

2025 Native Perennials Descriptions

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Order Due Date: Feb 12, 2025

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Woodland Phlox

Phlox divaricata

Friends with *Geranium maculatum*, this plant grows well in a forested situation. Near blue flowers rise above the smooth foliage. Plants can be sheared after flowering for better habit.

- Height: 12" – 18"
- Width: 12" – 18"
- Soil Conditions: Moist/Well Drained
- Native habitat: Prairie & Savanna
- Flower Color: Purple
- Bloom Time: April, May, June
- Hardiness Zone: 3 To 8



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Meadow Anemone

Anemone canadensis

Native groundcover for part shade; spreads assertively.

- Height: 18" – 24"
- Width: 24" – 36"
- Soil Conditions: Moist/Well Drained
- Native Habitat: Wet Prairie, Wet Woodland
- Flower Color: White
- Bloom Time: April, May, June
- Hardiness Zone: 3 To 9




Great Blue Lobelia

Lobelia siphilitica

- Height: 24" – 36"
- Width: 12" – 18"
- Soil Conditions: Moist
- Native Habitat: Wet Prairie, Wetland
- Flower Color: Blue
- Bloom Time: July, August, September
- Hardiness Zone: 4 To 9



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Spotted Joe Pye Weed


Eutrochium maculatum

4-5" flower heads made up of tiny pinkish-purple flowers. Foliage is narrow and coarse. Prefers moist soil. Attracts butterflies

Height: 4' – 6'

- Width: 24" – 36"
- Soil Conditions: Moist
- Native Habitat: Wet Prairie, Wetland
- Flower Color: Pink
- Bloom Time: August, September
- Hardiness Zone: 4 To 9

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Swamp Mallow Hibiscus

Hibiscus moscheutos

Flowers are 5 to 8 inches in diameter with light pink (sometimes white) petals and a purple eye. Native to low marshy sites.

Height: 4' – 6'

Width: 3' – 4'

Soil Conditions: Moist

Native Habitat: Wet Prairie, Wetland

Flower Color: Pink

Bloom Time: July, August, September

Hardiness Zone: 5 To 9

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Prairie Smoke

Geum triflorum

Graceful nodding pink flowers followed by feathery seed heads. The leaves are lobed and toothed. A unique garden plant that attracts bees and parasitic wasps.

- Height: 12" – 18"
- Width: 12" – 18"
- Soil Conditions: Dry
- Native Habitat: Dry & Mesic Prairie
- Flower Color: Pink
- Bloom Time: April, May, June
- Hardiness Zone: 3 To 8



Showy Goldenrod

Solidago speciosa

Golden plumes. Can be somewhat aggressive; needs competition. Attracts butterflies, bees and parasitic wasps. Purple-red fall foliage

- Height: 24" – 36"
- Width: 24" – 36"
- Soil Conditions: Moist/Well Drained
- Native Habitat: Dry & Mesic Prairie, Savanna
- Flower Color: Gold
- Bloom Time: August, September, October
- Hardiness Zone: 3 To 8

