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Common Name	Latin Name	Sun Preference			Soil Type				Height (approx. range)					Growth Rate			Bloom Time			Blossom X indicates showy	Special Characteristics		
		Shade	Part Shade /Sun	Sun	Shallow, rocky soils	Well drained soil	Wet or moist soil	Tolerant of many soils	0-5'	5-20'	20-35'	35-60'	60-80'	80-100' +	Slow	Medium	Fast	May/June	June/July		August/September	Deer Resistant/tolerant	Live staking Veg. cuttings
<b>Trees</b>																							
Balsam Fir	<i>Abies balsamea</i>			X	X	X					X			X				X					
Balsam Poplar	<i>Populus balsamifera</i>		X	X			X	X					X			X		X					
Basswood	<i>Tilia americana</i>		X	X									X		X	X		X					
Black Cherry	<i>Prunus serotina</i>		X	X	X	X							X			X		X	X		X		
Bur Oak	<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>		X	X		X							X			X		X					
Chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>			X				X		X						X		X	X		X		
Eastern Black Willow	<i>Salix nigra</i>		X	X			X				X					X		X			X	X	
Hackberry	<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>		X	X		X	X	X			X					X	X	X					
Paper Birch	<i>Betula papyrifera</i>		X	X		X					X					X	X	X			X		
Red Maple	<i>Acer rubrum</i>		X	X			X	X					X			X	X	X			X		
Red Oak	<i>Quercus rubra</i>		X	X		X						X				X	X	X					
River Birch	<i>Betula nigra</i>		X	X	X						X					X	X	X					
Quaking Aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>		X			X		X				X				X		X			X		
Serviceberry/Shadbush	<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>	X	X	X	X	X				X						X		X			X	X	
Silver Maple	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	X						X					X			X		X					
Sugar Maple	<i>Acer saccharum</i>	X	X	X		X	X					X				X		X					
Swamp White Oak	<i>Quercus bicolor</i>			X		X	X						X			X		X					
Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>			X		X	X	X					X			X	X	X					
White Pine	<i>Pinus strobus</i>	X	X	X	X								X			X		X					
White Oak	<i>Quercus alba</i>		X	X		X	X						X			X		X					
Yellow Birch	<i>Betula alleghaniensis</i>	X	X					X			X					X		X			X		
<b>Shrubs</b>																							
American Hazelnut	<i>Corylus americana</i>		X	X		X	X		X						X	X		X					
Arrowwood	<i>Viburnum dentatum</i>		X	X			X	X		X					X			X				X	
Buttonbush*	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>			X			X		X						X	X		X		X		X	
Chokeberry	<i>Aronia melanocarpa</i>		X	X		X	X	X							X			X				X	
Elderberry	<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>		X	X			X		X							X		X			X	X	
Gray Dogwood	<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	X	X	X		X			X					X				X				X	
Highbush Cranberry vib.	<i>Viburnum trilobum</i>		X			X	X	X	X						X			X			X	X	
Ironwood	<i>Carpinus carolinana</i>		X	X		X	X		X					X				X				X	
Lowbush Blueberry	<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>	X	X	X	X			X							X			X					
Lowbush Fragrant Sumac	<i>Rhus aromatica</i>		X	X	X	X		X	X						X			X			X		
Nannyberry	<i>Viburnum lentago</i>		X	X			X	X	X						X			X				X	
Ninebark	<i>Physocarpus opulifolius</i>			X				X	X								X	X					
Pussy Willow	<i>Salix discolor</i>		X	X		X	X			X						X		X				X	
Red-osier Dogwood	<i>Cornus sericea</i>	X	X	X			X		X							X		X			X	X	
Silky Dogwood	<i>Cornus amomum</i>	X	X			X	X	X								X		X			X	X	
Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>	X	X	X		X	X	X	X					X				X					
Steeplebush	<i>Spiraea tomentosa</i>			X			X	X								X		X	X			X	
Summersweet	<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>	X	X	X			X	X								X		X	X		X		

Virginia Rose	<i>Rosa virginiana</i>	x	x				x		x							x		x	x	x				
Winterberry**	<i>Ilex verticillata</i>	x	x	x			x	x		x					x	x			x		x			x
Witch-hazel	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>	x	x		x		x								x									
Herbaceous																								
Bee Balm	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>		x	x					x	x						x		x	x	x		x		x
Beardtongue	<i>Penstemon hirsutus</i>	x	x	x	x	x								x				x		x				x
Black-eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>			x					x	x						x		x	x	x				
Blue Flag Iris	<i>Iris versicolor</i>		x	x					x	x	x					x			x		x			x
Blue Wild Indigo	<i>Baptisia australis</i>		x	x			x							x				x			x			x
Butterfly Milkweed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>			x										x				x	x	x				x
Cardinal Flower	<i>Labelia cardinalis</i>	x	x	x					x						x			x	x	x				x
Closed Bottle Gentian	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>	x	x						x						x				x		x			
Purple Coneflower	<i>Echinacea</i>			x					x	x						x		x	x	x				
Heliopsis Genus Plants	<i>Heliopsis</i>			x					x	x						x		x	x	x				
Joe Pye Weed	<i>Eupatoriadelphus maculatum</i>		x	x												x		x	x	x		x		x
New England Aster	<i>Symphotrichum novae-angliae</i>			x	x	x										x			x	x		x		x
Nodding Onion	<i>Allium cernuum</i>			x											x				x		x			
Swamp Milkweed	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>		x	x											x			x	x	x				x
Tickseed	<i>Coreopsis</i>		x	x												x		x	x	x				
Turtlehead	<i>Chelone glabra</i>		x	x												x			x	x				x
White Boneset	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>		x	x												x			x	x				x

Key Symbol	Meaning
*	Must be planted at waters edge
**	1 male plant for every 3 female plants needed