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<i>Prunus americana</i>	T*	wild plum	Low	15-25 ft	15-25 ft	March				
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	T	red maple	Low	40-70 ft	30-50 ft	March-April				
<i>Amelanchier arborea</i>	T*	serviceberry	Low	15-25 ft	15-25 ft	March-April				
<i>Mertensia virginica</i>	*	Virginia bluebells	Medium	18-24 in	12-18 in	March-April				
<i>Viola pubescens</i>	*	yellow violet	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	March-April				
<i>Viola pedata</i>	*	Bird's Foot violet	Medium	3-6 in	3-6 in	March-May				
<i>Carex eburnea</i>	GS	Bristle-leaved sedge	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	April				
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	T*	eastern redbud	Low	20-30 ft	25-35 ft	April				
<i>Iris cristata</i>	*	Dwarf Crested iris	Medium	6-9 in	6-12 in	April				
<i>Packera aurea</i>	*	Golden ragwort	Medium	6-30 in	6-18 in	April				
<i>Aesculus pavia</i>	DS*	red buckeye	Medium	12-15 ft	12-15 ft	April-May				
<i>Asarum canadense</i>		wild ginger	Low	6-12 in	12-18 in	April-May				
<i>Carex radiata</i>	GS	Eastern Star sedge	Low	24-30 in	18-24 in	April-May				
<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	T	hackberry	Low	40-60 ft	40-60 ft	April-May				
<i>Cornus florida</i>	T*	flowering dogwood	Medium	15-30 ft	15-30 ft	April-May				
<i>Cornus florida f. rubra</i>	T*	pink flowering dogwood	Medium	15-30 ft	15-30 ft	April-May				
<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>		wild strawberry	Medium	3-9 in	12-24 in	April-May				
<i>Magnolia acuminata</i>	T*	cucumber tree	Low	40-70 ft	20-35 ft	April-May				
<i>Phlox divaricata</i>	*	woodland phlox	Low	9-12 in	9-12 in	April-May				
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	T*	black cherry	Low	50-80 ft	30-60 ft	April-May				
<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	T*	chokecherry	Medium	20-30 ft	15-20 ft	April-May				
<i>Sassafras albidum</i>	T	sassafras	Medium	30-60 ft	25-49 ft	April-May				

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<i>Sedum ternatum</i>		wild stonecrop	Low	3-6 in	6-9 in	April-May				
<i>Silene caroliniana</i>	*	wild pink	Medium	9-12 in	9-12 in	April-May				
<i>Staphylea trifolia</i>	DS*	bladdernut	Low	10-15 ft	10-20 ft	April-May				
<i>Waldsteinia fragarioides</i>		barren strawberry	Low	3-6 in	6-12 in	April-May				
<i>Antennaria parlinii</i>	*	pussy toes	Low	6-12 in	9-18 in	April-June				
<i>Antennaria plantaginifolia</i>		pussy toes	Low	6-12 in	9-18 in	April-June				
<i>Antennaria neglecta</i>	*	field pussytoes	Medium	6-12 in	6-12 in	April-June				
<i>Erigeron pulchellus</i>	*	Robin's plantain	Low	18-24 in	18-24 in	April-June				
<i>Packera obovata</i>	*	roundleaf groundsel	Medium	12-18 in	6-12 in	April-June				
<i>Viola pedatifida</i>	*	prairie violet	Low	6-9 in	6-9 in	April-June				
<i>Viola striata</i>	*	striped cream violet	Medium	9-12 in	9-12 in	April-June				
<i>Viola sororia</i>	*	common blue violet	Medium	6-9 in	6-9 in	April-August				
<i>Carex pensylvanica</i>	GS	Pennsylvania sedge	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	May				
<i>Carex praegracilis</i>	GS	clustered field sedge	Low	24-36 in	24-36 in	May				
<i>Cladrastis kentukea</i>	T	yellowwood	Low	30-50 ft	40-55 ft	May				
<i>Crataegus crus-galli</i>	T*	cockspur thorn	Medium	25-35 ft	25-35 ft	May				
<i>Crataegus nitida</i>	T*	hawthorn	Medium	20-30 ft	20-30 ft	May				
<i>Crataegus viridis</i>	T*	green hawthorn	Low	25-35 ft	25-35 ft	May				
<i>Phlox bifida</i>	*	sand phlox	Medium	3-6 in	6-12 in	May				
<i>Prunus mexicana</i>	T*	mexican plum	Medium	15-25 ft	15-25 ft	May				
<i>Callirhoe involucrata</i>	*	purple poppy mallow	Low	6-12 in	6-36 in	May-June				
<i>Carex laxiculmis</i>	GS	creeping sedge	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	May-June				

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<i>Chionanthus virginicus</i>	T*	fringe tree	Low	12- 20 ft	12-20 ft	May-June				
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	DS*	Pagoda dogwood	Low	15-25 ft	20-32 ft	May-June				
<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	T*	tulip tree	Low	60-90 ft	30-50 ft	May-June				
<i>Sedum pulchellum</i>	*	widow's cross	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	May-June				
<i>Sisyrinchium angustifolium</i>	*	blue-eyed grass	Medium	18-24 in	6-12 in	May-June				
<i>Carex bromoides</i>	GS	brome-like sedge	Low	9-12 in	9-12 in	May-July				
<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>	*	lanceleaf coreopsis	Medium	12-24 in	12-18 in	May-July				
<i>Dalea candida</i>	*	white prairie clover	Low	12-24 in	9-18 in	May-July				
<i>Mitchella repens</i>		partridge berry	Low	3 in	6-12 in	May-July				
<i>Phlox pilosa subsp. ozarkana</i>	*	ozark phlox	Medium	12-24 in	12-18 in	May-July				
<i>Glandularia canadensis</i>	*	rose verbena	Low	6-18 in	12-24 in	May-August				
<i>Oenothera macrocarpa</i>	*	Missouri primrose	Low	9-12 in	12-18 in	May-August				
<i>Verbena stricta</i>	*	hoary vervain	Low	24-48 in	18-24 in	May-September				
<i>Crataegus phaenopyrum</i>	T*	Washington hawthorn	Medium	20-30 ft	20-30 ft	June				
<i>Desmanthus illinoensis</i>	*	Illinois bundleflower	Low	24-36 in	24-36 in	June				
<i>Ptelea trifoliata</i>	T	hop tree	Low	15-20 ft	15-20 ft	June				
<i>Tilia americana</i>	T	American linden	Low	50-80 ft	30-50 ft	June				
<i>Echinacea pallida</i>	*	pale purple coneflower	Low	24-36 in	12-18	June-July				
<i>Opuntia macrorhiza</i>	*	plains prickly pear	Low	6-12 in	6-12 in	June-July				
<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	*	common milkweed	Low	24-36 in	9-12 in	June-August				
<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	*	Butterfly Milkweed	Low	12-30 in	12-18 in	June-August				
<i>Buchloe dactyloides</i>	GS	buffalo grass	Low	3-9 in	6-12 in	June-August				

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<i>Callirhoe bushii</i>	*	Bush's poppy mallow	Low	12-18 in	12-24 in	June-August				
<i>Campanula rotundifolia</i>	*	harebell	Low	12-18 in	6-12 in	June-September				
<i>Dalea purpurea</i>	*	purple prairie clover	Low	12-36 in	12-18 in	June-August				
<i>Desmodium canadense</i>	*	showy tick trefoil	Low	24-60 in	12-24 in	June-August				
<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	*	purple coneflower	Low	24-60 in	18-24 in	June-August				
<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	*	oxeye sunflower	Low	36-72 in	24-48 in	June-August				
<i>Asclepias verticillata</i>	*	whorled milkweed	Low	12-30 in	12-24 in	June-September				
<i>Cassia fasciculata</i>	*	partridge pea	Low	12-36 in	12-36 in	June-September				
<i>Coreopsis tinctoria</i>	*	plains coreopsis	Low	12-48 in	12-18 in	June-September				
<i>Ratibida columnaris</i>	*	mexican hat	Medium	12-36 in	12-18 in	June-September				
<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	*	black-eyed susan	Low	24-36 in	12-24 in	June-September				
<i>Evolvulus nuttallianus</i>	*	shaggy dwarf morning glory	Low	12-18 in	12-18 in	June-frost				
<i>Bidens aristosa</i>	*	tickseed sunflower	Low	36-72 in	12-24 in	July-August				
<i>Amorpha canescens</i>	*	lead plant	Low	24-36 in	24-30 in	July-September				
<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	*	wild bergamot	Medium	24-48 in	24-36 in	July-September				
<i>Silphium integrifolium</i>	*	rosin weed	Low	24-72 in	12-36 in	July-September				
<i>Silphium perfoliatum</i>	*	cup plant	Low	48-96 in	12-36 in	July-September				
<i>Symphyotrichum novae-angliae</i>	*	New England aster	Medium	36-72 in	24-36 in	August-September				
<i>Elephantopus carolinianus</i>	*	elephant's foot	Low	24-36 in	24-36 in	August-September				
<i>Rudbeckia fulgida var. umbrosa</i>	*	orange coneflower	Low	20-30 in	24-36 in	August-September				
<i>Symphyotrichum oblongifolium</i>	*	aromatic aster	Medium	12-36 in	12-36 in	August-September				
<i>Sporobolus heterolepis</i>	GS	prairie dropseed	Low	24-36 in	24-36 in	August-October				




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<i>Diplazium pycnocarpon</i>		glade fern	Low	24-36 in	24-36 in	Non-flowering				
<i>Taxodium distichum var. distichum</i> T		bald cypress	Low	50-70 ft	20-45 ft	Non-flowering	