



Shrubs

2023 Native Plant Sale

Lead Plant

Amorpha canescens

Height: 1-3'

Spread: 2-3'

Sun: Full sun

Site conditions: moist to dry soil

Notes:

- Tolerates part shade, but will produce fewer flowers and have a tendency to sprawl
- Flowers may not appear until plant is several years old
- Native to prairies and savannas
- Flowers attractive to pollinators
- Deer and rabbits feed on foliage



New Jersey Tea

Ceanothus americanus

Height: 3-4'

Spread: 3-5'

Sun: Full sun to part shade

Site conditions: Moist to dry

Notes:

- Named for uses as a tea substitute during Revolutionary War times
- Compact, rounded shrub
- Drought tolerant
- Clusters of tiny, white flowers in late spring
- Host plant for Spring Azure, Summer Azure and Mottled Duskywing butterflies
- Tolerant of fire



Smooth Hydrangea

Hydrangea arborescens

Height: 3-5'

Spread: 3-5'

Sun: partial sun to full shade

Site conditions: moist soils

Notes:

- Full, rounded form
- Susceptible to over-browsing by deer
- Nest site for Indigo Bunting
- Sensitive to drought



Pasture Rose

Rosa carolina

Height: 1-2'

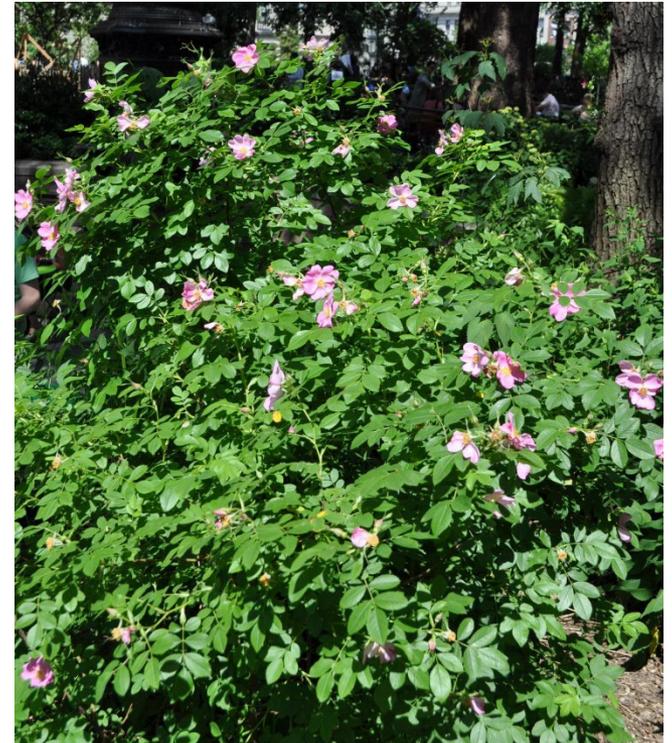
Spread: 1'

Sun: full sun

Site conditions: well-drained soils

Notes:

- Very few branches but can grow in thick clusters
- Has thorns
- Variable characteristics, dependent upon environment
- Utilized by many small mammals for habitat
- Provides food for birds and deer



Meadowsweet

Spirea alba

Height: 5'

Spread: 5'

Sun: sun

Site conditions: moist to wet

Notes:

- Tolerates part shade but produces fewer flowers
- Does well at the edges of lakes and marshes
- Produces thickets through root suckering
- Can be pruned or mowed to control suckering and promote denser growth
- White flowers throughout the summer

