#### Jennings Co. SWCD -Share Some Space Project

ORDER FORM (Pre Pay Order) - Checks payable to JCSWCD

### Order deadline is March 17, 2017

Plant Pick Up May 4, 2017 3-7 pm Muscatatuck County Park

| ITEM                   | PRICE | QUANTITY | TOTAL PRICE |
|------------------------|-------|----------|-------------|
| Blue Mistflower        | \$3   |          |             |
| Butterflyweed          | \$3   |          |             |
| Buttonbush             | \$3   |          |             |
| Cardinal Flower        | \$3   |          |             |
| Columbine              | \$3   |          |             |
| Common Milkweed        | \$3   |          |             |
| Compass Plant          | \$3   |          |             |
| Culvers Root           | \$3   |          |             |
| Little Bluestem        | \$3   |          |             |
| Marsh Milkweed         | \$3   |          |             |
| New England Aster      | \$3   |          |             |
| Ohio Spiderwort        | \$3   |          |             |
| Prairie Blazing Star   | \$3   |          |             |
| Prairie Dropseed       | \$3   |          |             |
| Purple Coneflower      | \$3   |          |             |
| Rattlesnake Master     | \$3   |          |             |
| Showy Black Eyed Susan | \$3   |          |             |
| Showy Sunflower        | \$3   |          |             |
| Virginia Mountainmint  | \$3   |          |             |
| Whorled Milkweed       | \$3   |          |             |
| Combo A                | \$25  |          |             |
| Combo B                | \$25  |          |             |
| Combo C                | \$50  |          |             |
|                        | TOTAL |          |             |

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# Jennings County Soil and Water Conservation District

**Share Some Space Project** 

**Spring 2017** 

**Pollinator Plant Sale** 



Order forms are available online at jenningsswcd.org

To place an order, please complete the order form included with this brochure. Bring in the completed order form with your payment (cash or check only) or mail in your order and payment to:

Jennings County SWCD 2600 N. State Hwy 7 North Vernon, IN 47265 812-346-3411 ext. 3

Office hours 8:00 am—4:00 pm Monday—Friday

Plants will be available for pick-up on May 4th from 3:00 pm-7:00 pm

Muscatatuck County Park

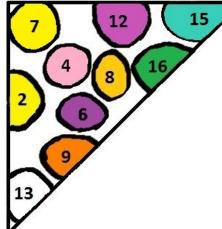
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Proceeds from this sale will go to the Share Some Space Project to promote, educate and enhance pollinator habitat.

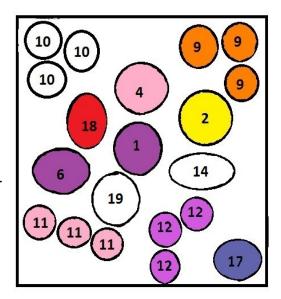




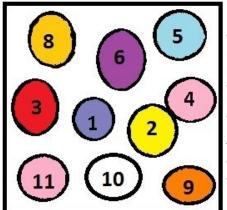


combo B is a 8' x 8' pollinator garden that would fit nicely in a corner or at a driveway entrance. In addition to the 10 plants in this garden, a planting diagram and instructions are provided. Refer to the plant legend for the plants included in this versatile garden. The previous pages provide a description and picture of the plants.

Combo C is a 12' x 12' pollinator garden for larger areas. In addition to the 20 plants in this garden, a planting diagram and instructions are provided. Refer to the plant legend for the plants included in this stunning garden. The previous pages provide a description and picture of the plants.



## Gardener's Special!



Combo A is a 5' x 5' small pollinator garden that comes with 10 plants shown at left. In addition to all the plants in this garden, a planting diagram and instructions are provided. Refer to the plant legend for the plants included in this compact garden. The previous pages provide a description and picture of the plants.

### **Plant Legend**

- 1—New England Aster
- 2—Showy Sunflower
- 3—Columbine
- 4—Prairie Blazing Star
- 5—Ohio Spiderwort
- 6—Purple Coneflower
- 7—Compass Plant
- 8—Showy Black Eyed Susan
- 9—Butterflyweed
- 10—Whorled Milkweed
- 11—Marsh Milkweed
- 12—Common Milkweed
- 13—Virginia Mountain Mint
- 14—Culvers Root
- 15—Little Bluestem
- 16—Prairie Dropseed
- 17—Blue Mist Flower
- 18—Cardinal Flower
- 19—Rattlesnake Master



The network of roots is spread throughout the container with no encircling tendencies. The 2 3/8" square by a 3 3/4" deep open bottom pot allows production of a healthy root system that spreads rapidly into the soil after the transplanting. Open bottom pots allow water to move freely into and out of the pot.

Guaranteed true to type and in good condition at pickup time. If for some reason your choice of plant is not available we will refund the purchase price.

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### Plants Plants

**Butterflyweed** is most often a distinctive bright orange but there is some variation in flower color, from deep redorange to yellow. The leaves are somewhat narrow, up to 1" and tapered, with no stem. This is a great milkweed for a sunny location in a dry area blooming from June through August. Mature plants can make as many as 20 stems at an average height of 2'. The vivid orange color, low mounded profile, and ability to attract and sustain butterflies make this plant a well-known favorite for all types of gardens.







**Little Bluestem** is a 3' warm season grass that actively grows during the summer when soil temperatures are warm. It is very drought-tolerant but it can do well in moist situations. Blue-green in the summer and, after the first frost, it will turn a beautiful coppery pink that will remain all winter. A must have in any medium to dry site.



**Common Milkweed** is one of the easiest and fastest to establish of the milkweeds. This is the preferred species for Monarch butterfly populations. This 3' plant does well in clay soils with full sun to partial shade. The large flower can vary in color from nearly white to deep pinkpurple. The fragrance is very delicate and pleasing and numerous native pollinators will benefit during its long bloom time of June through August.

**Prairie Dropseed** is a great choice of grass for your native landscape. It has a wonderful tussock-forming growth habit and takes on a nice golden hue all throughout the fall and winter. It excels in hot, dry conditions, to 3' high, where it can really soak up the sun. This grass tolerates moist to dry soil conditions. The seeds of this species, which drop in the fall, are a great food for seed eating birds.



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Blue Mistflower reaches up to 2' in height in moist soils with part shade. This plant resembles a lovely blue-purple fog when found in dense stands with the clusters of 35-70 flowers in September and October.



## Shrubs



Buttonbush can reach 6-10' tall when planted in wet, clay soils with full sun to partial shade. Blooms look like fuzzy white balls in clusters at the end of each twig in June through August. The blooms are extremely rich in nectar and attract butterflies and other insects. The foliage is a rich glossy green that turns bronze, burgundy or yellow

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Marsh Milkweed has a lovely vanilla fragrance you detect coming from large rosy pink flowers possibly hosting several Monarch or Swallowtail butterflies. This deer-resistant plant grows in moist to average soils with full sun to partial shade. The plant grows 3-6' tall and blooms in July and August. Later, large pods form which will break open to reveal seeds that will float away in the wind.





Whorled Milkweed has very skinny, "whorled" leaves. There are clusters of approximately 20 flowers near the top of each plant. Whorled Milkweed can bloom anytime between July and September. The white flowers can be a greenish-white on some plants. When the Whorled Milkweed is mature it reaches a height around 2'. Whorled Milkweed is deer and rabbit-resistant that does well in dry soils with moderate shade.

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**Compass Plant** is a tall, sunflower-like plant, growing 5-8' high in dry, clay soils. Deeply cut, hairy leaves, up to 2' in length, usually orient themselves north and south to avoid the heat of the noonday sun. Blooms are 2-5" wide, yellow flowers that occur in July through September.





Prairie Blazing Star matures to 4' in wet to medium soil conditions. It grows best in full sun to partial shade, and pink blooms occur in July, August, and September. It makes an excellent cut flower. When it begins to bloom it starts at the top and works its way down. This is an excellent species to plant in perennial gardens since butterflies, bees, and hummingbirds are attracted to it all summer.

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#### Virginia Mountain

Mint attracts many insects to its flowers, including various bees and small butter-flies. The leaves are very fragrant and the flowers will be white to shades of light purple, blooming from June through September. This 3' plant does best in full sun to part shade and all soil types. This plant is a great choice for those who want to feed pollinators!





Cardinal Flower is named for its beautiful scarlet red flowers which are an important nectar source for hummingbirds and swallowtail butterflies. The 4' plant grows best in moist soil in full sun to partial shade and blooms from July to September. It is a showy plant that makes excellent cut flowers.

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#### **Rattlesnake Master**

matures to a height of 4' and has white "bristly" flowers. It is typically found in moist to medium soils in full sun. The leaves look very much like the Yucca plant.



#### **Purple Coneflower**

flowers are a golden red to purple and may release a slight fragrance in strong sunlight. They are muchloved by bees! Blooms appear June-September and some may re-bloom in the fall. It matures to 4' in height. The preference is full or partial sun, and moist to medium conditions.



### **Showy Black Eyed**

**Susan** likes wet to medium soils in full sun. At maturity the plant is 3' in height. The black centered yellow bloom occurs in August and September.

**Showy Sunflower** prefers full sun to partial shade. It matures at 5' in dry soils. Yellow blooms are present in July, August and September.





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**Ohio Spiderwort** is a very attractive addition to any garden with it's unusual foliage and tendency to bloom in the morning sun and close mid-day. These plants have a bluepurple bloom from May through July. The 3' plant thrives in all soil types with full sun to part shade.





**Columbine** is known for its distinctive, bell-shaped, red spurred flowers, which bloom from mid-spring to early summer. This 2' tall plant grows best in full sun and well drained soil. Columbine is a wonderful plant for attracting hummingbirds!

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**Culvers Root** is a strong upright accent to any garden. The elegant unbranched plant reaches 5' with candelabra-like spikes of white flowers that can sometimes take on a purple hue. The contrast of these flowers against the dark green foliage is stunning. It thrives in full sun to partial shade in moist well drained soils.





**New England Aster** maturing to 5' tall, it is rich with purple flowers with orange-yellow centers from late summer to October. Popular with pollinators, it thrives in full sun or light shade in all but the driest soils. The colors can vary from purple, violet, and lavender to all shades of pink. The nectar of the flower provides an excellent source for Monarchs and other butterflies. New England Aster is drought-tolerant and deerresistant.