

Tom Lukens' Example Native Plantings Spreadsheet - 604 Congress Ave.																	
Valley Stewardship Network Native Plantings Garden Open House																	
Latin name	Common name(s)	attracts	height	spread	spacing	fruiting	fall color	natural habitat	soils	moisture	tolerant/intolerant	light	description	bloomtime and color	suggested use	seasonal interest	comments
Viburnum opulus var. americanum	Highbush, now American Cranberry	96 lepidoptera, birds	8-12'	8-12'	6-8'	showy, edible after freezes	yes, yellow to red/purple	wide range, moist low places often	loams, tollerates wide range, alkaline best	medium to moist	t: drought and clay	sun, pt shade		white lacecap, fragrant, April/May	foundations, hedge, screens	4 season winter red berries	prune immediately post flower
Viburnum acerifolium	Maple Leaf Viburnum	96 lepidoptera, birds	4 - 6'	3 - 4'		requires multiples though	unique purple-pink		prefers acidic, <6.8 Ph	adaptable	t: shade	part shade	low densely branched, form clumps	white, April - August	hedge, screen, foundatin		suckers into thickets
Viburnum lentigo	Nannyberry	96 lepidoptera, birds	10 - 18'	6 - 12'	6 - 12'	edible, needs multiples, yellow red to blue black	variable, often red	woodlands, woods edges	adaptable	adaptable	t: draught, shade, alkaline, wet	sun, part shade	suckering, upright multistemmed, can be made single-stem	May, white	hedges, screens	yes, lasting blue-black berries	prune after blooming for next yr's bud set, plant multiples
Symphoricarpos albus	Snowberry	32 lepidoptera, pollinators, birds	3 - 9'	3 - 9'	8 - 10'	white, single plants OK		dry to moist, opens to rocky slopes	infertile sands and gravels	extremely versatile	t: dry to wet	full sun, part shade	unkempt, not well behaved may need to thin suckers	May - August	casual thickets, screens	yes white berries in winter	mildly poisonous to people, good erosion control
Diervilla lonicera	Northern Bush Honeysuckle	3 lepidoptera, birds	2 - 3'	4'	2 - 3'	requires multiples to pollinate	yellow/orange to red/purple	edges, disturbed sites, dry woods, adaptable	poor rocky OK, acidic <6.8?	dry	t: draught	full sun best color, adaptable	small mound-shaped, dark green, fast growing, forms thickets	long-blooming, red, orange, yel., purple	hedge rows, shrub borders		forms thickets, thin old stems, reqs. multiples, prop by cuttings
Cornus sericea	Red Osier Dogwood	birds, polinators, 106 lepidoptera	6 - 10'	8 - 12'	8 - 12'	yes,	yes, orange to burgondy	wet margins	best rich soil, but adaptable	moist but OK dryer	t: clay, wet	sun best, part shade OK	fast growing, adaptable, best in groups	May/June, white, fragrant	informal hedges, screens	yes 4 season, red stems	give them room! Propagarte by cuttings
Aronia melanocarpa	Black Chokeberry	birds, pollinators	3 - 6'	4 - 6'	3 - 6'	yes, edible, black to purple	striking orange to burgondy	adaptable, from bluffs to moist low spots	wide range, slightly acidic	dry to moist, adaptable	t: wet soils & flooding	sun, part shade	suckering vase-like, rounded, small tree or multitrunked	showy white flowers, May	group or mass in borders	yes	jams and jellies, suckers profusely easy to grow?prop. w/semi-hardwood cuttings
Amelanchier laevis	Allegheny Serviceberry, Juneberry	pollinators, birds, 106 lepidoptera	15 - 25'	10 - 15'	15*- 25'	like blueberry size and taste	red-orange	open woods, thickets	prefers moist well-drained but tolerates wide range	dry to moist, drougth sensitive	it: draught	full sun part shade	small tree or multitrunked smooth grey barkw/white stripes	whity, showy, fragrant, early spring	specimen plant or tall hedge	year round	
Caenethos americanus	New Jersey Tea, Redroot	38 lepidoptera, bees, polinators, birds	2 - 3'	3 - 5'	4 - 5' (3'?)	no	burnt orange	prairies, open dry woods	average to poor, well-drained, alkaline	dry OK	it: clay soil	full sun best, light shade OK	compact, dense, rounded, grey-green leaves	flower showy, fragrant, good cut	borders, ground cover on rocky slopes	burnt orange	slow starter! Non-legume fixes N, prune summer only, tollerates black walnut toxicity
Physocarpus opulifolius	Ninebark	34 lepidoptera, birds, polinators	3 - 10'	3 - 12'	5 - 10'	must plant multiples	insignificant yellow	stream banks, rocky ledges, moist thickets	clay, loam, sand	dry to medium	t: dry, wet, clay, rocky, alkalinity	full sun, pt. shade	full mounded upright, coarse	May/June, white - pink,	screening, mixed border, erosion control	good year round interest	water during est., plant multiples, prop. cuttings or early sp. spade clumps, tolerates walnut tox.
Prunus virginiana var. virginiana	Chokecherry	377 lepidoptera, birds, polinators	15 - 30'		15-20'	multiples best, red turn black July/Aug	yellow to orange	woodlands, bluffs, ravines	alkaline soils but tollerant	highly adaptable	tree-like	full sun, part shade	tree-like	May	mixed borders	spring, fall	plant 2 - 3 together best, grows fast, poss. tent catapillars