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Native Plants for Pollinators

Resources

The Xerces Guide to Attracting Native
Pollinators www.xerces.org

The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment
Station Pollinator Information Portal
<http://www.ct.gov/caes/cwp/view.asp?a=2826&q=578322&caesNav=%7C>

New England Wildflower Society's Nasami
Farm list noting "Pollinator Powerhouses"
<http://www.newenglandwild.org/grow/buy-native-plants/plant-availability-list.pdf/view>

New York State Pollinator Protection Plan
http://www.dec.ny.gov/docs/administration_pdf/nypollinatorplan.pdf

Wild Seed Project, Maine
<http://wildseedproject.net>

*Willows (*Salix* spp.)
Skunk cabbage (*Symplocarpus foetidus*)
Shadblow (*Amelanchier*)
Pachysandra procumbens
Hollies (*Ilex* spp.)
Maples (*Acer*)
Golden groundsel (*Packera aurea*, *P. obovatus*)
Golden alexanders (*Zizia aurea*, *Z. aptera*)
*Blueberries (*Vaccinium* spp.)
Phlox spp. (*P. paniculata* 'Jeana')
Black-eyed Susans (*Rudbeckia* spp.)
Anise hyssop (*Agastache*)
Obedient plant (*Physostegia virginiana*)
*Bee balm (*Monarda* spp.)
Mountain mint (*Pycnanthemum* spp.)
Blazing star (*Liatris* spp.)
Rattlesnake master (*Eryngium yuccifolium*)
Milkweeds (*Asclepias* spp.)
Cimicifuga/Actaea
Sumersweet (*Clethra alnifolia*)
*Sunflowers (*Helianthus* spp.)
Eupatorium/Conoclinium/Eutrochium spp.
Bottlebrush buckeye (*Aesculus parviflora*)
*Goldenrods (*Solidago* spp.)
*Asters (*Symphotrichum* spp.)

* Best of the Best

Long season, plentiful bloom, support
generalist and specialist species
(Dr. Kim Stoner, CAES research)