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PLANNING & PARKS DEPARTMENT
LAND RESOURCES DIVISION
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2021 Tree & Prairie Seed Program



Tree, Shrub & Prairie Plantings

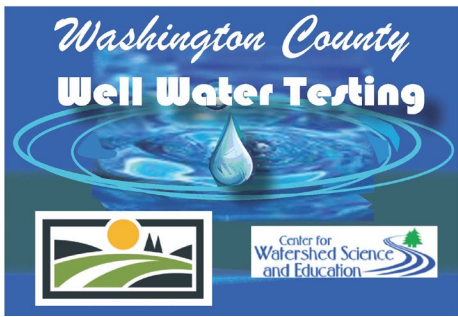
- Help Conserve Energy
- Reduce Wind, Noise and Runoff
- Clean and Filter Our Air
- Protect Our Soil and Water Resources
- Provide Shelter and Food for Wildlife

"If the land mechanism as a whole is good then every part is good, whether we understand it or not...to keep every cog and wheel is the first precaution of intelligent tinkering."

Aldo Leopold

Orders Due

Friday, March 5, 2021



Well Water Test Kit Includes 8 Analyses:

- ◆ Coliform Bacteria
- ◆ Total Hardness
- ◆ Alkalinity
- ◆ Conductivity
- ◆ pH
- ◆ Corrosivity Index
- ◆ Nitrate plus Nitrite Nitrogen
- ◆ Chloride

Check out our new interactive website for well owners!
www.co.washington.wi.us/lcd - click on - Groundwater Resources & Well Water Testing

KEEP A LOOKOUT FOR INVASIVE PLANTS IN YOUR BACKYARD!



Purple loosestrife
(Lythrum salicaria)
Restricted Species



Japanese honeysuckle
(Lonicera japonica)
Prohibited Species



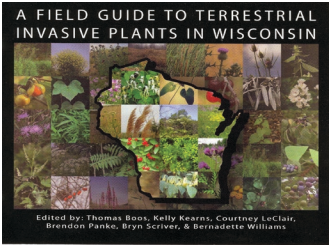
Multiflora rose
(Rosa multiflora)
Restricted Species



Phragmites, Common Reed
(Phragmites australis)
Restricted Species

NR 40 Invasive Species Identification, Classification and Control Rule – This rule was developed to assist with minimizing the introduction and spread of invasive species in Wisconsin, the state legislature authorized the Wisconsin DNR to develop a comprehensive invasive species program and rule to identify, classify and control 141 invasive species. The rule became effective September 2009. It establishes a science-based assessment and classification system. The rule establishes two categories – “prohibited” and “restricted”.

- **Restricted Species** are already established in the state. They may not be transported, transferred or introduced. If they are already on your property, you are encouraged but not required to remove them.
- **Prohibited Species** are not currently found in Wisconsin. They may not be transported, possessed, transferred or introduced. The goal is to contain the prohibited species wherever they are found.








DNR Field Guide contains
 52 invasive species photos and includes identification and control methods.
 A wetland supplement is also included in the field guide.
Available through the WI DNR website:
<https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/publications.html#publications>

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 RUNOFF!
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NATIVE SPECIES DESCRIPTIONS Growth Rate: F = Fast; M = Medium; S = Slow







EVERGREEN

Common & Scientific name	Characteristics
 <p>Black Spruce (<i>Picea mariana</i>) Growth Rate: (S) NEW in 2021</p>	Grows best in moist, wet soils and bogs including peats, clays and loams with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 60'. Has soft, flat, aromatic needles ¼ -½" and ½-1¼" cones.
 <p>Red Pine (<i>Pinus resinosa</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in dry soils with full sun. Average mature height is 75'. A popular lumber tree. Has stiff, dull green needles 4-6" long, scaly bark and 1½-2¼" cones.
 <p>White Cedar (<i>Thuja occidentalis</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in moist to wet soils with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 40'. Has flat, scale-like, yellow-green aromatic needles and ½" cones.
 <p>White Pine (<i>Pinus strobus</i>) Growth Rate: (F)</p>	Grows best in moist to dry, fertile soils with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 75'. Grows to 100' in height. Has picturesque, soft, 3-5" green needles and 5-8" cones.
 <p>White Spruce (<i>Picea glauca</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in moist, fertile soils with full sun. Average mature height is 70'. Has stiff, green needles ½-¾" and 1¼-2½" cones.






BROADLEAF

Common & Scientific name	Characteristics
 <p>American Basswood/Linden (<i>Tilia americana</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in moist soils and can be found in hardwood forests. Average mature height is 80'. Leaves are shiny dark green above, light green beneath and turn pale yellow or brown in autumn and are approximately 4-6" long. Has fragrant yellow-white flowers and produces nutlike fruit.
 <p>American Beech (<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>) Growth Rate: (S)</p>	Grows best in moist to dry, fertile soils with full shade. Average mature height is 50'. It has 1-3" dark blue-green leaves which turn a bronze yellowish color in fall. The nuts are a favorite of wildlife. This tree has a nice smooth gray bark.
 <p>American Plum (<i>Prunus americana</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in moist soils with full sun. Average mature height is 30'. Tree can also spread itself by root sprouts, forming a shrubby thicket if left unmanaged. This makes it a good choice for erosion prone areas. It displays large white flowers in early spring and 1" red plums in summer. The plums may be used for jellies, preserves, and wines - if you can get them before the wildlife does.
 <p>Black Cherry (<i>Prunus serotina</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in dry soils with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 40'. White flowers which produce many small purplish black fruits. Leaves are 1-2" shiny dark green turning orange in fall.
 <p>Bur Oak (<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>) Growth Rate: (S)</p>	Grows best in dry to moist, fertile ground with partial to full sun. Average mature height is 70'. It has light gray, thick, rough, deeply furrowed bark. The leaves are lobed at the ends and 4-10" long. The acorns are the largest of the native oaks.
 <p>Paper Birch (<i>Betula papyrifera</i>) Growth Rate: (M)</p>	Grows best in moist to dry, fertile soils with partial to full sun. Average mature height is 60'. It has chalky to creamy white peeling outer bark which reveals orange-brown inner bark. Leaves are 2-4" long dark green turning yellow in autumn. Produces small seed cones in fall.
 <p>Quaking Aspen (<i>Populus tremuloides</i>) Growth Rate: (F)</p>	Grows best in dry soils with full sun. Average mature height is 50'. Produces small seed catkins in spring. Leaves are 1¼ -3" long, shiny green turning to golden yellow in fall. They tremble in the slightest wind, making the tree appear to shimmer.

BROADLEAF

 Red Maple <i>(Acer rubrum)</i> Growth Rate: (M)	Grows best in most soils (excluding extremes) with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 70'. Produces winged seeds in the spring. The 2-4" dull green leaves turn a brilliant red, orange or yellow in the fall. This tree is more sensitive to salt than most.
 Red Oak <i>(Quercus rubra)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in dry, fertile soils with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 70'. Has 4-9" dull green leaves which turn red in fall. The acorns this oak produces have a smooth cap.
 River Birch <i>(Betula nigra)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in moist to wet, fertile soils and tolerates wet soils with partial to full sun. Average mature height is 50'. Has shiny pinkish-brown or silvery gray scaly bark which becomes very shaggy. Leaves are 1½-3" long, shiny green, turning dull yellow in fall. Produces small seed cones in late spring.
 Sugar Maple <i>(Acer saccharum)</i> Growth Rate: (M)	Grows best in moist, fertile soils with full to partial shade. Average mature height is 70'. It produces winged seeds in the fall. The 3-5" dull green leaves turn a brilliant red, orange or yellow color in the fall. This tree is more sensitive to salt and stress than most.
 Swamp White Oak <i>(Quercus bicolor)</i> Growth Rate: (S)	Grows best in wet swampy soils of lowlands, including stream borders, flood plains and swamps subject to flooding with full sun. Leaves are 4-7" turning brown to red in fall, average height is 60-70'. Produces 1" oval acorns usually grown in pairs and loses them in October.
 Sycamore <i>(Platanus occidentalis)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in moist to wet soils – riparian and wetland with full sun. Average mature height is 70'. Grown for timber and shade. Can be easily distinguished by its mottled bark which flakes off in great irregular masses, leaving the surface mottled, and greenish-white, gray and brown. Leaves are 4-9" long, turning pale green to yellow to brown in the fall. It produces round heads, light green tinged with red, on longer stems.

SHRUBS

Common & Scientific name	Characteristics
 American Black Elderberry <i>(Sambucus canadensis)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in moist to wet soils with full sun. Average mature height is 12', with a spread of 9'. Produces small white flowers in large flat clusters which produce large quantities of black berries, good for wildlife and making jams, jellies and wine.
 American Hazelnut <i>(Corylus americana)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in moist to dry soil with full to partial shade. Average mature height is 10' with a spread of 6'. Produces small, flavorful, edible nuts in autumn. Leaves are medium green turning orange-yellow in autumn.
 Highbush Cranberry <i>(Viburnum trilobum)</i> Growth Rate: (M)	Grows best in moist, fertile soils with partial to full shade. Average mature height is 15' with a spread of 15'. Have white lacy flowers that produce bright red berries which persist throughout most of the winter season. The leaves are a dull green, turning to maroon in autumn.
 Ninebark <i>(Physocarpus opulifolius)</i> Growth Rate: (M)	Grows best in moist to dry fertile soils with full to partial sun. Average mature height is 9' with a spread of 9'. Have white flowers which produce red capsular fruits. Bark has a shredded appearance; leaves turn a yellowish color in autumn.
 Silky Dogwood <i>(Cornus amomum)</i> Growth Rate: (F)	Grows best in well drained soils with full sun to full shade. Average mature height is 9' and width diameter is 9'. Have white flowers which produce clusters of bluish berries in early autumn. Leaves are green turning to silvery purple in autumn.

2021 Order Form - Washington County Tree & Prairie Seed Program

EVERGREEN TREES		Size	Trees/Bundle	Price		Quantity	Cost		
1	Black Spruce (2-2)*	7-15"	25	\$28.00	x				
2	Red Pine (2-2)*	7-15"	25	\$27.00	x				
3	White Cedar (2-3)*	12-16"	25	\$34.00	x				
4	White Pine (2-2)*	7-15"	25	\$26.00	x				
5	White Spruce (2-2)*	7-15"	25	\$27.00	x				
BROADLEAF TREES									
6	American Basswood	12-24"	25	\$79.00	x				
7	American Beech	12-24"	25	\$57.00	x				
8	American Plum	12-24"	25	\$39.00	x				
9	Black Cherry	12-24"	25	\$40.00	x				
10	Bur Oak	12-24"	25	\$47.00	x				
11	Paper Birch	12-24"	25	\$44.00	x				
12	Quaking Aspen	12-24"	25	\$62.00	x				
13	Red Maple	12-24"	25	\$38.00	x				
14	Red Oak	12-24"	25	\$32.00	x				
15	River Birch	12-24"	25	\$38.00	x				
16	Sugar Maple	12-24"	25	\$40.00	x				
17	Swamp White Oak	12-24"	25	\$36.00	x				
18	Sycamore	12-24"	25	\$32.00	x				
WILDLIFE SHRUBS									
19	American Black Elderberry	12-24"	25	\$39.00	x				
20	American Hazelnut	12-24"	25	\$40.00	x				
21	Highbush Cranberry	12-24"	25	\$41.00	x				
22	Ninebark	12-24"	25	\$29.00	x				
23	Silky Dogwood	12-24"	25	\$28.00	x				
PROGRAM EXTRAS		DETAILS ON WEBSITE		Unit	Price		Quantity	Cost	
24	Bat House			Each	\$33.00	x			
25	Bluebird House			Each	\$25.00	x			
26	Soil Test Kit	<i>(For lawn & garden - \$18 lab fee)</i>		Each	FREE	x			
27	Well Water Test Kit	<i>(\$55 lab fee)</i>		Each	FREE	x			
28	Rain Barrel	<i>(Spigot included)</i>		Each	\$70.00	x			
29	Compost Bin			Each	\$70.00	x			
PRAIRIE SEED PACKAGES								DETAILS ON WEBSITE: WWW.CO.WASHINGTON.WI.US/LCD	
30	Prairie Grass & Forbs Mix <i>(5 grasses/ 3 forbs) – contains 2.13 lbs. PLS</i>		½ Ac.	\$31.00	x				
31	Standard Prairie Mix <i>(11 forbs / 6 grasses) – contains 2.25 lbs. PLS</i>		½ Ac.	\$72.00	x				
32	Medium-Dry Tall Prairie Mix <i>(27 forbs / 2 grasses) – contains 2.35 lbs. PLS</i>		½ Ac.	\$115.00	x				
33	Wet Site Prairie Mix <i>(25 forbs / 2 grasses) - contains 0.85 lbs. PLS</i>		½ Ac.	\$108.00	x				
34	Monarch Butterfly Prairie Mix <i>(7 forbs / 5 grasses) – contains 2.25 lbs. PLS</i>		½ Ac.	\$82.00	x				

* First number – years as a seedling;
Second number – years as a transplant.

PLS = Pure Live Seed

Total	\$
5.5% Sales Tax	\$
TOTAL DUE	\$

Check Payable To:
**Washington
County**

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Due Friday, March 5, 2021

website: www.co.washington.wi.us/lcd
Tree & Prairie Seed Program

Call: (262) 335-4445 (Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:30pm)

Order and pay online with your credit card!

Visit: washcoparks.com Click on Tree Sales

Payment in full must be received with your order or it will not be processed.

5.5% tax must be added to your total order.
Tax Exempt must supply certificate.

There is no guarantee/warranty on any tree, shrub or prairie seed mix. To minimize losses, please follow planting and maintenance instructions available on our website. We can direct you to equipment suppliers if needed.

A limited quantity is available, so order early!

Orders will be pre-packaged for drive thru pick-up.

You will receive confirmation by mail in early April. Orders not picked up on designated dates/times will not be available for refunds. **Pick-up dates tentatively set for Thursday, April 29 & Friday, April 30.**

*I have read and understand the program information as documented in this brochure.
I have enclosed my full payment for the order as listed on this form.*

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number - Day: _____

Tax Exempt Number (If applicable- attach a copy of your tax exempt certificate): _____

IF YOU ORDER ONLINE YOU WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE NOTIFIED FOR NEXT YEAR'S PROGRAM; or

I prefer to be notified by mail. Place me on next year's mailing list.

WELL WATER TEST KIT-INFORMATION NEEDED

Check Here if the address for Well Water Test Kit is same as indicated above. If different than above or more than one kit is requested, fill in the following information describing well location(s):

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____



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2021 Tree & Prairie Seed Program

Orders Due March 5, 2021

Dear Program Participant:

Since 1993, Washington County Land Resources Division has encouraged planting of native woodland and prairie species. The Washington County native Tree & Prairie Seed Program provides for a variety of native species at a reasonable cost. This packet contains all the information you'll need to place your order. Please read the information carefully and order early; supplies are limited. You may order online at washcoparks.com or mail an order form along with payment, payable to:

**Washington County
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West Bend, WI 53095-2003**



Orders will be ready for pick-up at the Washington County Fair Park grounds north of Jackson in late April. Final confirmation and instructions will be sent to you approximately two weeks prior to pick-up. For more information please contact the Land Resources Division during normal business hours.

Thank you for improving our natural resources by planting native species.



Paul B. Selbo
County Conservationist

Prairie Seed Packages



Compass Plant

Five seed packages are available: 1) **Prairie Grass & Forbs**; 2) **Standard Prairie Mix**; 3) **Medium-Dry Tall Prairie Mix**; 4) **Wet Site Prairie Mix**; and 5) **Monarch Butterfly Prairie Mix**. The mixes have been designed to reintroduce a variety of native prairie plants that dominated the open landscape in southern Wisconsin before modern times. These plants are very colorful and offer habitat for a variety of wildlife that thrive in the food and cover offered by a native prairie plant community. Each package contains a well-balanced blend of the seed species. We recommend that you follow the detailed planting instructions that are on our website.

*Find out which mixes are suitable for your soils at: www.co.washington.wi.us/lcd
Click on: **Tree & Prairie Seed Program - Soil Classification***

Prairie Grass & Forbs (Dry-Mesic)

This mix may be used to reduce the cost of establishing areas by planting alternating strips of prairie grasses and wildflowers. The mix contains 5 grass species and 3 forbs. Recommended seeding rate is 4.25 pounds per acre. Sold in ½ acre increments.

Standard Prairie Mix (Mesic)

Designed for the upland sites, this mix contains 11 species of wildflowers, 6 grasses. This diverse mix of drought-tolerant grasses and wildflowers grows best under full sun. Mature plant height ranges from 2-6 ft. Recommended for mesic to dry soils with full to partial sun. Recommended seeding rate is 4.5 pounds per acre. Sold in ½ acre increments.

Medium-Dry Tall Prairie Mix – (Mesic-Dry)

Designed for the upland sites, this mix contains 27 species of wildflowers, 2 grasses. Mature plant height ranges from 2-6 ft. Excellent mix for wildlife conservation. Recommended for medium to well drained soils (mesic to dry mesic soils) with full sun. Recommended seeding rate is 4.7 pounds per acre. Sold in ½ acre increments.

Wet Site Prairie Mix – (Wet-Wet Mesic)

Designed for wet soils but not submerged for long periods of time. Great for establishing cover in low-lying areas around open water or wetlands for waterfowl and other wildlife. The mix contains 25 species of wildflowers, 2 grasses. Mature plant heights range from 3-6 ft. Recommended for wet to wet mesic soils with full to partial sun. Recommended seeding rate is 1.7 pounds per acre. Sold in ½ acre increments.

Monarch Butterfly Prairie Mix (Mesic)

This package consists of 7 species of wildflowers and 5 grasses. Great for pollinators, especially monarch butterflies. One pound of this package will cover 1 acre or 43,560 square feet. Recommended for mesic sites with full to partial sun. Recommended seeding rate is 4.5 pounds per acre. Sold in ½ acre increments.

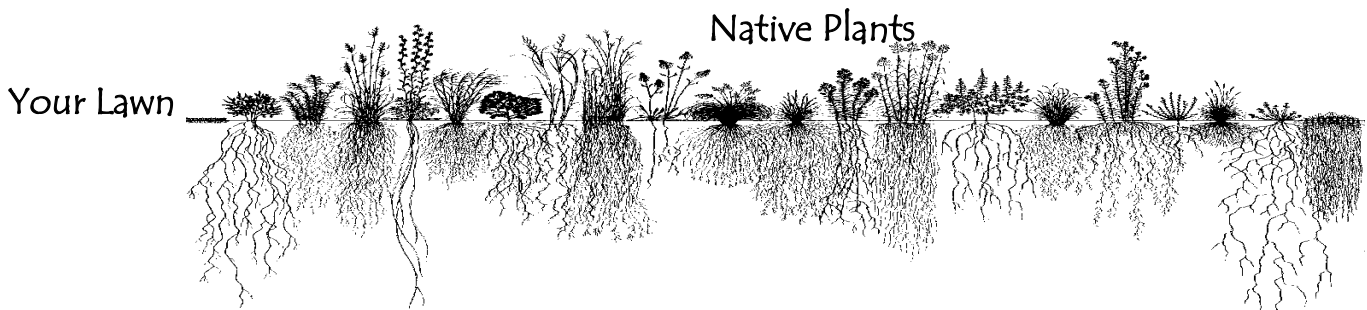
**Prairie Seed Mixes Sold in Quantities for ½ an Acre
1/2 Acre = 21,780 Sq. Ft.**



Black-eyed Susan

Prairie Grass & Forbs (Dry-Mesic)		
Forbs		
<i>Common Name</i>	<i>Scientific Name</i>	<i>Color</i>
Purple Prairie Clover	<i>Dalea purpureum</i>	Purple
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender
Yellow Coneflower	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow
Grasses		Height
Big Bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	6 Ft.
Indiangrass	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	4-5 Ft.
Little Bluestem	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	2-3 Ft.
Side-Oats Grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	2-3 Ft.
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	2-4 Ft.

Please Note: Certain species may be substituted due to annual availability.



Standard Prairie Mix (Mesic)			
Forbs			
<i>Common Name</i>	<i>Scientific Name</i>	<i>Blooming Color</i>	<i>Month(s) Blooming</i>
Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Yellow	June - September
Canada Milkvech	<i>Astragalus canadensis</i>	Green - White	May - August
Culver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	Purple / Pink	July - September
New England Aster	<i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i>	Pink / Purple	August - September
Ox-eye Sunflower	<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	Yellow	June - September
Prairie Blazing Star	<i>Liatris pycnostachya</i>	Purple	July - September
Purple Prairie Clover	<i>Dalea purpurea</i>	Purple	June - August
Sky Blue Aster	<i>Symphotrichum oolentangiense</i>	Blue	June - August
Smooth Blue Aster	<i>Symphotrichum laevis</i>	Blue	June - August
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender	June - August
Yellow Coneflower	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow	July - September
Grasses		Height	
Big Bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardi</i>	6 Ft.	
Canada Wild Rye	<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	3-5 Ft.	
Indiangrass	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	4-5 Ft.	
Little Bluestem	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	2-3 Ft.	
Side-Oats Grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	2-3 Ft.	
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	2-4 Ft.	

Medium-Dry Tall Prairie Mix – (Mesic-Dry)

Forbs

<i>Common Name</i>	<i>Scientific Name</i>	<i>Blooming Color</i>	<i>Month(s) Blooming</i>
Alum Root	<i>Heuchera richardsonii</i>	White	June - July
Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Yellow	June - September
Butterfly Milkweed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Orange - Red	June - August
Canada Milkvetch	<i>Astragalus canadensis</i>	Green - White	May - August
Common Milkweed	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Pink - Purple	May - August
Evening Primrose	<i>Oenothera biennis</i>	Yellow	June - October
False Boneset	<i>Kuhnia eupatorioides</i>	White - Yellow	July - October
False Sunflower	<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	Orange / Yellow	July - August
Foxglove Beard Tongue	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>	White	May - July
Fragrant Giant Hyssop	<i>Agastache foeniculum</i>	Lavender/Purple	June - September
Heath Aster	<i>Aster ericoides</i>	White	August - October
Hoary Vervian	<i>Verbena stricta</i>	Blue - Purple	May - September
Large Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon grandiflorus</i>	Lavender - Blue	May - June
Leadplant	<i>Amorpha canescens</i>	Purple	June - August
Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>	White	July - September
Partridge Pea	<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>	Yellow	July - September
Prairie Cinquefoil	<i>Potentilla arguta</i>	White	June - July
Purple Coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Purple	July - August
Purple Prairie Clover	<i>Dalea purpurea</i>	Purple	June - August
Roundhead Lespedeza	<i>Lespedeza capitata</i>	White / Purple	August - September
Showy Goldenrod	<i>Solidago speciosa</i>	Yellow	July - September
Sky-Blue Aster	<i>Symphotrichum oolentangiense</i>	Blue	August - October
Stiff Goldenrod	<i>Solidago rigida</i>	Yellow	July - September
Sweet Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia subtomentosa</i>	Yellow	July - September
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender	June - August
White Prairie Clover	<i>Petalostemum candidum</i>	White	June - September
Yellow Coneflower	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow	July - August
Grasses		Height	
Little Bluestem	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	6 Ft.	
Side-Oats Grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	2-3 Ft.	

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Wet Site Prairie Mix – (Wet-Wet Mesic)

Forbs

Common Name	Scientific Name	Blooming Color	Month(s) Blooming
Alum Root	<i>Heuchera richardsonii</i>	White	June - July
Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Yellow	June - September
Blue Vervain	<i>Verbena hastata</i>	Blue	July - September
Canada Milkvetch	<i>Astragalus canadensis</i>	Green - White	May - August
Cardinal Flower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Red	June - September
Compass Plant	<i>Silphium laciniatum</i>	Yellow	June - August
Common Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	White	July - September
Culver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	White	July - August
Cup Plant	<i>Silphium perfoliatum</i>	Yellow	June - August
Foxglove Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>	Purple	May - June
Golden Alexanders	<i>Zizia aurea</i>	Yellow	May - July
Great Blue Lobelia	<i>Lobelia siphilitica</i>	Blue	July - September
Ironweed	<i>Vernonia fasciculata</i>	Purple	July - September
Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>	White	July - September
New England Aster	<i>Symphyotrichum Aster novae-angliae</i>	Purple	September - October
Prairie Blazingstar	<i>Liatris pycnostachya</i>	Purple	July - September
Purple Meadow Rue	<i>Thalictrum dasycarpum</i>	Purple - White	May - June
Rosinweed	<i>Silphium integrifolium</i>	Yellow	July - September
Smooth Blue Aster	<i>Symphyotrichum laevis</i>	Blue	June - August
Sneezeweed	<i>Helenium autumnale</i>	Yellow	August - September
Spotted Joe-Pye Weed	<i>Eupatorium maculatum</i>	Pink	July - September
Swamp Milkweed	<i>Asclepias incarnate</i>	Pink - Purple	June - September
Sweet Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia subtomentosa</i>	Yellow	July - September
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender	June - August
Yellow Coneflower	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow	July - September
Grass / Sedge		Height	
Brown Fox Sedge	<i>Carex vulpinoidea</i>	2-3 Ft.	
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	2-4 Ft.	

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Monarch Butterfly Prairie Mix (Mesic)

Forbs

<i>Common Name</i>	<i>Scientific Name</i>	<i>Blooming Color</i>	<i>Month(s) Blooming</i>
Black-Eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Yellow	June - September
Common Milkweed	<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	Pink - Purple	May - August
New England Aster	<i>Symphyotrichum Aster novae-angliae</i>	Purple	September - October
Showy Goldenrod	<i>Solidago speciosa</i>	Yellow	July - September
Stiff Goldenrod	<i>Solidago rigida</i>	Yellow	July - September
White Prairie Clover	<i>Petalostemum candidum</i>	White	June - October
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender	June - August

Grasses

Height

Big Bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	6 Ft.
Canada Wild Rye	<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	3-5 Ft.
Indiangrass	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	4-5 Ft.
Little Bluestem	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	6 Ft.
Side-Oats Grama	<i>Bouteloua curtipendula</i>	2-3 Ft.

PROGRAM EXTRAS

Bat House - The bat habitat houses are made with rough-sawn Maine White Pine. They are open at the bottom so birds will not nest in them, and no cleaning is needed. Naturally reduces mosquito and other insect populations around your house. Assembly required.

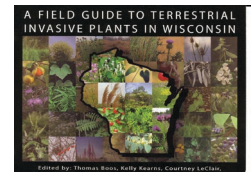


Bluebird House - The beautiful Eastern Bluebird population has experienced a rebound due to the efforts of many people who have provided nesting boxes on their private property. This uniquely designed bluebird house is a favored house for bluebirds. It has easy entry and good ventilation. For the bluebirder it is easy to monitor and to open for cleaning. Stain or paint the handmade bluebird house to your liking – (made with pine and hardboard wood). No assembly required.



Field Guide to Terrestrial Invasive Plants - DNR Field Guide contains 52 invasive species photos and includes identification and control methods. Contains quality photos and keys for easy identification of plants. Available only through the DNR website:

<https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/Invasives/publications.html#publications>



Soil Test Kit - How healthy is your lawn or garden? Use this kit to test your lawn or garden soil pH, potassium, lime requirements and phosphorus. Lab prices are included in the kit. A comprehensive analysis of your soil will be provided.



Well Water Test Kit - For private wells only. Includes the following drinking water and interpretation analyses for some of the more common water quality characteristics: Coliform Bacteria, Nitrate plus Nitrite, pH, Alkalinity, Total Hardness, Chloride, Conductivity and Corrosion Index. Note: A fee is required when you submit your water sample to the UW-Stevens Point-Water & Environmental Analysis Lab. More information found on our website.



Rain Barrels - Recycle rain water for your lawn or rain garden, reduce runoff and conserve groundwater. *Note: picture may not represent actual rain barrel. EarthMinded RS-50 is an attractive and easy to install rain barrel with the best-in-class features:*

- 50 gal. capacity
- Diverter system reduces overflows
- Reversible Planter Lid is decorative and functional
- Barrels nests for efficient transportation and storage
- Durable drum grade HDPE resin
- 10-year UV resistance.



Compost Bin -

- 36" x 30" assembled
- Lg. Capacity – 17 Cubic ft. / 125 Gal.
- Dual slide-up doors
- Large locking lid
- FREE composting book included

