



Grasses	Purple Love Grass <i>Eragrostis spectabilis</i>	24"	Ornamental; cover plant
	Side-oats Grama <i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	24-36"	Skipper butterfly favorite
	Prairie Dropseed <i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	24-48"	Attracts native bees; provides nesting material

Shrubs	Lowbush Blueberry <i>Vaccinium spp.</i>	1-2'	Needs acidic soil
	Sweetpepper Bush <i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	3-8'	Pollinator magnet; provides seeds for birds
	Chokeberry (red or black) <i>Aronia spp.</i>	3-12'	Fruits; nesting habitat for birds
	Viburnum <i>Viburnum spp.</i>	5-12'	Several species to choose from; moist tolerant
Winterberry Holly <i>Ilex verticillata</i>	6-10'	Need male and female for fruit; loved by birds; dwarf available	
Spicebush <i>Lindera benzoin</i>	6-12'	Female plants produce fruit	
Witch Hazel <i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	10-15'	Provides seeds for birds	

Flowers	Blue Woodland Phlox <i>Phlox divaricata</i>	6-12"	Early season blooms; provides bee food
	Butterfly Weed <i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	12-36"	Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds
	Mountain Mint <i>Pycnanthemum spp.</i>	12-36"	Pollinators love it
	Black-eyed Susan <i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	24-36"	Seeds eaten by finches and sparrows
	Cardinal Flower <i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	24-36"	Hummingbird magnet
	Purple Coneflower <i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	24-36"	Good for butterflies; fall seeds
	Smooth Blue Aster <i>Symphyotrichum laevae</i>	24-36"	Late blooms; fall seeds
	Blazing Star <i>Liatris spicata</i>	24-48"	Provides seeds for birds; attracts hummingbirds, butterflies
	Bee Balm <i>Monarda didyma</i>	36-48"	Loved by hummingbirds and pollinators
Swamp Milkweed <i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	36-60"	Monarch favorite	

Small Trees	Sweetbay Magnolia <i>Magnolia virginiana</i>	10-35'	Catbird favorite; sweet-smelling blooms
	Fringe Tree <i>Chionanthus virginicus</i>	12-20'	Need male and female for fruit; loved by birds
	Serviceberry <i>Amelanchier spp.</i>	15-25'	Fruit for birds
	Eastern Redbud <i>Cercis canadensis</i>	15-30'	Early nectar source; ornamental; fast growing
	Flowering Dogwood <i>Cornus florida</i>	20-40'	Provides berries; shrubby species available
Eastern Hop-hornbeam <i>Ostrya virginica</i>	25-40'	Provides seeds for birds	