

Rugged native plants for replanting after invasive species removal

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Full to part sun, dry sandy or gravelly soil

WOODY SHRUBS

Beach plum, *Prunus maritima*
Bearberry, *Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*
Bush honeysuckle, *Diervilla lonicera*
Chokeberry, *Aronia melanocarpa*
Dwarf shadbush, *Amelanchier spicata*
Gray dogwood, *Swida racemosa*
Juniper, *Juniperus communis*
New Jersey tea, *Ceanothus americanus*
Small bayberry, *Morella carolinensis*
Staghorn sumac, *Rhus hirta*
Sweet-fern, *Comptonia peregrina*
Virginia rose, *Rosa virginiana*

HERBACEOUS GROUNDCOVER

Aster
Flax-leaved stiff-aster, *Ionactis linarifolia*
Heart-leaved aster, *Symphotrichum cordifolium*
Large-leaved wood aster, *Eurybia macrophylla*
Black-eyed coneflower, *Rudbeckia hirta*
Goldenrod
Common wrinkle-leaved goldenrod, *Solidago rugosa*
Downy goldenrod, *Solidago puberula*
Seaside goldenrod, *Solidago sempervirens*
Hyssop-leaved boneset, *Eupatorium hyssopifolium*
Mountain mint
Broad-leaved mountain mint, *Pycnanthemum muticum*
Virginia mountain mint, *Pycnanthemum virginianum*
Partridge pea, *Chamaecrista fasciculata*
Pearly everlasting, *Anaphalis margaritacea*
Plantain-leaved pussy toes, *Antennaria plantaginifolia*
Wild senna, *Cassia hebecarpa*
Wild strawberry, *Fragaria virginiana*

Full to part sun, moist soils (may become dry in summer)

WOODY SHRUBS

Black elderberry, *Sambucus nigra ssp. canadensis*
Bush honeysuckle, *Diervilla lonicera*
Flowering raspberry, *Rubus odoratus*
Hazelnut, *Corylus americana*
Meadowsweet
Rosy meadowsweet, *Spiraea tomentosa*
White meadowsweet, *Spiraea alba*
River grape, *Vitis riparia*
Shadbush
Canadian serviceberry, *Amelanchier canadensis*
Smooth shadbush, *Amelanchier laevis*
Shrub dogwoods
Gray dogwood, *Swida racemosa*
Red-osier dogwood, *Swida sericea*
Silky dogwood, *Swida amomum*
Viburnums
Arrowwood, *Viburnum dentatum*
Highbush cranberry, *Viburnum trilobum*
Nannyberry, *Viburnum lentago*
Withe-rod, *V. nudum v. cassinoides*
Virginia rose, *Rosa virginiana*
Winterberry holly, *Ilex verticillata*

HERBACEOUS GROUNDCOVER

Anemone
Canada anemone, *Anemone canadensis*
Virginia anemone, *Anemone virginiana*
Aster
New England aster, *Symphotrichum novae-angliae*
New York aster, *Symphotrichum novi-belgii*
Tall white aster, *Doellingeria umbellata*
Common milkweed, *Asclepias syriaca*
Foxglove beardtongue, *Penstemon digitalis*
Golden groundsel, *Packera aurea*
Green-headed coneflower, *Rudbeckia laciniata*
Mountain mint
Broad-leaved mountain mint, *Pycnanthemum muticum*
Virginia mountain mint, *Pycnanthemum virginianum*
Partridge pea, *Chamaecrista fasciculata*
Wild bergamot, *Monarda fistulosa*

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Full to part sun, moist to wet soils

WOODY SHRUBS

Elderberry, *Sambucus nigra* ssp.
canadensis
Meadowsweet
Rosy meadowsweet, *Spiraea tomentosa*
White meadowsweet, *Spiraea alba*
Pussy willow, *Salix discolor*
Red elder, *Sambucus racemosa*
Shadbush
Canadian serviceberry, *Amelanchier canadensis*
Smooth shadbush, *Amelanchier laevis*
Shrub dogwoods
Red-twig dogwood, *Swida sericea*
Silky dogwood, *Swida amomum*
Speckled alder, *Alnus incana*
Viburnums
Arrowwood, *Viburnum dentatum*
Nannyberry, *Viburnum lentago*
Withe-rod, *V. nudum*, v. *cassinoides*
Winterberry holly, *Ilex verticillata*

HERBACEOUS GROUNDCOVER

Aster
New England aster, *Symphotrichum novae-angliae*
New York aster, *Symphotrichum novi-belgii*
Tall white aster, *Doellingeria umbellata*
Blue iris, *Iris versicolor*
Blue vervain, *Verbena hastata*
Boneset, *Eupatorium perfoliatum*
Golden Alexanders, *Zizia aurea*
Golden groundsel, *Packera aurea*
Jewelweed, *Impatiens campensis*
Joe-Pye weed
Coastal plain Joe-Pye weed, *Eutrochium dubium*
Spotted Joe-Pye weed, *Eutrochium maculatum*
Swamp milkweed, *Asclepias incarnata*
Virgin's-bower clematis, *Clematis virginiana*
(sun, part shade)
Wild cucumber, *Echinocystis lobata*
(sun, part shade)

Part to full shade, medium moisture soils

WOODY SHRUBS

Black chokeberry, *Aronia melanocarpa*
Bush honeysuckle, *Diervilla lonicera*
Flowering raspberry, *Rubus odoratus*
Hazelnut
American hazelnut, *Rubus odoratus*
Beaked hazelnut, *Corylus cornuta*
Pagoda dogwood, *Swida alternifolia*
Red elderberry, *Sambucus racemosa*
Shadbush
Canadian serviceberry, *Amelanchier canadensis*
Smooth shadbush, *Amelanchier laevis*
Sweet pepperbush, *Clethra alnifolia*
Witch-hazel, *Hamamelis virginiana*

HERBACEOUS GROUNDCOVER

Aster
Blue wood aster, *Symphotrichum novae-angliae*
Large-leaved aster, *Eurybia macrophylla*
Barren strawberry, *Waldsteinia fragarioides*
Canada anemone, *Anemone canadensis*
Goldenrod
Blue-stem goldenrod, *Solidago caesia*
Zig-zag goldenrod, *Solidago flexicaulis*
Green-headed coneflower, *Rudbeckia laciniata*
Hyssop-leaved boneset, *Eupatorium hyssopifolium*
Jewelweed, *Impatiens campensis*
Mountain mint, *Pycnanthemum muticum*
Partridge pea, *Chamaecrista fasciculata*
Solomon's seal, *Polygonatum biflorum*
Spotted crane's-bill, *Geranium maculatum*
Tall meadow-rue, *Thalictrum pubescens*
Virginia anemone, *Anemone virginiana*
Virginia creeper
Thicket-creeper, *Parthenocissus inserta*
Virginia creeper, *Parthenocissus quinquefolia*
White snakeroot, *Ageratina altissima*
Wild ginger, *Asarum canadense*
Woodland sunflower, *Helianthus divaricata*