

TOP PERFORMERS

Latin Name

Grasses/Sedges

Carex annectans
 Carex albicans
 Carex eburnea
 Carex grayii
 Carex muskingumensis
 Diarrhena obovata
 Sporobolus heterolepis

Common Name

Yellow Fox sedge
 Oak sedge
 Cedar sedge
 Globe sedge
 Palm sedge
 Beak grass
 Prairie dropseed

Perennials

Amsonia illustris*
 Antennaria neglecta**
 Asarum canadense
 Aster oblongifolius*
 Asclepias tuberosa
 Baptisia sphaerocarpa
 Callirhoe involucrata
 Echinacea purpurea
 Heuchera richardsonii
 Heuchera parviflora
 Hibiscus lasiocarpus
 Iris cristata
 Iris fulva
 Liatris scariosa var. nieulandii
 Liatris spicata
 Pycnanthemum tenuifolium
 Rudbeckia fulgida var. umbrosa
 Senecio obovatus
 Silene regia
 Solidago flexicaulis**
 Spigelia marylandica

Shining bluestar
 Prairie pussytoes
 Wild ginger
 Aromatic aster
 Butterfly milkweed
 Yellow wild indigo
 Purple poppy mallow
 Purple coneflower
 Prairie alumroot
 Littleflower alumroot
 Rose mallow
 Dwarf crested iris
 Copper iris
 Eastern blazingstar
 Dense blazingstar
 Slender mountain mint
 Orange coneflower
 Round-leaved groundsel
 Royal catchfly
 Zig-zag goldenrod
 Indian pink

	Height (feet)	Spacing (feet)	Sun	Pt Sun	Pt Shade	Shade	Dry	Medium	Wet	Birds	Butterflies	Fall Color	Winter Interest	Aggressiveness		
Carex annectans	2-3	2	x	x	x			x	x	x					L	
Carex albicans	10"	1	x	x	x	x	x	x							L	x
Carex eburnea					x	x	x								L	x
Carex grayii	1-2	1.5		x	x	x		x	x	x					L	x
Carex muskingumensis	2.5	1.5	x	x	x	x		x	x	x					M	x
Diarrhena obovata	2.5	1.5			x	x	x		x						M	
Sporobolus heterolepis	2-3	1.5	x				x	x		x					L	
Amsonia illustris*	2-3	2.5	x	x	x		x	x	x		x	x			L	
Antennaria neglecta**	2"	1	x	x	x		x	x							M	
Asarum canadense	6"	1			x	x	x	x							L	
Aster oblongifolius*	2	1.5	x	x			x	x		x					M	
Asclepias tuberosa	1-2	1.5	x				x	x			x				M	
Baptisia sphaerocarpa	2	2	x	x			x	x							L	
Callirhoe involucrata	1-2	3	x	x			x	x							M	
Echinacea purpurea	2-3	1.5		x	x	x	x	x		x	x				L	
Heuchera richardsonii	1	1	x	x	x	x	x	x							L	
Heuchera parviflora	1	1		x	x	x	x	x							L	
Hibiscus lasiocarpus	4-6	2.5	x	x	x			x	x		x	x			M	
Iris cristata	1	1		x	x	x	x								L	
Iris fulva	2-3	1.5	x	x			x	x	x						M	
Liatris scariosa var. nieulandii	3-4	1.5	x	x	x		x	x		x	x	x			L	
Liatris spicata	2-3	1.5	x	x			x	x	x	x	x				L	
Pycnanthemum tenuifolium	2	1.5	x	x			x	x			x				L	
Rudbeckia fulgida var. umbrosa	2	1.5	x	x				x	x	x	x				M	
Senecio obovatus	6"	1			x	x	x	x							M	
Silene regia	3-4	1.5	x	x			x	x							L	
Solidago flexicaulis**	2	1.5		x	x	x	x	x							L	
Spigelia marylandica	1-2	1.5			x	x	x	x		x					L	



