

## Pollinator Habitat Example Plant List for Colorado

#	Area	Common Name	Height	Width	Exposure	Water Needs	Bloom Time	Bloom Color
1	Spring	Mock Bearberry manzanita	10-24"	3'-5'	Sun, Part Sun		Early Spring	Pink
2	Bloom	Prarie Lode' Prarie Lode sundrops	6-8"	12-16"	Sun, Part Sun		May - September	Yellow
3		Scott's sugarbowl	12"	15"	Sun		May-July	Blue
4		Englemann's daisy	24-28"	14-18"	Sun, Part Sun		May to frost	Yellow
5		Grand Mesa beardtongue	24-30"	10-16"	Sun, Part Sun		April to June	Blue
6		Valley Lavender plains verbena	3-6"	12-18"	Sun		May-October	Purple
7		Marian Sampson' Hummingbird trumpet min	4-6"	8-12"	Part Sun		Late spring - summer	Red
8		Lenten rose	15-18"	15-20"	Part-Full Shade		Mid Feb - ?	
9		Boulder Raspberry	3-4'	3-4'	Sun		May - June	White
10		Little Trudy Catmint	8-10"	12-16"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate - zeric	April - October	Purple
11		Wee One' Wee One dwarf English lavender	8-10"	12-15"	Sun	Dry to xeric	Late Spring	Lavender
12		Kannah Creek buckwheat	12-16"	18-24"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate - zeric	May to July	Yellow
13		Narbonne blue flax	16-18"	16-18"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate - zeric	May to July	Blue
14		Dwarf Manchurian viburnum	4-6'	4-6'	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate - zeric	Early to mid May	White
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16	Summer	Coral Reef Beebalm	24-36"	24-36"	Sun, Part Sun	Medium	June - September	Salmon-Pink
17	Bloom	Orange Carpet Hummingbird trumpet	4-6"	18'2"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate - zeric	Mid to Late Summer	Orange
18		Hidcote Blue Hidcote Blue English Lavender	12-18"	24-36"	Sun	Med to Dry	Summer	Lavender
19		Purple Coneflower	3'	2'	Sun	Medium	Summer	Pink, Purple
20		Blue Mist Spirea Dark Knight	3-4'	3'	Sun, Part Sun	Waterwise	Early to late summer	Blue
21		Giant hyssop	2-3'	1-1.5'	Sun, Part Sun	Medium	June - September	Violet Blue
22		Shadow Mountain penstemon	18-24"	14-18"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate to dry	May to September	Lavender
23		Showy Milkweed	2-4'	2-3'	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate to dry	Summer - Fall	Pink, Purple
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25	Fall	Chocolate Flower	12-20"	12-20"	Sun		June to frost	Yellow
26	Bloom	Snow Mesa buckwheat	18-20"	18-24"	Sun		August - Novemer	White
27		Silver Blade evening primrose	4-8"	16-24"	Sun	Moderate to xeric	May - Frost	Yellow
28		Coronado Red hyssop	18"	12"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate to dry	Midsummer-Frost	Red
29		Fall- Blooming Crocus	6-12"		Sun, Part Sun	Moderate	Sept-October	Lilac
30		Baby Blue Dwarf Rabbitbrush	16-24"	20-30"	Full Sun	Low	Summer - Late Fall	Yellow
31		Denver Daisy Black-Eyed Susan	18-24"	18-24"	Full Sun	Medium	Mid to late Summer	Yellow
32		Hopflower oregano	10-24"	18-24"	Sun, Part Sun	Moderate to dry	Summer to late fall	Lavender

#	Notes	Additional Notes
1	Evergreen	Evergreen shrub, best when planted on slope with good drainage, prefers afternoon shade, slow to est. needs room to grow
2	Compact	Thrives in hot, dry conditions. Compact Habit. Protect with extra mulch and cut to ground each spring for best performance.
3	Mounding	Long blooming. Mounding. Bees frequent bell shaped blossoms.
4	Tall wildflower	Tough wildflower.
5		Early spring! Turns orange-red in winter. Can reseed- deadhead to avoid, results in stronger plant.
6	Groundcover	Groundcover, durable, give plenty of sun and avoid excess water
7	low mounds - semi evergreen	Needs extra protection from the sun - especially in winter months. Avoid bark mulch
8	Evergreen	Can reseed heavily, seedlings are located at the base of the parent plant (will reflower 3rd spring), Low maitenance.
9	Shrub	CO Native shrub, naturally occuring in front range. Arching, vase shape, thornless branches. Birds like the fruit.
10	Compact	Long blooming, low growing, spreading. Flowers more abundant in full sun.
11	Compact	Dwarf lavender with compact heads, good for small spaces. Mature size in 2-3 growing seasons.
12	Groundcover	Yellow flowers turn orange as they age. Green foliage changes to vivid purple-red in winter. Requires little attention.
13	Mounding	Situate in Full sun for optimal flower bloom
14	Shrub	Compact Shrub. Early summertime pruning for previous seasons flowerbuds
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16	Upright	
17	Spreading	Rapidly spreading groundcover. Grows best in full sun. Aerate surrounding soil to help promote spread
18	Compact/Evergreen	Sweet fragrance
19	Spreading	Reeseeds. Can be invasive. Highly attractive to butterflies.
20	Upright	
21	Upright	Showy flowers, in large terminal spikes. Attractive to bees, hummingbirds, and butterflies
22	Upright	All season blooms. Requires deadheading for prolonged blooming.
23	Clusters, upright	Seeding can be an issue.
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25	Spreading/Sprawling	Needs good drainage, minimal water. Chocolate scent early in the morning. Avoid too much OM
26	Reseeding	Good companion for rabbitbrush, sage, hyssop. Dry to xeric
27	Spreading	Well drained soil. Plant away from sidewalks/edges so it has room to grow
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29	Naturalizing	Best in Sunny locaiton. K.van Bourgondien and sons
30	Shrub	Can tolerate more water. Longer flowering season. Attracts butterflies. Winter interest.
31	Naturalizing	Long Bloom Season. Colorado Staple
32	trailing	Vigorus growth. Deadhead spent flowers.