A Vascular Plant Inventory and Vegetation Analysis of the

Johnson County Heritage Trust's Belgum Grove in Johnson County, Iowa

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 250 species of vascular plants have been documented from Belgum Grove, and an extraordinarily low percentage (71%) is native.
- Vegetation on the site is dominated by a small number of alien species, and most native species are very limited in abundance.
- The property supports three man-made plant communities, Pasture, Reconstructed Prairie, and Riparian. One natural community, Woodland, is also supported.
- Historically covered by prairie, most of the site has been farmed since 1937.
- Several aggressive alien species, including wild parsnip (Pastinaca sativa),
 Canada thistle (Cirsium arvense) and ox-eye daisy (Leucanthemum vulgare)
 present a challenge to sustainable management on the property.

INTRODUCTION

Belgum Grove is a 40-acre site located in section 13, township 78N, range 7W (Fig. 1). It was acquired by the Johnson County Heritage Trust in 1998. Prior to its acquisition, the property was utilized for agricultural purposes. The site was largely pastured, but also supported a small orchard.

Figure 1. Topographic Map

Figure 2. 2002 Aerial Photograph

General Land Office Survey

In May of 1841, General Land Office Surveyors Foley and McDonald passed within 1/4 mile of Belgum Grove along two section lines, first between sections 13 and 14, and second between sections 13 and 24 of township 78N, range 7W. One-half mile from the property, the Surveyors passed along the section line between sections 13 and 12.

They describe the land along the section lines between sections 13 and 14, and 13 and 12, as "rolling prairie" and "first rate" (Fig. 3). The land along the section line between sections 13 and 24 is described as "rolling prairie" and "second rate". The surveyors encountered unbroken prairie, with virtually no trees present.

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Figure 3. General Land Office survey notes, line between sections 13 & 24, and 13 & 14

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Figure 4. General Land Office survey notes, line between sections 12 and 13

Aerial Photographs

By 1937, most of the Belgum property was actively farmed (Fig. 5), though small areas, including a very modest woodland remnant, had been spared from cultivation along Dirty Face Creek and a north-south-oriented tributary.

The extent of active agricultural usage increased slightly between 1951 and 1970 (Fig. 6-8). A triangular segment of uncultivated land, supporting scattered trees, is visible in the 1937 and 1951 photographs (Fig. 5-7), but had been cleared by 1963. A linear fringe of uncultivated land along the tributary of Dirty Face Creek, also supporting scattered trees, was present as recently as 1963, but had been cleared by 1970.

By 1983, a barn had been constructed on the northwestern corner of the property (Fig. 9). By 1991, a small orchard and pine plantation, occupying approximately 2.5 acres along the southern margin of the woodland remnant, had been well established (Fig. 10).

Figure 5. 1937 Aerial Photograph

Figure 6. 1951 Aerial Photograph

Figure 7. 1963 Aerial Photograph

Figure 8. 1970 Aerial Photograph

Figure 9. 1983 Aerial Photograph

Figure 10. 1991 Aerial Photograph

Figure 11. 2002 Aerial Photograph

Soil Survey

Land bordering Dirty Face Creek is covered Nodaway silt loam, with 0 to 2 percent slopes (220)(Fig. 12). Low-lying land occupying drainages to the south is covered by Colo-Ely complex, with 2 to 5 percent slopes (11B). Clinton silty clay loam, with 9 to 14 percent slopes (80D3) and Clinton silt loam, 5 to 9 percent slopes (80C2), occur on uplands south of the creek. These soils are characterized as "severely eroded", and "moderately eroded", respectively. Lagoda silt loam, with 2 to 5 percent slopes (76B), and Nodaway Arenzville silt loams, with 1 to 4 percent slopes (729B), occur along the northern margin of the property.

Figure 12. Soil Survey Map

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Study Site

Iowa. Johnson County: Johnson County Heritage Trust's Belgum Grove, 500th Street, 1/4 E of Lackender Avenue intersection.

Legal Description

Township 78N, Range 7W

NE 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec. 13

Latitude/Longitude

41° 33' 41"N, 91° 36' 37"W to 41° 33' 28"N, 91° 36' 37"W

Field Research

The inventory was conducted during the 2005 growing season (Table 1), initiated in May, 2005 and continued through September.

Table 1. Dates of field surveys.

May 16, 2005
May 24, 2005
June 3, 2005
June 16, 2005
July 22, 2005
July 31, 2005
August 10, 2005
August 20, 2005
September 18,
2005
September 29,
2005

Field visits to the study sites were made throughout the growing season, in order to observe and collect plants at an optimal stage (e.g., flowering or fruiting) for identification. Portions of plants were collected routinely for identification purposes. Most species were recorded from the first zone in which they were found and not from additional zones, unless they happened to be particularly characteristic of more than one area.

Identifications

Plants collected during the course of the inventory were identified using dichotomous keys, mainly those in the *Manual of Vascular Plants of Northeastern United States and Adjacent Canada* (Gleason & Cronquist, 1991).

Nomenclature of vascular plants follows *The Vascular Plants of Iowa* (Eilers & Roosa, 1994).

Land Survey Records

Land survey records for the study sites include General Land Office Survey notes, aerial photographs, U.S. Geological Survey topographic maps, and U.S. Department of Agriculture soil survey. Images used as figures in this report were obtained from several sources. General Land Office Survey records were obtained from the Library of the State Historical Society of Iowa at their Iowa City location. Aerial photographs dating from 1937, 1951, 1963, 1970 and 1983 were obtained from the University of Iowa Main Library Map Collection. Photos dating from 1991 and 2002, and the topographic map, were obtained from the Iowa Geographic Map Server (http://ortho.gis.iastate.edu/). The soil survey maps and index were obtained from the University of Iowa Geoscience Library.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Species Diversity

A total of 250 species of vascular plants representing 173 genera and 58 families, were recorded from Belgum Grove (Table 2, Appendix 1). Seventy-one percent (177) of these species are native.

Table 2. Vascular plant species diversity of Belgum Grove.

Study site	# of species	# of native	% native	# of genera	# of
		species			families
Belgum Grove	250	177	71	173	58

VEGETATION ANALYSIS

The property was subdivided into four zones as a result of the current inventory (Fig. 13, 14). These zones reflect vegetation and historical land use, and are identified by the plant communities within. Three man-made communities are present, Pasture (Zone 1), Riparian (Zone 2), and Reconstructed Prairie (Zone 3). One natural community, Woodland (Zone 4), is also present.

Figure 13. Vegetation zone topographic map

Figure 14. Vegetation zone aerial photgraph

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Zone 1, Pasture

Formerly pastured areas are dominated by a small number of alien grasses, including smooth brome (*Bromus inermis*), orchard grass (*Dactylis glomerata*), meadow fescue (*Festuca pratensis*), reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*), timothy (*Phleum pratense*), Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*), and yellow foxtail (*Setaria glauca*). Other characteristic herbaceous species include yarrow (*Achillea millefolium* ssp. *lanulosa*), dogbane (*Apocynum sibricum*), common milkweed (*Asclepias syriaca*), heath aster (*Aster ericoides*), heavy sedge (*Carex gravida*), wild bergamot (*Monarda fistulosa*), common plantain (*Plantago rugelii*), and American germander (*Teucrium canadense* var. *virginicum*).

Woody species constitute a relatively small percentage of the vegetation. Several species occur as scattered individuals, including cockspur hawthorn (*Crataegus crusgalli*), hedge apple (*Maclura pomifera*), multiflora rose (*Rosa multiflora*), and American elm (*Ulmus americana*). A few species, such as wild plum (*Prunus americana*) and smooth sumac (*Rhus glabra*), occur as localized thickets.

Wild parsnip (*Pastinaca sativa*), an aggressive alien species, is present in extraordinary abundance, particularly on the northern pasture. Interestingly, tiger swallowtail larvae were frequently observed consuming this species during the late summer. Unfortunately, the larvae are not present in great enough numbers to serve as an effective control. Another aggressive alien species, Canada thistle (*Cirsium arvense*), occurs as several large populations, particularly bordering the banks of the creek.

The pasture is divided into northern and southern units by Dirty Face Creek. These units will be herein referred to as "South Pasture" and "North Pasture".

i. South Pasture

A number of herbaceous species are limited to the South Pasture, including panicled aster (*Aster lanceolatus*), willow aster (*Aster praealtus*), field thistle (*Cirsium discolor*), fireweed (*Erechtites hieraciifolia*), ironweed (*Vernonia fasciculata*), and tall goldenrod (*Solidago canadensis*). Alien species include Deptford pink (*Dianthus armeria*), willowleaf lettuce (*Lactuca saligna*), and red clover (*Trifolium pratense*).

A small association of native prairie species is present near the northern end of the South Pasture. Included are such species as pussytoes (*Antennaria neglecta*), tapered rosette grass (*Dichanthelium acuminatum*), everlasting (*Gnaphalium obtusifolium*), prairie crab (*Malus ioensis*), field milkwort (*Polygala sanguinea*), prairie ragwort (*Senecio plattensis*), and nodding ladies'-tresses (*Spiranthes cernua*). The locality coincides with a soil map unit characterized by severely eroded and phosphorous-poor soil. The rather xeric conditions and unusually poor, exposed soil at this site have perhaps prevented alien pasture grasses from becoming established.

A few wetland species occur sporadically along drainages and moist depressions. These include sweet flag (*Acorus calamus*), fox sedge (*Carex vulpinoidea*), rice cutgrass (*Leersia oryzoides*), ditch stonecrop (*Penthorum sedoides*), and tearthumb (*Polygonum sagittatum*).

Trees, occurring on the margins of the South Pasture, include eastern red cedar (*Juniperus virginiana*), and a single large bur oak (*Quercus macrocarpa*), located along the western boundary of the property among a hedgerow of hedge apples (*Maclura pomifera*). Several cultivated trees and shrubs have been planted along fencerows and in association with the pine plantation and orchard on the northeastern portion of the South Pasture. These include apple (*Malus sylvestris*), ninebark (*Physocarpus opulifolius*), blue spruce (*Picea pungens*), white pine (*Pinus strobus*), scots pine (*Pinus sylvestris*), pear (*Pyrus communis*), and eastern white cedar (*Thuja occidentalis*).

ii. North Pasture

The North Pasture is smaller and supports fewer species than the South Pasture. A large population of horse nettle (*Solanum carolinense*) occurs near the entrance to the property, and large populations of elderberry (*Sambucus canadensis*) and blister sedge (*Carex vesicaria*) occur at the eastern extent of the North Pasture. A large population of burdock (*Arctium minus*), an alien species, also occurs here.

Several cultivated species have been planted adjacent to the barn, including European smoke tree (*Cotinus coggygria*), German Iris (*Iris x germanica*), apple (*Malus sylvestris*), and cherry (*Prunus sp.*). Two additional species, day lily (*Hemerocallis fulva*) and plume grass (*Miscanthus sacchariflorus*), have been planted along the driveway. While both species have the potential to expand vegetatively, the latter is particularly aggressive, and has also colonized a small area along Dirty Face Creek (see discussion of Zone 2).

Zone 2, Riparian

A frequent condition in areas of intensive agricultural use, the creek channel is deeply incised relatively to the surrounding former pastures, and is flanked by steep, highly-eroded banks.

The greatest plant species diversity on the property is located along the creek. Native species present here include Virginia three-seeded mercury (*Acalypha virginica*), bindweed (*Calystegia sepium*), tall bellflower (*Campanula americana*), soft fox sedge (*Carex conjuncta*), pale touch-me-not (*Impatiens pallida*), great lobelia (*Lobelia siphilitica*), clearweed (*Pilea pumila*), pale dock (*Rumex altissimus*), bur cucumber (*Sicyos angulatus*), stinging nettle (*Urtica dioica*), white vervain (*Verbena urticifolia*), neckweed (*Veronica peregrina*), and wild grape (*Vitis riparia*).

Numerous members of the Aster family are present here, including common ragweed (*Ambrosia artemisiifolia*), giant ragweed (*A. trifida*), nodding bur marigold (*Bidens cernua*), threelobe beggarticks (*B. tripartita*), sneezeweed (*Helenium autumnale*), paleleaved sunflower (*Helianthus tuberosus*), wild lettuce (*Lactuca canadensis*), and blue lettuce (*L. floridana*). Also present are a number of grasses, including barnyard grass (*Echinocloa crusgalli*), Canada wild rye (*Elymus canadensis*), pony grass (*Eragrostis hypnoides*), fowl manna grass (*Glyceria striata*), whitegrass (*Leersia virginica*), nodding Muhly (*Muhlenbergia bushii*), and nimblewill (*M. schreberi*). A variety of knotweeds occur here, including knotweed (*Polygonum aviculare*), curlytop knotweed (*P. lapathifolium*), pennsylvania smartweed (*P. pensylvanicum* var. *leavigatum*), and water smartweed (*P. punctatum*). Several members of the mint family are found here as well, including water horehound (*Lycopus americanus*), northern bugleweed (*L. uniflorus*), wild mint (*Mentha arvensis*), mad-dog scullcap (*Scutellaria lateriflora*), and hedge nettle (*Stachys tenuifolia* var. *hispida*).

Wetland species, growing in the water, or along the water's edge, include duckweed (*Lemna minor*), monkey flower (*Mimulus ringens*), leafy pondweed (*Potamogeton foliosus*), cursed crowfoot (*Ranunculus sceleratus*), dark green bulrush (*Scirpus atrovirens*), and soft-stemmed bulrush (*S. validus* var. *creber*).

Several native trees occur sporadically along the creek, including silver maple (*Acer saccharinum*), honey locust (*Gleditsia triacanthos*), black willow (*Salix nigra*), black walnut (*Juglans nigra*), and cottonwood (*Populus deltoides*). Most are relatively small, although a few large cottonwoods are present.

While species diversity is high, the riparian community also supports an unusually large number of alien species, including two aggressive alien species, poison hemlock (*Conium maculatum*) and plume grass (*Miscanthus sacchariflorus*). The former is abundant at several locations along the creek, while the latter is currently limited to a single localized population. Hops (*Humulus japonicus*), a vining species, is unusually abundant. Other alien species that occur here include velvet leaf (*Abutilon theophrasti*),

soft brome (*Bromus mollis*), European chickweed (*Cerastium pumilum*), ground ivy (*Glechoma hederacea*), pineapple weed (*Matricaria matricarioides*), spearmint (*Mentha spicata*), Canadian bluegrass (*Poa compressa*), climbing false buckwheat (*Polygonum scandens*), lady's thumb (*P. persicaria*), common chickweed (*Stellaria media*), mullein (*Verbascum thapsus*), and cocklebur (*Xanthium strumarium*). A number of alien species in the mustard family are present, including yellow rocket (*Barbarea vulgaris*), field cress (*Lepidium campestre*), tansy mustard (*Descurainia sophia*), wormseed mustard (*Erysimum cheiranthoides*), tumble mustard (*Sisymbrium sp.*), and penny cress (*Thlaspi arvense*). Three alien tree species also occur here, including weeping willow (*Salix babylonica*), white mulberry (*Morus alba*) and Siberian elm (*Ulmus pumila*).

Zone 3, Reconstructed prairie

The reconsructed prairie is characterized by several native grasses, including side-oats gramma (*Bouteloua curtipendula*), switchgrass (*Panicum virgatum*), Indian grass (*Sorghastrum nutans*), and prairie cord grass (*Spartina pectinata*). Prairie forbs include New England aster (*Aster novae-angliae*), purple coneflower (*Echinacea purpurea*), daisy fleabane (*Erigeron strigosus*), rattlesnake master (*Eryngium yuccifolium*), ox-eye (*Heliopsis helianthoides*), Dudley's rush (*Juncus dudleyi*), round-headed bush clover (*Lespedeza capitata*), foxglove penstemon (*Penstemon digitalis*), clammy ground cherry (*Physalis heterophylla*), Virginia ground cherry (*P. virginiana*), tall cinquefoil (*Potentilla arguta*), gray-headed coneflower (*Ratibida pinnata*), black-eyed susan (*Rudbeckia hirta*), and hoary vervain (*Verbena stricta*).

A few alien species are present, including quackgrass (*Agropyron repens*) and giant foxtail (*Setaria faberi*). Ox-eye daisy (*Leucanthemum vulgare*), a particularly aggressive species, is present in alarming abundance over much of the area, especially on the northern half. A population of another aggressive species, crown vetch (*Coronilla varia*), is localized near the northern end of the Prairie Reconstruction.

Zone 4, Woodland

The Woodland is characterized by such tree species as shagbark hickory (*Carya ovata*), hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*), black cherry (*Prunus serotina*), choke cherry (*P. virginiana*), slippery elm (*Ulmus rubra*). Many of these species are represented only by small trees, although several large, mature shagbark hickories are present.

Herbaceous species include wild onion (*Allium canadense*), side-flowered aster (*Aster lateriflorus*), Ontario aster (*A. ontarionis*), oval-leaf sedge (*Carex cephalophora*), greater straw sedge (*C. normalis*), rosy sedge (*C. rosea*), enchanter's nightshade (*Circaea lutetiana* ssp. *canadensis*), honewort (*Cryptotaenia canadensis*), waterpod (*Ellisia nyctelea*), slender wild rye (*Elymus villosus*), Virginia wild rye (*E. virginicus*), common horsetail (*Equisetum arvense*), cleavers (*Galium aparine*), licorice bedstraw (*G. circaezans*), sweet-scented bedstraw (*G. triflorum*), white avens (*Geum canadense*), stickseed (*Hackelia virginiana*), anise root (*Osmorhiza longistylis*), lopseed (*Phryma leptostachya*), Solomon's seal (*Polygonatum biflorum*), small-flowered crowfoot

(Ranunculus abortivus), black snakeroot (Sanicula canadensis), common snakeroot (S. gregaria), starry campion (Silene stellata), and cup plant (Silphium perfoliatum). A few showy spring wildflowers are present, including spring beauty (Claytonia virginica), Virginia bluebell (Mertensia virginica), common blue violet (Viola pratincola), and downy yellow violet (V. pubescens).

Also present are a few species of ferns, including lady fern (*Athyrium filix-femina* var. angustum), rattlesnake fern (*Botrychium virginianum*), creeping fragile fern (*Cystopteris protrusa*), and sensitive fern (*Onoclea sensibilis*).

MANAGEMENT CONCERNS

Numerous alien species are established on the property, several in great abundance. While management of these species is important corollary to sustainable prairie reconstruction, it is also desirable as a safeguard to neighboring properties. In particular, a few very aggressive alien species warrant immediate management. One such species is Canada thistle (*Cirsium arvense*), of which there are several large populations, particularly flanking the stream. Another such species is wild parsnip (*Pastinaca sativa*), a particularly dominant component of the pastures. The latter species, aside from being invasive, carries a significant risk to human health in the form of photodermatitis. Poison hemlock (*Conium maculatum*), occurs in abundance along the creek, and should be controlled. Plume grass (*Miscanthus sacchariflorus*), located along the creek and adjacent to the property entrance, is currently small in extent but has significant potential for expansion.

The dominance of ox-eye daisy (*Leucanthemum vulgare*) on a large portion of the Reconstructed Prairie is particularly problematic. The abundance of this aggressive alien species has made it a significant competitor with native prairie species. When in flower, the masses of white blossoms give the area a highly unnatural appearance, imparting an inaccurate conception of native prairie communities to the uneducated visitor. Unfortunately, the growth of this species is so extensive that its removal will be difficult without wholesale elimination of the surrounding native vegetation. For future prairie reconstruction, great care must be taken to obtain seed free of alien species.

CONCLUSIONS

As a site shaped by recent, large-scale disturbance, the 40-acre Belgum Grove property supports very little natural vegetation. A very small woodland remnant has survived, along with a minor assortment of native prairie and wetland species. Much of the property is dominated by a few alien species. With 250 species, the plant diversity on the property is high, though an extraordinarily low percentage (71%) is native.

Very little of the study area remains consistent with historical records. The prairie described in the General Land Office (GLO) Survey notes had been entirely converted

to farm fields by 1937. The only remaining natural feature is a small woodland remnant, having survived since 1937, as documented in the photographic record.

Except for the Woodland, native species are present only in small numbers, in most cases occurring as isolated individuals, and not integrated as part of a functional community. On much of the property, particularly the Pasture and Riparian communities, a few alien species are dominant.

Prairie reconstruction on the property has been a mixed success. While a diversity of native plant species has been established, an unsightly and aggressive alien species dominates a significant portion of the community. For future prairie reconstruction, great care must be taken to obtain seed free of alien species.

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Appendix - Belgum Grove Plant List

This list includes all vascular plant species recorded in the inventory of Belgum Grove. Associated information is provided for each species, including species name, family name, common name, origin (whether the species is native or alien), location (according to the area numbers in Fig. 1), and additional comments.

Appendix - Plant List for the Johnson County Heritage Trust's Belgum Grove, Johnson County, Iowa

Species Name	Family	Common Name	Origi n	Zone	Comments
Abutilon theophrasti Medicus	Malvaceae	Velvet leaf	Alien	Zone 2	Moist creek bed
Acalypha virginica L.	Euphorbiacea e	Virginia three- seeded mercury	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Acer negundo L.	Aceraceae	Box elder	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Acer saccharinum L.	Aceraceae	Silver maple	е	2	Along creek
Achillea millefolium L. ssp. lanulosa (Nutt.) Piper	Asteraceae	Yarrow	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Acorus calamus L.	Araceae	Sweet flag	Nativ e	Zone 1	Localized population in small rill in S pasture
Agrimonia sp.	Rosaceae	Agrimony	Nativ e		
Agropyron repens (L.) Beauv.	Poaceae	Quackgrass	Alien		Localized population on Reconstructed Prairie
Agrostis gigantea Roth	Poaceae	Redtop	Alien		Along creek bank and on S pasture
Allium canadense L.	Liliaceae	Wild onion	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Amaranthus tuberculatus (Moq.) Sauer	Amaranthacea e	amaranth	е	2	Along creek bank
Ambrosia artemisiifolia L.	Asteraceae	Common ragweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank

Ambrosia trifida L.	Asteraceae	Giant ragweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Antennaria neglecta Greene	Asteraceae	Pussytoes	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Apocynum sibricum Jacq.	Apocynaceae	Dogbane	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Arctium minus Bernh.	Asteraceae	Burdock	Alien	Zone 1, Zone 2	N & S pasture, creek bank
Asclepias syriaca L.	Asclepiadacea e	Common milkweed	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Aster ericoides L.	Asteraceae	Heath aster	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Aster lanceolatus Willd.	Asteraceae	Panicled aster	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Aster lateriflorus (L.) Britton	Asteraceae	Side-flowered aster	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Aster novae-angliae L.	Asteraceae	New England aster	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Aster ontarionis Wieg.	Asteraceae	Ontario aster	е	4	Woods
Aster praealtus Poiret	Asteraceae	Willow aster	е	1	S pasture
Athyrium filix-femina (L.) Roth var. angustum (Willd.) Moore	Aspleniaceae	Lady fern	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Barbarea vulgaris R. Br.	Brassicaceae	Yellow rocket	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
Bidens cernua L.	Asteraceae	Nodding bur marigold	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Bidens tripartita L.	Asteraceae	Threelobe beggarticks	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Botrychium virginianum (L.) Sw.	Ophioglossac eae	Rattlesnake fern	е	4	Woods
Bouteloua curtipendula (Michx.) Torrey	Poaceae	Side-oats gramma	е	3	Reconstructed Prairie
Bromus inermis Leysser	Poaceae	Smooth brome	Alien	Zone 1	Pastures
Bromus mollis L.	Poaceae	Soft brome		Zone 2	Localized population on dry creek bank
Bromus tectorum L.	Poaceae	Downy chess	Alien		
Calystegia sepium (L.) R. Br.	Convolvulacea e	-	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Campanula americana L.	Campanulace ae	Tall bellflower	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Cannabis sativa L.	Moraceae	Hemp	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Capsella bursa-pastoris (L.) Medicus	Brassicaceae	Shepherd's purse	Alien	Zone 1	Scattered in open areas
Carex amphibola Steudel var. turgida Fern.	Cyperaceae	Eastern narrowleaf sedge	Nativ e		
Carex annectans	Cyperaceae	Yellowfruit sedge	Nativ e	Zone 1	Fairly abundant in S pasture
Carex blanda Dewey	Cyperaceae	Eastern woodland sedge	Nativ e		

Carex brevior (Dewey) Mack.	Cyperaceae	Shortbeak sedge	Nativ	Zone	Thicket south of old orchard
ex Lunell			е	1	
Carex cephalophora Willd.	Cyperaceae	Oval-leaf sedge	Nativ e	Zone 4	Open woods
Carex conjuncta Boott	Cyperaceae	Soft fox sedge	Nativ e	2,	Scattered plants on and above creek bank
Carex davisii Schwein. & Torrey	Cyperaceae	Davis' sedge	Nativ e	4,	Scattered plants in E woodland remnant and in open areas
Carex gravida Bailey	Cyperaceae	Heavy sedge	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Carex jamesii Schwein	Cyperaceae	James' sedge	Nativ e	Zone 4	Locally abundant in small woodland remnant along W margin of property
		Leavenworth's sedge	е	1	Locally abundant on margin of pine plantation
		Greater straw sedge	е	4	Woods
Carex rosea Schkuhr ex Willd.		Rosy sedge	е	4	Woods
Carex vesicaria L.	Cyperaceae	Blister sedge	Nativ e	1,	Large localized poulation along N margin of property, and on creek bank
Carex vulpinoidea Michx.	Cyperaceae	Fox sedge	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture, north of Reconstructed Prairie
Carya ovata (P. Miller) K. Koch	Juglandaceae	Shagbark hickory	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Celtis occidentalis L.	Ulmaceae	Hackberry	Nativ e	Zone 4	A few saplings in woods
Cerastium pumilum Curtis		chickweed	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
Chenopodium album L.	ae	Lamb's quarters		2	Along creek
Circaea lutetiana L. ssp. canadensis (L.) Ascherson & Magnus	Onagraceae	Enchanter's nightshade	1	Zone 4	Woods
Cirsium arvense (L.) Scop.	Asteraceae	Canada thistle	Alien	Zone 1	Scattered infestations throughout open areas
Cirsium discolor (Muhl. ex Willd) Sprengel	Asteraceae	Field thistle	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Claytonia virginica L.	Portulacaceae	Spring beauty	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Conium maculatum L.	Apiaceae	Poison hemlock	Alien	Zone 2	Abundant along creek
Conyza canadensis (L.) Cronq.	Asteraceae	Horseweed	Nativ e	2,	Scattered plants along creek bank, N & S pasture

Cornus foemina P. Miller	Cornaceae	Gray dogwood	Nativ		
ssp. <i>racemosa</i> (Lam.) J. S. Wilson			е		
Coronilla varia L.	Fabaceae	Crown vetch		3	Isolated population near hilltop on Reconstructed Prairie
Cotinus coggygria Scop.	Anacardiacea e	European smoke tree	Alien	Zone 1	One plant in hedgerow near barn
Crataegus crus-galli L.	Rosaceae	Cockspur hawthorn	Nativ e	Zone 1	Several trees along W margin of property, one large tree on N pasture
Cryptotaenia canadensis (L.) DC.	Apiaceae	Honewort	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Cystopteris protrusa (Weath.) Blasdell	Aspleniaceae	Creeping fragile fern	Nativ e	4,	Locally abundant in woodland remnant.
Dactylis glomerata L.	Poaceae	Orchard grass	Alien	Zone 1	Pastures
Descurainia sophia (L.) Webb ex Prantl	Brassicaceae	Tansy mustard	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Dianthus armeria L.	Caryophyllace ae	Deptford pink	Alien	Zone 1	S pasture
Dichanthelium acuminatum (Sw.) Gould & Clark	Poaceae	Tapered rosette grass	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Echinacea purpurea (L.) Moench.	Asteraceae	Purple coneflower	Alien		Scattered plants on Reconstructed Prairie
Echinocloa crusgalli (L.) Beauv.	Poaceae	Barnyard grass	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Ellisia nyctelea L.	Hydrophyllace ae	Waterpod	е	4	Woods
Elymus canadensis L.	Poaceae	Canada wild rye	е	2	Along creek
Elymus villosus Muhl. ex Willd.	Poaceae	Slender wild rye	е	4	Woods & W margin of property
Elymus virginicus L.	Poaceae	Virginia wild rye	е	4	Woods
Epilobium coloratum Biehler	Onagraceae	Cinnamon willowherb	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Equisetum arvense L.	Equisetaceae	Common horsetail	Nativ e	Zone 4	Steep, north-facing wooded slope
Equisetum laevigatum A. Br.	Equisetaceae	Smooth scouring- rush	Nativ e	3,	Localized population on N- facing prairie slope and on S pasture
Eragrostis hypnoides (Lam.) BSP	Poaceae	Pony grass	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Erechtites hieraciifolia (L.) Raf. ex. DC.	Asteraceae	Fireweed	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Erigeron annuus (L.) Pers.	Asteraceae	Annual fleabane	Nativ e		
Erigeron strigosus Muhl. ex Willd.	Asteraceae	Daisy fleabane	Nativ e	Zone 3	Dry, relatively open ground near hilltop on Reconstructed Prairie and S pasture

Eryngium yuccifolium Michx.	Apiaceae	Rattlesnake master	Nativ e	Zone 3	One plant on Reconstructed Prairie
Erysimum cheiranthoides L.	Brassicaceae	Wormseed mustard	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Euphorbia maculata L.	Euphorbiacea e	Carpet spurge	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Euphorbia nutans Lag.	Euphorbiacea e	Nodding spurge	Nativ e	Zone 1	A few plants on N pasture
Festuca pratensis Hudson	Poaceae	Meadow fescue	Alien	Zone 1	N & S pasture
Galium aparine L.	Rubiaceae	Cleavers	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Galium circaezans Michx.	Rubiaceae	Licorice bedstraw	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Galium triflorum Michx.	Rubiaceae	Sweet-scented bedstraw	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Geum canadense Jacq.	Rosaceae	White avens	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Glechoma hederacea L.	Lamiaceae	Ground ivy		2	Moist creek bank adjacent to woodland remnant
Gleditsia triacanthos L.	Fabaceae	Honey locust	е	2	Along creek
Glyceria striata (Lam.) A. S. Hitchc.	Poaceae	Fowl manna grass	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Gnaphalium obtusifolium L.	Asteraceae	Everlasting	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
<i>Hackelia virginiana</i> (L.) I. M. Johnston	Boraginaceae	Stickseed	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Helenium autumnale L.	Asteraceae	Sneezeweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	A few scattered plants along creek bank
Helianthus tuberosus L.	Asteraceae	Pale-leaved sunflower	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Heliopsis helianthoides (L.) Sweet	Asteraceae	Ox-eye	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Hemerocallis fulva (L.) L.	Liliaceae	Day lily	Alien	Zone 1	Along driveway
Hibiscus trionum L.	Malvaceae	Flower-of-an-hour	Alien	Zone 2	One plant on creek bank
Humulus japonicus Sieb. & Zucc.	Moraceae	Hops	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Impatiens pallida Nutt.	Balsaminacea e	Pale touch-me-not	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Iris x germanica L.	Iridaceae	German Iris	Alien	Zone 1	Planted along barn
Juglans nigra L.	Juglandaceae	Black walnut	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Juncus dudleyi Wieg.	Juncaceae	Dudley's rush	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Juncus interior Wieg.	Juncaceae	Inland rush	Nativ e		
Juniperus virginiana L.	Cupressaceae	Eastern red cedar	Nativ e	Zone 1	Several saplings in S pasture
Lactuca canadensis L.	Asteraceae	Wild lettuce	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek bank
<i>Lactuca floridana</i> (L.) Gaertner	Asteraceae	Blue lettuce	-	Zone 2	Along creek bank

Lactuca saligna L.	Asteraceae	Willowleaf lettuce	Nativ e	Zone 1	S pasture
Lactuca serriola L.	Asteraceae	Prickly lettuce	Alien	Zone 1	W end of N pasture
<i>Laportea canadensis</i> (L.) Wedd.	Urticaceae	Wood nettle	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Leersia oryzoides (L.) Sw.	Poaceae	Rice cut-grass	Nativ e	Zone 1	Along creek branch through S pasture
Leersia virginica Willd.	Poaceae	Whitegrass	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Lemna minor L.	Lemnaceae	Duckweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Slow moving water in creek
Leonurus cardiaca L.	Lamiaceae	Motherwort	Alien	Zone 1	W margin of property
<i>Lepidium campestre</i> (L.) R. Br.	Brassicaceae	Field cress	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
Lepidium virginicum L.	Brassicaceae	Poor-man's pepper	Nativ e	Zone 2	A few scattered plants on dry, eroding creek bank
Lespedeza capitata Michx.	Fabaceae	Round-headed bush clover	Nativ e	Zone 3	A few plants on prairie planting
Leucanthemum vulgare Lam.	Asteraceae	Ox-eye daisy		3	Heavy infestation in SE 1/4 of property
Lobelia inflata L.	Campanulace ae	Indian tobacco	Nativ e	Zone 1	N of Reconstructed Prairie
Lobelia siphilitica L.	Campanulace ae	Great lobelia	Nativ e	Zone 2	One plant along creek
Lonicera tartarica L.	Caprifoliaceae	Tartarian honeysuckle	Alien		
<i>Lycopus americanus</i> Muhl. ex Barton	Lamiaceae	Water horehound	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Lycopus uniflorus Michx.	Lamiaceae	Northern bugleweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
<i>Maclura pomifera</i> (Raf. ex Sarg.) Schneider	Moraceae	Hedge apple	Alien	Zone 1	W margin of property, scattered trees on S & N pasture
	Rosaceae	Prairie crab	Nativ e	Zone 1	Scattered individuals on S 1/2 of property
Malus sylvestris (L.) P. Miller	Rosaceae	Apple	Alien	Zone 1	Planted near barn and in old orchard along E margin of property
Matricaria matricarioides (Less.) Porter	Asteraceae	Pineapple weed	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Medicago lupulina L.	Fabaceae	Black medic	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
Melilotus officinalis (L.) Pallas	Fabaceae	White sweet clover	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Mentha arvensis L.	Lamiaceae	Wild mint	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Mentha spicata L.	Lamiaceae	Spearmint	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
<i>Mertensia virginica</i> (L.) Pers. ex Link	Boraginaceae	Virginia bluebell	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Mimulus ringens L.	Scrophulariac eae	Monkey flower	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek

<i>Miscanthus sacchariflorus</i> (Maxim.) Hackel	Poaceae	Plume grass		2, Zone 1	On creek bank and along driveway
Monarda fistulosa L.	Lamiaceae	Wild bergamot	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Morus alba L.	Moraceae	White mulberry	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
<i>Muhlenbergia bushii</i> Pohl	Poaceae	Nodding Muhly	e	2	Along creek bank
Gmelin	Poaceae	Nimblewill	Nativ e	Zone 2	Creek bank
Nepeta cataria L.	Lamiaceae	Catnip	Alien	Zone 2, Zone 1	Along creek bank & upland
Oenothera villosa Thunb.	Onagraceae	Gray evening primrose	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
	'	Sensitive fern	е	4	Localized population on steep, north-facing wooded slope
Osmorhiza longistylis (Torrey) DC.	Apiaceae	Anise root	е	4	Woods
Oxalis stricta L.	Oxalidaceae	Yellow wood sorrel	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Panicum virgatum L.	Poaceae	Switchgrass	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Parthenocissus vitacea (Knerr.) A. S. Hitchcock	Vitaceae	Woodbine	Nativ e	Zone 1	Old orchard
Pastinaca sativa L.	Apiaceae	Wild parsnip	Alien	Zone 1	Heavy infestation throughout open areas
Penstemon digitalis Nutt.	Scrophulariac eae	Foxglove penstemon	Nativ e	Zone 3	A few individuals on Reconstructed Prairie
Penthorum sedoides L.	Saxifragaceae	Ditch stonecrop	Nativ e	Zone 1	Along creek branch through S pasture
Phalaris arundinacea L.	Poaceae	Reed canary grass	Nativ e	Zone 1	Heavy infestation throughout open areas
Phleum pratense L.	Poaceae	Timothy	Alien	Zone 1	S pasture
Phryma leptostachya L.	Phrymaceae	Lopseed	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Physalis heterophylla Nees	Solanaceae	Ground cherry	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Physalis virginiana P. Miller	Solanaceae	Ground cherry	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Physocarpus opulifolius (L.) Maxim.	Rosaceae	Ninebark	Nativ e	Zone 1	Several individuals along E margin of property, probably planted
Picea pungens Engelm.	Pinaceae	Blue spruce	Alien	Zone 1	Planted along fencerows
Pilea pumila (L.) Gray	Urticaceae	Clearweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Pinus strobus L.	Pinaceae	White pine	Alien	Zone 1	South end of pine plantation

Pinus sylvestris L.	Pinaceae	Scots pine	Alien	Zone 1	Pine plantation
Plantago rugelii Dcne.	Plantaginacea e	Common plantain	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Plantago virginica L.	Plantaginacea e	Virginia plantain	Nativ e	Zone 1	Abundant around barn
Poa compressa L.	Poaceae	Canadian bluegrass	Alien	Zone 2	Localized population on dry, steep creek bank
Poa pratensis L.	Poaceae	Kentucky bluegrass		1	Pastures
Polygala sanguinea L.	Polygalaceae	Field milkwort	Nativ e	Zone 1	A few plants on an open, localized area in S pasture
Polygonatum biflorum (Walter) Ell.		Solomon's seal	е	4	Woods
Polygonum amphibium L. var. emursum Michx.	Polygonaceae	Water smartweed	Nativ e	3,	Localized population on N- facing prairie slope and along creek
Polygonum aviculare L.	Polygonaceae	Knotweed	Alien	Zone 2	One plant on creek bank
Polygonum hydropiper L.		knotweed	е	1	N pasture
Polygonum lapathifolium L.	, ,	Curlytop knotweed	е	2	
<i>Polygonum pensylvanicum</i> L. var. <i>leavigatum</i> Fern.	Polygonaceae	Pennsylvania smartweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Polygonum persicaria L.	Polygonaceae			2	Along creek
Polygonum punctatum Ell.		Water smartweed	е	2	Along creek
Polygonum sagittatum L.	Polygonaceae	Tearthumb	Nativ e	Zone 1	Along creek branch through S pasture
Polygonum scandens L.	Polygonaceae	Climbing false buckwheat	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek bank
<i>Populus deltoides</i> Bartram ex. Marsh.		Cottonwood	е	2	Creek bank
Potamogeton foliosus Raf.	ceae	Leafy pondweed	е	2	Relatively deep water in creek
Potentilla arguta Pursh	Rosaceae	Tall cinquefoil	е	3	One plant on Reconstructed Prairie
Potentilla norvegica L.	Rosaceae	Norwegian cinquefoil	е	2	One plant along creek
Potentilla recta L.	Rosaceae	Sulphur cinquefoil	Alien	1,	Scattered plants on S pasture, Reconstructed Prairie
Potentilla simplex Michx.	Rosaceae	Common cinquefoil	Nativ e	Zone 4, Zone 1	Woods, margin of pine plantation
Prunella vulgaris L.	Lamiaceae	Self heal	Alien		
Prunus americana Marsh.	Rosaceae	Wild plum	е	1	Pastures
Prunus serotina Ehrh.	Rosaceae	Black cherry	1	Zone 4	Woods

Prunus sp. (cultivar)	Rosaceae	Cherry	Alien	Zone 1	Planted near barn
Prunus virginiana L.	Rosaceae	Choke cherry	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Schrader	Lamiaceae	Slender mountain mint	е	1	Locally abundant in S pasture
Pyrus communis L.	Rosaceae	Pear		1	A few individuals planted in old apple orchard along E margin of property
Quercus macrocarpa Michx.	9	Bur oak	е	1	One tree along west margin
Ranunculus abortivus L.	е	Small-flowered crowfoot	е	4	Woods
Ranunculus sceleratus L.	Ranunculacea e	Cursed crowfoot	е	2	A few scattered plants along creek
Ratibida pinnata (Vent.) Barnh.	Asteraceae	Gray-headed coneflower	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Rhus glabra L.	е	Smooth sumac	е	1	Pastures
Ribes missouriense Nutt. ex T. & G.		,	е	4	Woods
. , ,		Marsh cress	е	2	Along creek
Rorripa sessiliflora (Nutt.) A. S. Hitchc.	Brassicaceae	Yellow cress	е	2	Along creek
<i>Rosa multiflora</i> Thunb. ex Murray	Rosaceae	Multiflora rose		1	Pastures
Rudbeckia hirta L.	Asteraceae	Black-eyed susan	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed Prairie
Rumex altissimus Wood	Polygonaceae	Pale dock	е	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Rumex crispus L.	Polygonaceae	Curly dock	Alien		
Salix babylonica L.	Salicaceae	Weeping willow	Alien	Zone 2	One large tree near creek crossing
Salix nigra Marsh.	Salicaceae	Black willow	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Sambucus canadensis L.	Caprifoliaceae	Elderberry	Nativ e	Zone 1	Very abundant in NE corner, scattered elsewhere
Sanicula canadensis L.	Apiaceae	Black snakeroot	е	4	Open woods and around pine plantation
Sanicula gregaria Bickn.	Apiaceae	Common snakeroot	е	4	Woods
Scirpus atrovirens Willd.	Cyperaceae	Dark green bulrush	е	2	Along creek
Scirpus validus Vahl.	Cyperaceae	Soft-stemmed	Nativ	Zone	Wet ground along edge of
var. <i>creber</i> Fern.		bulrush	e	2	creek
Scutellaria lateriflora L.	Lamiaceae	Mad-dog scullcap	Nativ e	Zone 2	Localized population growing on log in creek
Senecio plattensis Nutt.	Asteraceae	Prairie ragwort	Nativ e	Zone 1	Abundant in S 1/2 of property
Setaria faberi Herrm.	Poaceae	Giant foxtail	Alien	Zone 3	SE corner of Reconstructed Prairie
Setaria glauca (L.) Beauv.	Poaceae	Yellow foxtail	Alien	Zone 1	S pasture

Sicyos angulatus L.	Cucurbitaceae	Bur cucumber	Nativ e	Zone 2	One plant along creek bank
Silene pratensis (Rafn.) Gren. & Godron	Caryophyllace ae	White campion	Alien	Zone 2	A few scattered plants along dry creek bank
Silene stellata (L.) Aiton f.	Caryophyllace ae	Starry campion	Nativ e	Zone 4	E Woodland remnant
Silphium integrifolium Michx.	Asteraceae	Rosinweed	Nativ e	Zone 1	Four plants near Crataegus grove along W margin of property
Silphium perfoliatum L.	Asteraceae	Cup plant	Nativ e	Zone 4	Scattered plants in open woods
Sisymbrium sp.	Brassicaceae	Tumble mustard	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Smilax sp.	Liliaceae	Carrion flower	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Solanum americanum P. Miller	Solanaceae	Black nightshade	Nativ e	Zone 2	One plant along creek bank
Solanum carolinense L.	Solanaceae	Horse nettle	Nativ e	Zone 1	Locally abundant on N pasture near entrance
Solidago canadensis L.	Asteraceae	Tall goldenrod	Nativ e	Zone 1	Above creek bank in S pasture
Sorghastrum nutans (L.) Nash	Poaceae	Indian grass	е	3	Reconstructed Prairie
Spartina pectinata Link	Poaceae	Prairie cord grass	Nativ e	Zone 3	Localized population on prairie planting
Spiranthes cernua (L.) L. C. Rich	Orchidaceae	Nodding ladies'- tresses	Nativ e	Zone 1	Seven plants in S pasture
<i>Stachys tenuifolia</i> Willd. var. <i>hispida</i> (Pursh) Fern.	Lamiaceae	Hedge nettle	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Stellaria media (L.) Vill.	Caryophyllace ae	Common chickweed	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Taraxacum officinale Weber	Asteraceae	Dandelion	Alien		
Teucrium canadense L. var. virginicum (L.) Eaton	Lamiaceae	American germander	Nativ e	Zone 1	Pastures
Thlaspi arvense L.	Brassicaceae	Penny cress	Alien	Zone 2	along creek
Thuja occidentalis L.	Cupressaceae	Eastern white cedar	Alien	Zone 1	Planted along fencerow
Toxicodendron radicans P. Miller	Anacardiacea e	Poison ivy	Nativ e		
Trifolium hybridum L.	Fabaceae	Alsike clover	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Trifolium pratense L.	Fabaceae	Red clover	Alien	Zone 1	Scattered plants on S pasture
Trifolium repens L.	Fabaceae	White clover	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek
Ulmus americana L.	Ulmaceae	American elm	Nativ e	Zone 1	Scattered young trees throughout
Ulmus pumila L.	Ulmaceae	Siberian elm	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank
Ulmus rubra Muhl.	Ulmaceae	Slippery elm	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Urtica dioica L.	Urticaceae	Stinging nettle		Zone 2	Along creek

Verbascum thapsus L.	Scrophulariac eae	Mullein	Alien	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Verbena hastataL.	Verbenaceae	Blue vervain	е	1,	Wet area at N end of in S pasture, and along creek bank
Verbena stricta Vent.	Verbenaceae	Hoary vervain	Nativ e	Zone 3	Reconstructed prairie
Verbena urticifolia L.	Verbenaceae	White vervain	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek bank
Vernonia fasciculata Michx.	Asteraceae	Ironweed	Nativ e	Zone 1	Scattered in S pasture
Veronica peregrina L.	Scrophulariac eae	Neckweed	Nativ e	Zone 2	Along creek
Viola pratincola Greene	Violaceae	Common blue violet	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Viola pubescens Aiton	Violaceae	Downy yellow violet	Nativ e	Zone 4	Woods
Vitis riparia Michx.	Vitaceae	Wild grape	Nativ e		
Xanthium strumarium L.	Asteraceae	Cocklebur	Alien	Zone 2	Creek bank