communities: Mesic Prairie

Sun: part shade to sun

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: lavender

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Also known as Beebalm. Very attractive to a variety of pollinators.



Prairie Sundrops

Oenothera pilosella

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 1 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: June – July

Notes: Develops quickly in spring and flowers readily. Becomes dormant later in year. Can spread aggressively, but shallow-rooted.



Foxglove Beardtongue

Penstemon digitalis

Communities: Bioretention, Mesic Prairie, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun to part shade

Height: 1 - 2 ft.

Color: white

Flower Season: June

Notes: Tolerates drought conditions and clay soils. Flowers are long-lasting. Tolerant of clay soils. Visited by hummingbirds and bees.



Yellow Coneflower

Ratibida pinnata

Communities: Bioretention, Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3-5 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Also called Gray-headed Coneflower or Drooping Coneflower. Centers begin as a light gray-green then turn dark brown. Aromatic seeds smell like anise. A variety of bees utilize this plant, as well as caterpillars for the Silver Checkerspot butterfly. Long blooming period and tendency to sway in the breeze.



Showy Black-Eyed Susan

Rudbeckia fulgida speciosa

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow,
Wet Mesic Prairie

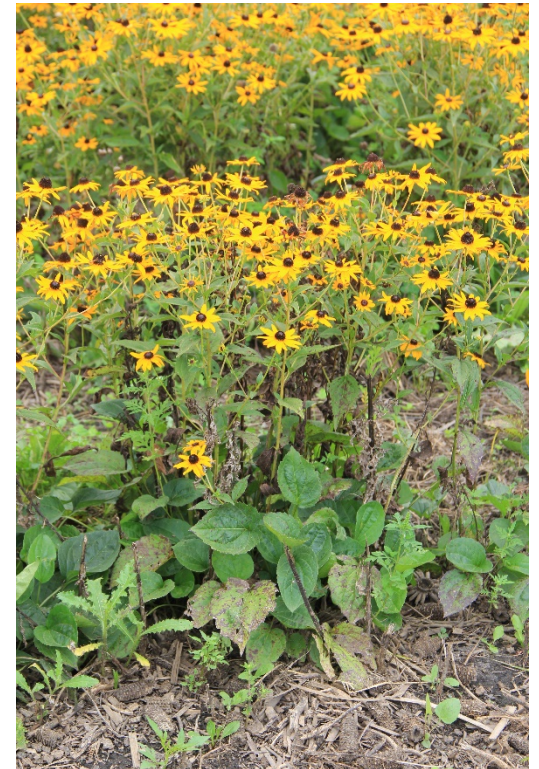
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Height: 2-3 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: August- September

Notes: Also known as Orange Coneflower.
Good cut flower. Spreads by rhizomes and
forms clumps.



Downy Scullcap

Scutellaria incana

Communities: Dry Woods,
Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 2 ft.

Color: blue

Flower Season: June – July

Notes: Attracts bumblebees
and other pollinators. Also
called Hoary Scullcap.



Wild Stonecrop

Sedum ternatum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 3 in.

Color: white

Flower Season: May

Notes: Ground cover. Does well in rock gardens. Can tolerate part sun. Native to wooded ravines and slopes.



Royal Catchfly

Silene regia

Communities: Mesic Prairie

Sun: part shade to sun

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: July -August

Notes: Attracts hummingbirds, black swallowtails and other pollinators. Requires well-drained soils.



Blue-Stemmed Goldenrod

Solidago caesia

Communities: Dry Woods, Mesic Woods

Sun: shade - psun

Height: 1- 2 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Arching blue/purple stems with many small, yellow flowers. Benefits native pollinators. Clump-forming and doesn't spread aggressively.



Showy Goldenrod

Solidago speciosa

Communities: Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna,
Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna, Sedge
Meadow

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 1 – 3 ft

Color: yellow

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Sometimes incorrectly blamed
for seasonal allergies (which are actually
caused by wind-borne pollen from
ragweed). Excellent late season food
source for pollinators. Spreads by
rhizomes.



Celandine Poppy

Stylophorum diphyllum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 1 - 2 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: April - May

Notes: Also known as Wood Poppy. Does well in dappled sunlight under trees. Self seeds. Excellent for woodland gardens. Blooms early then goes dormant.



New England Aster

Symphotrichum novae-angliae

Communities: Bioretention, Mesic Prairie, Sedge Meadow, Wet Mesic Prairie, Wet Prairie

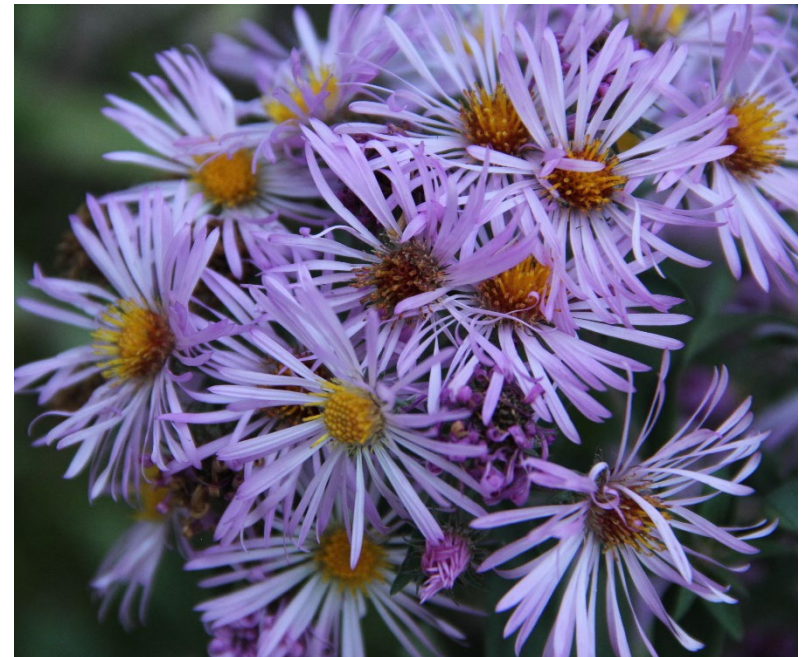
Sun: sun

Height: 3 - 5 ft.

Color: purple

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Stems can be pinched back before mid-July to create a shorter, more compact shape. Attracts pollinators and is a good fall nectar source.



Sky Blue Aster

Symphotrichum oolentangiense

Communities: Dry Prairie, Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

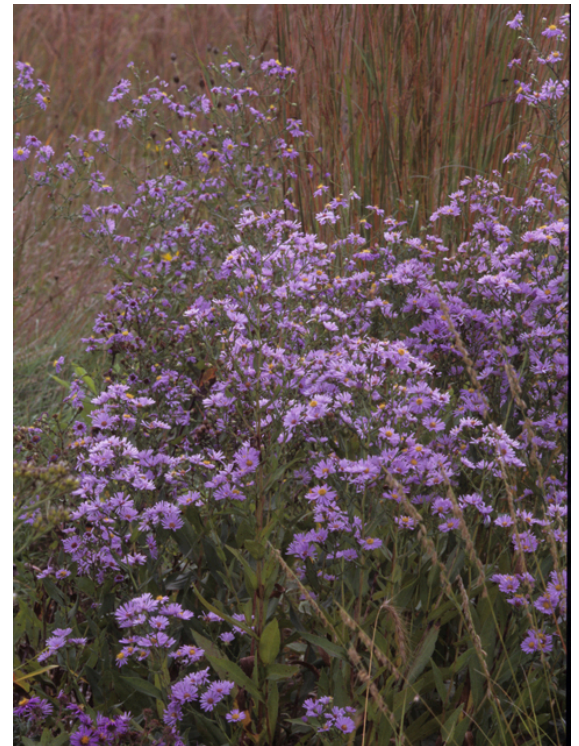
Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 1-2 ft.

Color: light blue

Flower Season: September – early October

Notes: Tolerates a variety of soils types with good drainage. Drought tolerant. Good late season food source for pollinators.



Ohio Spiderwort

Tradescantia ohiensis

Communities: Dry Prairie, Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 2-3 ft.

Color: Blue

Flower Season: June- July

Notes: Tolerates part shade, but won't bloom as much. Benefits native bees.



Smooth Ironweed

Vernonia fasciculata

Communities: Bioretention, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3-6 ft.

Color: purple

Flower Season: August to September

Notes: Month-long bloom. Utilized by a variety of bees and butterflies and is a host plant for the American Painted Lady. Can be found in pastures and isn't palatable to livestock. Stems stay upright throughout winter. Can be aggressive.



Culver's Root

Veronicastrum virginicum

Communities: Bioretention, Wet Mesic Prairie, Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 3 – 6 ft.

Color: white

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Beneficial for pollinators. With its candelabra-like flowers, it makes a great accent plant in a flower bed.



Golden Alexanders

Zizia aurea

Communities: Sedge Meadow,
Wet Mesic Prairie, Mesic Prairie,
Bioretention

Sun: Sun-psun

Height: 2 -3 ft

Color: Yellow

Flower Season: May - June

Notes: Host plant for Black
Swallowtail butterfly. Self seeds.
Excellent early season food
source for pollinators.





Grasses & Sedges

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Straight-Styled Wood Sedge

Carex radiata

Communities: Wet Mesic Woods,
Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 1 ft.

Flower Season: April - May

Notes: Can be used as clumping
ground cover or border.



Northern Sea Oats

Chasmanthium latifolium

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 2 – 4 ft.

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Reseeds easily and can spread quickly in ideal conditions. Dried seed heads are good for arrangements and provide winter interest.



Switchgrass

Panicum virgatum

Communities: Bioretention, Wet
Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3-5 ft.

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Can tolerate a variety of
soils. Clump-forming. Foliage
remains upright through the
winter. Works well as a visual
screen.



Little Bluestem

Schizachyrium scoparium

Communities: Bioretention, Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna, Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

Sun: sun

Height: 2 - 3 ft.

Flower Season: Aug - Sep

Notes: Tolerates a variety of conditions. Bronze-orange fall color. Larval host for several species of skipper butterflies.



Prairie Dropseed

Sporobolus heterolepis

Communities: Bioretention, Dry
Prairie, Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Flower Season: Jul - Sep

Notes: Drought tolerant. Slow to
establish. Fall color is tan/bronze.
Clumps of wispy foliage.



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Pollinator Mix

2021 Pollinator Mix							
<i>(Full sun, moist to dry conditions)</i>							
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
Purple Coneflower				Pink			
Bergamot			Light Pink				
Hairy Penstemon		Pink					
Common Mountain Mint				White			
Royal Catchfly				Red			
Showy Goldenrod						Yellow	
Sky-Blue Aster						Light Blue	
Golden Alexanders		Yellow					
Little Bluestem					Green		
Prairie Dropseed				Dark Green			

Purple Coneflower

Echinacea purpurea

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna, Dry Woods, Bioretention

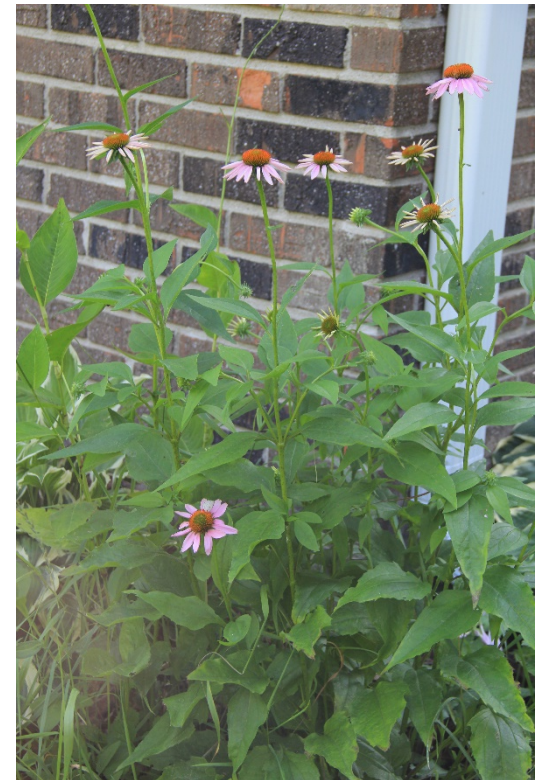
Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 3 - 4 ft.

Color: pink/purple

Flower Season: June - Aug

Notes: Tolerant of many site conditions. Does well as a cut flower. Attracts pollinators. Eastern Goldfinches eat seeds.



Bergamot

Monarda fistulosa

Communities: Mesic Prairie

Sun: part shade to sun

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: lavender

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Also known as Beebalm. Very attractive to a variety of pollinators.



Hairy Penstemon

Penstemon hirsutus

Communities: Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna,
Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

Sun: Sun-psun

Height: 1-2 ft

Color: Pink/Purple

Flower Season: May - June

Notes: Named for hairy stem. Attracts native pollinators, like bees and hummingbirds. Shade tolerant. Prefers medium to dry soils.



Common Mountain Mint

Pycnanthemum virginianum

Communities: Bioretention, Mesic Prairie, Sedge Meadow, Wet Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 1 – 2 ft.

Color: white

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Attracts pollinators. Fragrant minty aroma. Can spread to form colonies. Long bloom period.



Royal Catchfly

Silene regia

Communities: Mesic Prairie

Sun: part shade to sun

Height: 2 - 4 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: July -August

Notes: Attracts hummingbirds, black swallowtails and other pollinators. Requires well-drained soils.



Showy Goldenrod

Solidago speciosa

Communities: Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna,
Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna, Sedge
Meadow

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 1 – 3 ft

Color: yellow

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Sometimes incorrectly blamed
for seasonal allergies (which are actually
caused by wind-borne pollen from
ragweed). Excellent late season food
source for pollinators. Spreads by
rhizomes.



Sky Blue Aster

Symphotrichum oolentangiense

Communities: Dry Prairie, Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

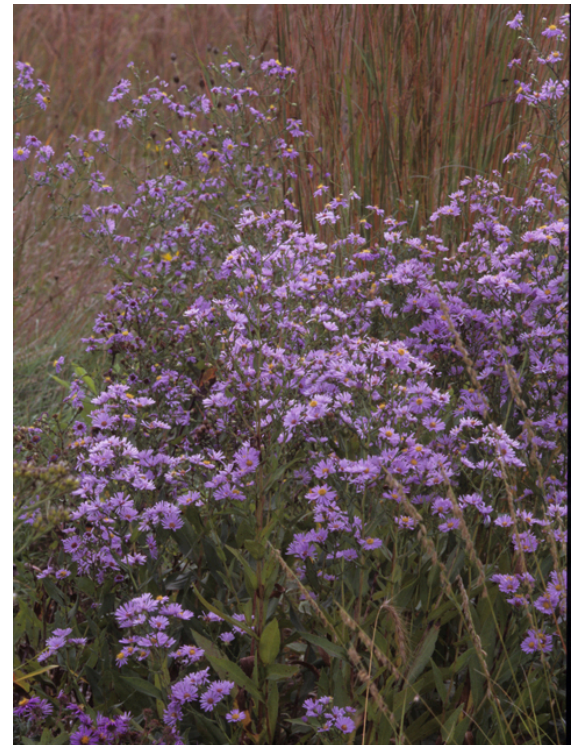
Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 1-2 ft.

Color: light blue

Flower Season: September – early October

Notes: Tolerates a variety of soils types with good drainage. Drought tolerant. Good late season food source for pollinators.



Golden Alexanders

Zizia aurea

Communities: Sedge Meadow,
Wet Mesic Prairie, Mesic Prairie,
Bioretention

Sun: Sun-psun

Height: 2 -3 ft

Color: Yellow

Flower Season: May - June

Notes: Host plant for Black
Swallowtail butterfly. Self seeds.
Excellent early season food
source for pollinators.



Little Bluestem

Schizachyrium scoparium

Communities: Bioretention, Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna, Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

Sun: sun

Height: 2 - 3 ft.

Flower Season: Aug - Sep

Notes: Tolerates a variety of conditions. Bronze-orange fall color. Larval host for several species of skipper butterflies.



Prairie Dropseed

Sporobolus heterolepis

Communities: Bioretention, Dry
Prairie, Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Flower Season: Jul - Sep

Notes: Drought tolerant. Slow to
establish. Fall color is tan/bronze.



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Raingarden Mix

2021 Rain Garden Mix

(Full sun, tolerant of fluctating wetness)

	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
Marsh Milkweed				Pink			
Purple Coneflower			Pink				
Blue Flag Iris		Blue					
Dense Blazing Star				Pink			
Cardinal Flower					Red		
Riddell's Goldenrod						Yellow	
New England Aster					Purple		
Golden Alexander		Yellow					
Fox Sedge		Green					
Little Bluestem					Dark Green		

Marsh Milkweed

Asclepias incarnata

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow,
Wet Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 3-4 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: July - August

Notes: Thrives in wet areas, but will also grow in moist garden soil. Fragrant flowers attract pollinators, and is a host plant for Monarch butterfly caterpillars. Also known as Swamp or Rose Milkweed.



Purple Coneflower

Echinacea purpurea

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna, Dry Woods, Bioretention

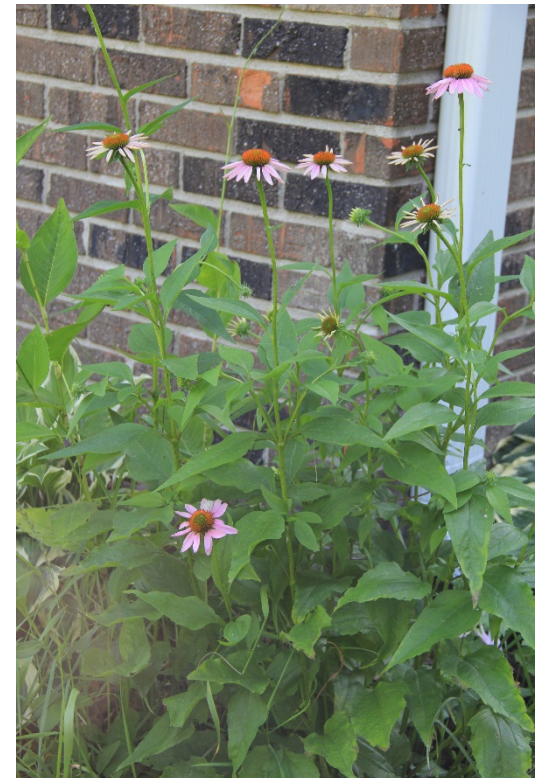
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Height: 3 - 4 ft.

Color: pink/purple

Flower Season: June - Aug

Notes: Tolerant of many site conditions. Does well as a cut flower. Attracts pollinators. Eastern Goldfinches eat seeds.



Blue Flag Iris

Iris virginica shrevei

Communities: Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun to part sun

Height: 2 - 3 ft.

Color: Blue

Flower Season: May - Jun

Notes: Prefers slightly acidic soil. Fragrant flowers. Grows best in moist soil.



Dense Blazing Star

Liatris spicata

Communities: Mesic Prairie, Wet Mesic Prairie, Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun

Height: 3 - 5 ft.

Color: Purple

Flower Season: July- August

Notes: Attracts pollinators. Does well as a cut flower in arrangements.



Cardinal Flower

Lobelia cardinalis

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow,
Wet Woods

Sun: sun to shade

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: August - September

Notes: Attracts hummingbirds and other
pollinators. Requires moist soil.



Riddell's Goldenrod

Solidago riddellii

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: sun

Height: 2-4 ft

Color: yellow

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Important late-season source of pollen and nectar for pollinators.



New England Aster

Symphyotrichum novae-angliae

Communities: Bioretention, Mesic Prairie, Sedge Meadow, Wet Mesic Prairie, Wet Prairie

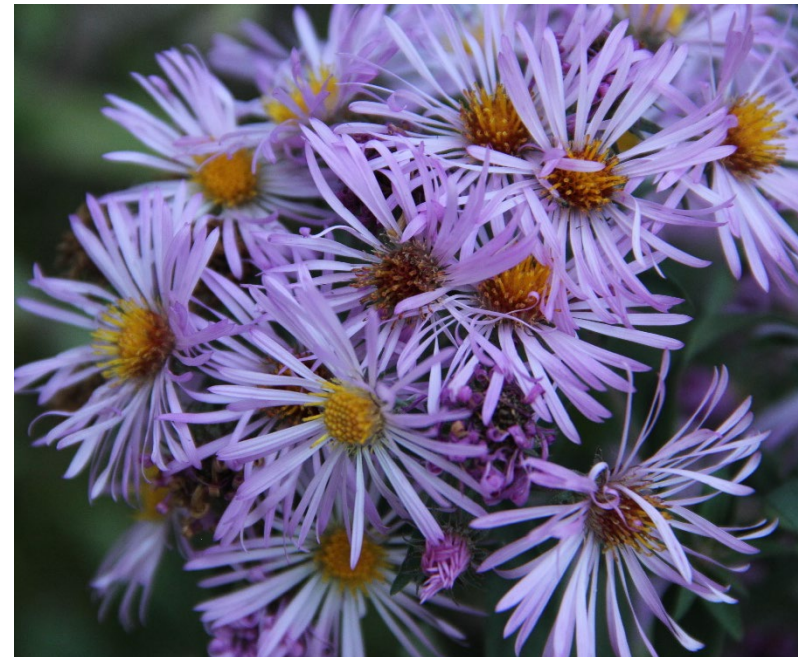
Sun: sun

Height: 3 - 5 ft.

Color: purple

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Stems can be pinched back before mid-July to create a shorter, more compact shape. Attracts pollinators and is a good fall nectar source.



Golden Alexanders

Zizia aurea

Communities: Sedge Meadow,
Wet Mesic Prairie, Mesic Prairie,
Bioretention

Sun: Sun-psun

Height: 2 -3 ft

Color: Yellow

Flower Season: May

Notes: Host plant for Black
Swallowtail butterfly. Self seeds.
Excellent early season food
source for pollinators.



Fox Sedge

Carex vulpinoidea

Communities: Bioretention, Sedge Meadow, Wet Mesic Prairie

Sun: part sun to sun

Height: 2 – 3 ft.

Flower Season: May - June

Notes: Grows well in a variety of conditions, including clay soils. Forms clumps 2 – 3 feet wide. Can spread to form colonies.



Little Bluestem

Schizachyrium scoparium

Communities: Bioretention, Dry Prairie, Dry Savanna, Mesic Prairie, Mesic Savanna

Sun: sun

Height: 2 - 3 ft.

Flower Season: Aug - Sep

Notes: Tolerates a variety of conditions. Bronze-orange fall color. Larval host for several species of skipper butterflies.



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Woodland Mix

2021 Woodland Mix							
(Dappled shade, moist)							
	April	May	June	July	August	September	October
Columbine		█	█				
Wild Geranium	█	█					
Great Blue Lobelia					█	█	
Downy Scullcap			█	█			
Wild Stonecrop		█					
Blue-stemmed Goldenrod						█	█
Celandine Poppy	█	█					
Side-flowering Aster						█	█
Straight-Styled Wood Sedge	█	█					
Bottlebrush Grass			█	█	█		

Columbine

Aquilegia canadensis

Communities: Dry Woods, Dry Savanna

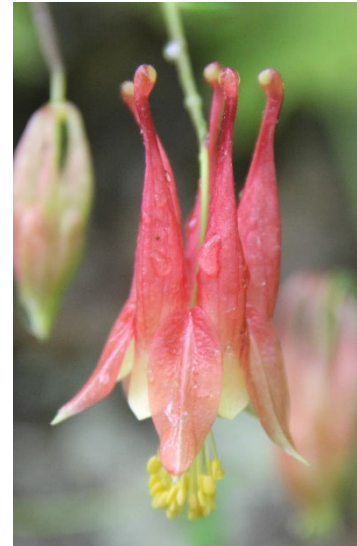
Sun: part shade to shade

Height: 2-3 ft.

Color: red

Flower Season: May – June

Notes: Performs best in partial shade in well-drained soils. Provides early season nectar source for hummingbirds and other pollinators. Excellent for woodland gardens. Spreads by self-seeding. Host plant for the Columbine Duskywing butterfly.



Wild Geranium

Geranium maculatum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 1 ft.

Color: pink

Flower Season: April – May

Notes: Mounded form. Spreads by rhizomes.
Excellent for woodland gardens.



Great Blue Lobelia

Lobelia siphilitica

Communities: Wet Woods, Sedge Meadow, Bioretention

Sun: sun to shade

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Color: blue

Flower Season: August - September

Notes: Requires moist soil. Attracts pollinators.



Downy Scullcap

Scutellaria incana

Communities: Dry Woods,
Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 2 ft.

Color: blue

Flower Season: June – July

Notes: Attracts bumblebees
and other pollinators. Also
called Hoary Scullcap.



Wild Stonecrop

Sedum ternatum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 3 in.

Color: white

Flower Season: May

Notes: Ground cover. Does well in rock gardens. Can tolerate part sun. Native to wooded ravines and slopes.



Blue-Stemmed Goldenrod

Solidago caesia

Communities: Dry Woods, Mesic Woods

Sun: shade - psun

Height: 1- 2 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Arching blue/purple stems with many small, yellow flowers. Benefits native pollinators. Clump-forming and doesn't spread aggressively.



Celandine Poppy

Stylophorum diphyllum

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 1 - 2 ft.

Color: yellow

Flower Season: April - May

Notes: Also known as Wood Poppy. Does well in dappled sunlight under trees. Self seeds. Excellent for woodland gardens. Blooms early then goes dormant.



Side-flowering Aster

Symphotrichum laterflorum

Communities: Dry Savanna, Mesic Woods,
Wet Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 1 – 3 ft.

Color: White

Flower Season: September - October

Notes: Grows best in light shade and moist soil. Stems can be pinched back in late spring for bushier appearance.



Straight-Styled Wood Sedge

Carex radiata

Communities: Wet Mesic Woods,
Mesic Woods

Sun: shade

Height: 1 ft.

Flower Season: April - May

Notes: Can be used as clumping
ground cover or border.



Bottlebrush Grass

Elymus hystrix

Communities: Mesic Woods

Sun: part sun to shade

Height: 3 - 5 ft.

Flower Season: June - August

Notes: One of the more shade-tolerant native grasses. Does best in dappled shade and moist soils. Drought tolerant.

