



Plants for the Rusty Patched Bumblebee

Herbaceous Species

Pollinator Super-Foods

	Common Name	Scientific Name	Light	Soil	Height'
Spring	Red Columbine	<i>Aquilegia canadensis</i>	sun to shade	dry	3
	Wild Geranium	<i>Geranium maculatum</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	1 to 2
	Virginia Waterleaf	<i>Hydrophyllum virginianum</i>	full to part shade	mesic	1 to 2
	Wild Lupine	<i>Lupinus perennis</i>	full sun	dry	2
	Virginia Bluebells	<i>Mertensia virginica</i>	full to part shade	mesic	2
	Wood Betony	<i>Pedicularis canadensis</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	1
	Shooting Star species	<i>Primula spp</i>	full to part sun	mesic	1
Summer	Giant Hyssop species	<i>Agastache spp</i>	full to part sun	dry	4
	Milkweed species	<i>Asclepias spp</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	2 to 4
	Wild White Indigo	<i>Baptisia alba</i>	full sun	dry	4 to 5
	Cream Indigo	<i>Baptisia bracteata</i>	full sun	dry	2
	White Prairie Clover	<i>Dalea candida</i>	full sun	dry	1 to 3
	Purple Prairie Clover	<i>Dalea purpurea</i>	full sun	dry	1 to 3
	Coneflower species	<i>Echinacea spp</i>	full to part sun	dry	3 to 4
	Joe Pye	<i>Eutrochium spp</i>	full to part sun	mesic	4 to 6
	Jewelweed	<i>Impatiens capensis</i>	sun to shade	mesic to wet	2 to 5
	Blazingstar species	<i>Liatris spp</i>	full sun	dry to mesic	2 to 4
	Bee Balm	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	3 to 4
	Beardtongue species	<i>Penstemon spp</i>	full to part sun	dry	1 to 3
	Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	3
	Culver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	full to part sun	mesic	6
	Fall	Native Field Thistle	<i>Cirsium discolor</i>	full sun	dry to mesic
Native Swamp Thistle		<i>Cirsium muticum</i>	full to part sun	mesic to wet	3 to 8
Gentian species		<i>Gentiana spp</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	2 to 3
Goldenrod species		<i>Solidago spp</i>	full to part sun	dry	2 to 5
New England Aster		<i>Symphotrichum novae-anglia</i>	full to part sun	mesic	3 to 6

Woody Species

	Common Name	Scientific Name	Light	Soil	Height'
Spring	Serviceberry	<i>Amelanchier spp</i>	full to part sun	dry	5 to 30
	Plums and Cherries	<i>Prunus spp</i>	sun to shade	dry	5 to 60
	Gooseberry and Currants	<i>Ribes spp</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	2 to 6
	Willows	<i>Salix spp</i>	full sun	mesic to wet	6 to 80
	American Basswood	<i>Tilia americana</i>	full to part sun	dry to mesic	60 to 100
Summer	Leadplant	<i>Amorpha canescens</i>	full to part sun	dry	1 to 3
	New Jersey Tea	<i>Ceanothus americanus</i>	full to part sun	dry	2 to 3
	Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>	full to part sun	mesic	12
	Dwarf Bush Honeysuckle	<i>Diervilla lonicera</i>	sun to shade	dry	4
	Wild Roses	<i>Rosa spp</i>	full sun	dry	5
	Spiraea	<i>Spirea spp</i>	full to part sun	mesic	4 to 6
	Large Cranberry	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>	full sun	mesic to wet	<1

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