



## **The BCLS Landscape Services List of Native Plants Recommended for Gardens and Landscapes**

### **EVERGREEN TREES**

*Picea glauca* (White Spruce)

*Pinus strobus* (White Pine)

*Thuja occidentalis* (Eastern or American Arborvitae) cultivars – incl.  
'Douglas'; 'Nigra'; 'Smaragd'; 'Techney'

*Tsuga canadensis* (Canadian Hemlock)

*Tsuga canadensis* 'Pendula' ('Sargent' Weeping Hemlock originally discovered  
near Beacon, NY in 1800's)

### **BROADLEAF EVERGREEN SHRUBS**

*Ilex glabra* (Inkberry)

*Kalmia latifolia* (Mountain Laurel)

*Rhododendron maximum* (Rosebay Rhododendron)

### **SHADE TREES**

*Acer rubrum* varieties (Red (Swamp) Maple)

*Acer saccharum* varieties (Sugar Maple)

*Betula nigra* (River Birch)

*Betula papyrifera* (Paper White (Canoe) Birch)

*Fagus grandifolia* (American Beech)

*Liquidambar styraciflua* (Sweet Gum)

*Nyssa sylvatica* (Sour Gum)

*Quercus alba* (White Oak)

*Quercus bicolor* (Swamp White Oak)

*Quercus coccinea* (Scarlet Oak)  
*Quercus palustris* (Pin Oak)  
*Quercus rubra* (Northern Red Oak)

#### **DECIDUOUS FLOWERING TREES**

*Amelanchier species* (Shadbush)  
*Cercis canadensis* (Redbud)  
*Chionanthus virginicus* (White Fringe)  
*Cladrastis lutea* (Yellowwood)  
*Cornus alternifolia* (Pagoda Dogwood)  
*Cornus florida* (Flowering Dogwood)  
*Crataegus crus-galli* (Cockspur Hawthorn)  
*Crataegus phaenopyrum* (Washington Hawthorn)  
*Crataegus viridis* 'Winter King' (Winterking Hawthorn)  
*Magnolia virginiana* 'Glauca' (Sweey Bay Magnolia)

#### **DECIDUOUS FLOWERING SHRUBS**

*Aronia arbutifolia* 'Brilliant' (Red Chokeberry)  
*Azalea arborescens* (Fragrant Azalea)  
*Azalea nudiflora* (Pinxterbloom Azalea)  
*Azalea vaseyi* (Pink Shell Azalea)  
*Azalea viscosa* (Swamp Azalea)  
*Cephalanthus occidentalis* (Buttonbush)  
*Clethra alnifolia* (Sweet Pepperbush)  
*Comptonia peregrina* (Sweet Fern)  
*Cornus sericea* (Red Twig Dogwood)  
*Hamamelis virginiana* (Fall Witch Hazel)  
*Ilex verticillata* (Winterberry)  
*Lindera benzoin* (Spicebush)  
*Myrica pensylvanica* (Bayberry)  
*Salix discolor* (Pussy Willow)  
*Sambucus canadensis* (Canadian Elderberry)  
*Vaccinium corymbosum* (Highbush Blueberry)  
*Viburnum dentatum* (Arrowwood)  
*Viburnum lentana* (Wayfaring incl. 'Mohican')  
*Viburnum lentago* (Nannyberry)  
*Viburnum prunifolium* (Black Haw Viburnum)  
*Viburnum trilobum* (American Cranberry Bush)

## **“WOODY” GROUNDCOVERS**

*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi* (Bearberry)  
*Cornus canadensis* (Bunchberry)  
*Gaultheria procumbens* (Checkerberry or Wintergreen)  
*Mitchella repens* (Partridgeberry)  
*Xanthoxylum simplicissimum* (Yellow Root)

## **PERENNIALS**

*Aquilegia canadensis* (Wild Columbine)  
*Aruncus dioicus* (Goatsbeard)  
*Asclepias tuberosa* (Butterfly Weed)  
*Aster novae-angliae* and cvs. (Harrington’s Pink New England Aster)  
*Aster novi-belgii* and cvs. (New York Aster)  
*Caltha palustris* (Marsh Marigold)  
*Cimicifuga racemosa* (Snakeroot)  
*Dicentra cucullaria* (Dutchman’s Breeches)  
*Gillenia stipulata* (Bowman’s Root)  
*Helenium autumnale* (Sneezeweed)  
*Hibiscus moscheutos* (Marsh Mallow)  
*Iris cristata* (Crested Iris)  
*Iris versicolor* (Blue Flag)  
*Lobelia cardinalis* (Cardinal Flower)  
*Lobelia siphilitica* (Great Blue Lobelia)  
*Mertensia virginica* (Virginia Bluebells)  
*Monarda didyma* (Bee Balm)  
*Pachysandra procumbens* (Alleghany Spurge)  
*Phlox divaricata* (Canadian Phlox)  
*Physostegia virginiana* (False Dragonhead)  
*Podophyllum peltatum* (May Apple)  
*Rudbeckia fulgida* (Black-eyed Susan)  
*Sanguinaria canadense* (Bloodroot)  
*Tiarella* (Foam Flower)  
*Trillium erectum* (Wake Robin)  
*Trillium grandiflorum* (Snow Trillium)  
*Veronicastrum virginicum* (Bowman’s Root)  
*Viola cucullata* (Marsh Blue Violet)

## **FERNS**

*Adiantum pedatum* (American Maidenhair Fern)

*Anthyrium felix-femina* (Lady Fern)

*Dennstaedtia punctilobula* (Hay-Scented Fern)

*Dryopteris cristata* (Crested Wood Fern)

*Matteuccia pennsylvanica* (Ostrich Fern)

*Onoclea sensibilis* (Sensitive Fern)

*Osmunda cinnamomen* (Cinnamon Fern)

*Osmunda regalis* (Royal Fern)

*Polystichum acrostichoides* ( Christmas Fern)

*Thelypteris noveboracensis* (New York Fern)

## **GRASSES**

*Acorus calamus* (Sweet Flag)

*Andropogan virginicus* (Broom Sedge)

*Festuca glauca* (Blue Fescue)

*Panicum virgatum* (Switch Grass)