

Hillsmere Tree and Shrub Orders

SPECIES	WILDLIFE VALUE										LOCATION					ORDERING				
	Songbird	Waterfowl	Hummingbird	Butterfly	Beneficial Insect	Small Mammal	Deer Resistant	Under Utility Line	Near Building	Sun	Shade	Dry	Wet	Container Size	Height	Unit Cost	Quantity	Total Cost		
<p>Plant descriptions courtesy Wikipedia and MOBOT *Evergreen</p> <p>Mature Size: Height/Spread Moisture: (D)ry (M)oist (W)et Light: (F)ull Sun (P)artial Shade (S)hade</p>																				
Canopy Trees																				
<p>Eastern Red Cedar* F D/M 50-75' x 35-50'</p> <p>A dense slow-growing evergreen tree. The seed cones are 1.2–2.8 in long, berry-like with fleshy scales, dark purple-blue with a white wax cover giving an overall sky-blue color. They are an important winter food for many birds, which disperse the wingless seeds.</p>	x						x		x			x	1 gal.	18-24"	\$10.25	___	___	___		
<p>Tulip Poplar F/P M 70-100' x 35-50'</p> <p>The tallest eastern hardwood. It prefers deep, rich, and rather moist soil. It is fast-growing, without the common problems of weak wood strength and short lifespan often seen in fast-growing species. April marks the start of the flowering period in the southern USA. The flowers are pale green or yellow with an orange band on the tepals; they yield large quantities of nectar. Yellow fall color.</p>	x		x				x	x					3 gal.	18"	\$14.00	___	___	___		
<p>Black Gum F/P D/W 30-75' x 20-50'</p> <p>Grows best in well-drained loams and clay loams. It is grown as an ornamental tree in parks and large gardens, with its often spectacular red to purple fall color being highly valued. It is an important food source for many migrating birds in the fall. Its early color change is thought to attract birds to the available fruit, which ripen before many other fall fruits and berries.</p>	x	x					x	x					3 gal.	2-3'	\$16.00	___	___	___		
<p>Swamp White Oak F/P W 60-100' x 50-75'</p> <p>A mediumsized tree that can survive in a variety of habitats. It grows rapidly and can reach 300 to 350 years. It typically grows in wet soils and is usually found in broad stream valleys, low-lying fields, and the margins of lakes and ponds. In autumn, leaves turn brown, yellow-brown, or sometimes reddish.</p>	x	x							x	x		x	3 gal.	2-3'	\$16.00	___	___	___		
<p>Willow Oak F/P M/W 80-100'</p> <p>A medium-sized tree that can grow moderately fast (up to 2 feet a year) that is distinguished from most other oaks by its willow shaped leaves. It is one of the most popular trees for horticultural planting due to its rapid growth, hardiness and ability to withstand both sun and shade. It is one of the most prolific producers of acorns, an important food tree for squirrels, birds, and other animals in the forest. Fall color is brown.</p>	x	x							x	x		x	3 gal.	3-4'	\$16.00	___	___	___		
<p>Bald Cypress F/P W 50-100' x 20-35'</p> <p>Most Baldcypress grow on flat ground on alluvial soils, mainly along riparian (riverside) wetlands normally subject to periodic flooding. It tolerates minor salinity, but does not grow in brackish waters. In cultivation it thrives on a wide range of soils including well-drained sites. It is a very popular ornamental tree, grown for its feathery foliage and orange-brown fall color.</p>		x							x			x	3 gal.	3-4'	\$13.00	___	___	___		
Small to Medium Trees																				
<p>Serviceberry F/S M/W 15-25'</p> <p>Typically a multi-stemmed tree that is easily grown in average, medium, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Tolerant of a somewhat wide range of soils. White flowers appear before the leaves emerge in early spring. Medium to dark green leaves change to orange-red in autumn.</p>	x						x					x	3 gal.	3-5'	\$15.50	___	___	___		
<p>River Birch F/P M/W 20-35'</p> <p>Often with multiple trunks, the distinctive bark is variable, usually dark gray-brown to pinkish-brown and scaly, but in some individuals, smooth and creamy pinkish-white, exfoliating in curly papery sheets, making it a favored ornamental tree for landscape use. While its native habitat is wet ground, it will grow on higher land. Yellowish fall color.</p>	x						x			x		x	3 gal.	4-6'	\$14.00	___	___	___		
<p>American Holly* F/S M 15-50' x 18-40'</p> <p>A slow growing ornamental plant, it will grow in both dry and swampy soil. The species typically grows as an understory tree in forests. The flowers are pollinated by insects, including bees, wasps, ants, and night-flying moths. Songbirds including thrushes, mockingbirds, catbirds, bluebirds and thrashers frequently feed on the red berries. The tree also forms a thick canopy which offers protection for birds from predators and storms.</p>	x						x			x	x	x	3 gal.	3-4'	\$25.00	___	___	___		
<p>Sweetbay Magnolia F/S M/W 20'</p> <p>An attractive multi-stemmed tree often used in horticultural applications to give structure to landscape designs. It is known for its large, white, vanilla scented flowers, for its clean, attractive foliage, and for its fast growth.</p>	x						x	x				x	3 gal.	2.5'	\$14.00	___	___	___		
Medium Shrubs																				
<p>Summersweet F/S M/W 6-8'</p> <p>Typically used as a shrub for natural gardens, or placed alongside a stream or pond in order to delay erosion. It grows in wet forests, pine flatwoods, wetlands, bogs and can be seen alongside woodland streams. The flowers are white or very pale pink with a sweet fragrance from July until September. Foliage turns yellow-golden during the autumn.</p>	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x			x	3 gal.	3-5'	\$14.00	___	___	___		
<p>Witch Hazel P/S D/M 8-20'</p> <p>Leaves are dark green above, and paler beneath, turning yellow with rusty spots in fall. The flowers are pale to bright yellow and grow in clusters from mid to late fall.</p>	x						x	x	x				3 gal.	4-6'	\$14.00	___	___	___		
<p>Inkberry* F/S D/M 4-8'</p> <p>A slow-growing, upright-rounded evergreen shrub easily grown in average, medium to wet soils in full sun to part shade. Prefers rich, consistently moist, acidic soils in full sun. Good shade tolerance. Needs minimal pruning unless used as a hedge. Also effective naturalized in moist woodland gardens or in moist locations near streams or ponds.</p>	x	x					x	x	x				3 gal.	18-30"	\$13.00	___	___	___		
<p>Winterberry F/P M 8'</p> <p>One of a number of hollies which are deciduous, it is prized for the midwinter splash of bright red color from densely packed berries, whose visibility is heightened by the loss of foliage. Although wet acidic soils are optimal, the winterberry will grow well in the average garden. At least one male plant must be planted in proximity to one or more females for them to bear fruit. The berries are an important food resource for numerous species of birds. One male plant will be included with order.</p>	x	x					x	x	x				3 gal.	3-4'	\$30.00	___	___	___		
<p>Virginia Sweetspire F/S M/W 3-6'</p> <p>Easily grown in average, medium to wet, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Adaptable to shade. Prefers moist, humusy soils, but tolerates a wide range of soil conditions. Versatile shrub for sunny or shady areas of the shrub border or woodland garden. Good for wet locations such as low spots or on the edges of streams or ponds. Leaves turn an attractive red in autumn.</p>	x	x					x	x	x	x			3 gal.	3-4'	\$13.00	___	___	___		
<p>Southern Bayberry* F/P D/W 6-12'</p> <p>A small tree or large shrub and is adaptable to many habitats. It grows naturally in wetlands, near flowing bodies of water, sand dunes, fields, hillsides, pine barrens, and in both needleleaf and mixed-broadleaf forests. The fruit is a source of food for a lot of bird species. In winter, the seeds are important foods for the Carolina Wren and species of Tree Sparrow.</p>	x						x	x				x	3 gal.	18-24"	\$13.50	___	___	___		
<p>Southern Arrowwood F/S D/W 10'</p> <p>Easily grown in average, medium, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. White flowers appear in late spring give way to blue-black, berry-like drupes which are quite attractive to birds and wildlife. Variable fall color ranges from yellow to attractive shades of orange and red. Winter hardy, vigorous and reliable. Shrub borders. Tall hedge or screen.</p>	x						x					x	3 gal.	2-3'	\$17.50	___	___	___		

Plants indicated as Deer Resistant are less likely to be damaged by deer browsing. Deer will eat anything if they are hungry enough.

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