

Louisiana Certified Habitat Plant List

Native Woody Plants (trees, shrubs, woody vines)

	Common name	Scientific name
	Acacia, Sweet	<i>Acacia farnesiana</i>
	Alder, Black/Hazel	<i>Alnus rugosa</i>
	Allspice, Carolina/ Sweet Shrub	<i>Calycanthus floridus</i>
	Ashes, Native	<i>Fraxinus spp.</i>
	Ash, Green	<i>F. pennsylvanicum</i>
	Ash, Carolina	<i>F. caroliniana</i>
	Ash, Pumpkin	<i>F. profunda</i>
	Ash, White	<i>F. americana</i>
	Azalea, Pink	<i>Rhododendron canescens</i>
	Azalea, Florida Flame	<i>Rhododendron austrinum</i>
	Anise, Star	<i>Illicium floridanum</i>
	Anise, Yellow/Florida	<i>Illicium parviflorum</i>
	Azalea, Florida Flame	<i>Rhododendron austrinum</i>
	Azalea, Pink	<i>Rhododendron canescens</i>
	Azalea, White	<i>Rhododendron serrulatum, viscosum, oblongifolium</i>
	Baccharis/ Groundsel Bush	<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>
	Baccharis, Salt- marsh	<i>B. angustifolia</i>
	Bayberry, Southern	<i>Morella carolinensis</i>
	Beautyberry, American	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>
	Beautyberry, American, White	<i>C. americana 'Lactea'</i>
	Beech, American	<i>Fagus grandifolia</i>
	Blackberries/ Dewberries	<i>Rubus spp.</i>
	Birch, River	<i>Betula nigra</i>
	Blueberries	<i>Vaccinium spp.</i>
	Boxelder	<i>Acer negundo</i>
	Buckeye, Bottlebrush	<i>Aesculus parviflora</i>
	Buckeye, Red	<i>Aesculus pavia</i>
	Buckthorn, Carolina/Indian Cherry	<i>Frangula caroliniana</i>
	Buckwheat Tree/Black Titi	<i>Cliftonia monophylla</i>
	Bumelia, Gum	<i>Bumelia lanuginosa</i>
	Buttonbush	<i>Cephalanthus occidentalis</i>

	Camellia, Silky	<i>Stewartia malacodendron</i>
	Catalpa, Southern	<i>Catalpa bignonioides</i>
	Cedar, Eastern Red	<i>Juniperus virginiana</i>
	Cedar, Atlantic/Southern White	<i>Chamaecyparis thyoides</i>
	Cherry, Black	<i>Prunus serotina</i>
	Cherry, Choke	<i>Aronia arbutifolia</i>
	Cherry-laurel	<i>Prunus caroliniana</i>
	Chinquapin	<i>Castanea pumila</i>
	Coralbean, Eastern/Mamou	<i>Erythrina herbacea</i>
	Crabapple, Southern	<i>Malus angustifolia</i>
	Creeper, Trumpet	<i>Campsis radicans</i>
	Creeper, Virginia	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>
	Crossvine	<i>Bignonia capreolata</i>
	Cucumber Tree	<i>Magnolia acuminata</i>
	Cypress, Bald	<i>Taxodium distichum</i>
	Cypress, Pond	<i>Taxodium ascendens</i>
	Cyrilla, Swamp/Titi	<i>Cyrilla racemiflora</i>
	Cyrilla, Little-leaf	<i>Cyrilla parvifolia</i>
	Devil's Walkingstick	<i>Aralia spinosa</i>
	Devilwood	<i>Osmanthus americana</i>
	Dogwood, Flowering	<i>Cornus florida</i>
	Dogwood, Rough- leaf	<i>Cornus drummondii</i>
	Dogwood, Stiff	<i>Cornus foemina</i>
	Elderberry	<i>Sambucus canadensis</i>
	Elms, Native	<i>Ulmus spp.</i>
	Elm, American	<i>U. americana</i>
	Elm, Cedar	<i>U. crassifolia</i>
	Elm, Slippery	<i>U. rubra</i>
	Elm, Winged	<i>U. alata</i>
	Elm, Water	<i>Planera aquatica</i>
	Fetterbush	<i>Lyonia lucida</i>
	Fetterbush, Swamp	<i>Leucothoe racemosa</i>
	Fringetree, American	<i>Chionanthus virginiana</i>
	Gordonia	<i>Gordonia lasianthus</i>
	Grape, Wild	<i>Vitis spp.</i>
	Greenbriar/Catbriar	<i>Smilax spp.</i>
	Gum, Black	<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>

	Gum, Swamp Black	<i>Nyssa biflora</i>
	Gum, Tupelo	<i>Nyssa aquatica</i>
	Gum, Sweet	<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>
	Hackberry	<i>Celtis laevigata</i>
	Hawthorn, Native	<i>Crataegus spp.</i>
	Hawthorn, Barberry- leaf	<i>C. berberifolia</i>
	Hawthorn, Blueberry	<i>C. brachycantha</i>
	Hawthorn, Green	<i>C. viridis</i>
	Hawthorn, Mayhaw	<i>C. aestivalis/opaca</i>
	Hawthorn, Parsley	<i>C. marshallii</i>
	Hickories, Native	<i>Carya spp.</i>
	Hickory, Black	<i>C. texana</i>
	Hickory, Bitternut	<i>C. cordiformes</i>
	Hickory, Mockernut	<i>C. tomentosa</i>
	Hickory, Nutmeg	<i>C. myristiciformes</i>
	Hickory, PECAN	<i>C. illinoensis</i>
	Hickory, Pignut	<i>C. glabra</i>
	Hickory, Shagbark	<i>C. ovata</i>
	Hickory, Water/Bitter Pecan	<i>C. aquatica</i>
	Hollies, Native	<i>Ilex spp.</i>
	Holly, American	<i>I. americana</i>
	Holly, Dahoon	<i>I. cassine</i>
	Holly, Deciduous Possum-haw	<i>I. decidua</i>
	Holly, Gallberry	<i>I. glabra</i>
	Holly, Inkberry	<i>I. coriacea</i>
	Holly, Winterberry	<i>I. verticillata</i>
	Holly, Yaupon	<i>I. vomitoria</i>
	Honeylocust	<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>
	Honeysuckle, Trumpet/Red	<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i>
	Hophornbeam, Eastern/Ironwood	<i>Ostrya virginica</i>
	Hornbeam, American/Muscledo od/Ironwood	<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>
	Huckleberry, Wooly/Hairy	<i>Gaylussacia mosieri</i>
	Huckleberry, Winter/Tree	<i>Vaccinium arboreum</i>
	Hydrangea, Oakleaf	<i>Hydrangea quercifolia</i>
	Lantana	<i>Lantana urticoides</i>
	Laurelcherry	<i>See Cherrylaurel</i>

Leadplant	<i>Amorpha fruticosa</i>
Leucothoe, Downy	<i>Leucothoe axillaris</i>
Leucothoe, Florida/Honeybells	<i>Agarista populifolia</i>
Magnolia, Bigleaf	<i>Magnolia macrophylla</i>
Magnolia, cucumber	<i>M. acuminata</i>
Magnolia, 'Little Gem'	<i>M. grandiflora</i>
Magnolia, Pyramid	<i>M. pyramidata</i>
Magnolia, Southern	<i>M. grandiflora</i>
Magnolia, Sweetbay	<i>M. virginiana</i>
Maple, Chalk	<i>Acer leucoderme</i>
Maple, Red/Swamp	<i>Acer rubrum</i>
Maple, Silver	<i>Acer saccharinum</i>
Maple, Southern Sugar	<i>Acer barbatum</i>
Moonseed/Snailseed/Coralbead Vine	<i>Cocculus carolinus</i>
Mulberry, Red	<i>Morus rubra</i>
Oaks, Native	<i>Quercus spp.</i>
Oak, Cherrybark	<i>Q. pagoda</i>
Oak, Live	<i>Q. virginiana</i>
Oak, Laurel	<i>Q. laurifolia</i>
Oak, Nuttall	<i>Q. texana</i>
Oak, Overcup	<i>Q. lyrata</i>
Oak, Post	<i>Q. stellata</i>
Oak, Shumard	<i>Q. shumardii</i>
Oak, Southern Red	<i>Q. falcata</i>
Oak, Swamp Chestnut/Cow	<i>Q. michauxii</i>
Oak, Water	<i>Q. nigra</i>

Oak, White	<i>Q. alba</i>
Oak, Willow	<i>Q. phellos</i>
Osage Orange/Bois d'arc	<i>Maclura pomifera</i>
Palmetto, Dwarf	<i>Sabal minor</i>
PawPaw	<i>Asimina triloba</i>
Pecan	<i>Carya illinoensis</i>
Peppervine	<i>Nekemias arborea</i>
Persimmon, American	<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>
Pine, Native	<i>Pinus spp.</i>
Pine, Loblolly	<i>P. taeda</i>
Pine, Longleaf	<i>P. palustris</i>
Pine, Slash	<i>P. elliotii</i>
Pine, Spruce	<i>P. glabra</i>
Plum, Native	<i>Prunus spp.</i>
Plum, Chickasaw	<i>P. angustifolia</i>
Plum, Flatwoods/Am. Sloe	<i>P. umbellata</i>
Plum, Mexican	<i>P. mexicana</i>
Poison Ivy	<i>Toxicodendron radicans</i>
Prickly Ash/Toothache Tree	<i>Zanthoxylum clavaherculis</i>
Privet, Swamp	<i>Forestiera acuminata</i>
Redbay	<i>Persea borbonia/palustris</i>
Redbud, Eastern	<i>Cercis canadensis</i>
Rose, Carolina	<i>Rosa carolina</i>
Rose, Prairie	<i>Rosa setigera</i>
Rose, Swamp	<i>Rosa palustris</i>
St. Johnswort	<i>Hypericum spp.</i>

Sassafras	<i>Sassafras albidum</i>
Silverbell, Two-winged	<i>Halesia diptera</i>
Snowbell, American	<i>Styrax americana</i>
Snowbell, Bigleaf	<i>Styrax grandifolius</i>
Sourwood	<i>Oxydendrum arboreum</i>
Spicebush	<i>Lindera benzoin</i>
Strawberry Bush	<i>Euonymus americana</i>
Sumac, Shining/Dwarf	<i>Rhus copallinum</i>
Sumac, Winged	<i>Rhus glabra</i>
Summer-sweet, Peppervine	<i>Clethra alnifolia</i>
Supplejack/Blackjack Vine	<i>Berchemia scandens</i>
Sweetspire, Virginia	<i>Itea virginica</i>
Sycamore	<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>
Tulip Tree/Tulip Poplar	<i>Lireodendron tulipifera</i>
Waxmyrtle	<i>Morella cerifera</i>
Willow, Black	<i>Salix nigra</i>
Witch Hazel	<i>Hamamelis virginiana</i>
Viburnum, Arrowwood	<i>Viburnum dentatum</i>
Viburnum, Possumhaw	<i>Viburnum nudum</i>
Viburnum, Little-leaf/Walter's/Schiller's Delight	<i>Viburnum obovatum</i>
Viburnum, Rusty Blackhaw	<i>Viburnum rufidulum</i>

Herbaceous plants (ferns, grasses, sedges/rushes and wildflowers)

Common Name or Plant Group Name	Scientific Name/Genus
Agave, American	<i>Agave virginica</i>
Alligator-flags	<i>Thalia spp.</i>
Asters, Wild	<i>Symphotrichum/Seriocarpus/Ionactis/Eurybia spp.</i>
Aster, Stokes	<i>Stokesia laevis</i>
Buttons, Barbara's	<i>Marshallia spp.</i>
Buttonweeds, Poor Joes	<i>Diodia spp.</i>
Beardtongues/Penstemons	<i>Penstemon spp.</i>
Bedstraws	<i>Gaillium spp.</i>
Beebalsms	<i>Monarda spp.</i>
Beggarticks	(see <i>Coreopsis</i>)
Bergamot, Wild	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>
Bittercress	<i>Cardamine spp.</i>
Blazing Stars	<i>Liatris spp.</i>
Blue Stars	<i>Amsonia spp.</i>
Bluecurls	<i>Trichostema spp.</i>
Blue-eyed Grasses	<i>Sisyrinchium spp.</i>
Bonesets, Thoroughworts	<i>Eupatorium spp.</i>
Buttercups	<i>Ranunculus spp.</i>
Butterflyweed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>
Butterweed	<i>Packera glabellus</i>
Camphorweeds	<i>Pluchea spp.</i>
Cannas, Native	<i>Canna spp.</i>
Cardinalflower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>
Catchflies	<i>Silene spp.</i>
Cattails	<i>Typha spp.</i>
Clematis, Native	<i>Clematis spp.</i>
Club, Golden	<i>Orontium aquaticum</i>
Compass Plants	(see <i>Rosinweeds</i>)
Coneflowers, Black-eyed Susans	<i>Rudbeckia spp., Ratibida spp.</i>
Coneflowers, Purple	<i>Echinacea spp.</i>
Coreopsis, Native	<i>Coreopsis spp.</i>
Crownbeards, Wingstems	<i>Verbesina spp.</i>
Cuban Jute	<i>Sida rhombifolia</i>
Cypress, Standing	<i>Ipomopsis rubra</i>
Daisy Fleabanes	<i>Erigeron spp.</i>
Dayflowers, Native	<i>Commelina spp.</i>

Dutchman's Pipes, Native	<i>Aristolochia spp.</i>
Elephant's Foots	<i>Elephantopus, spp.</i>
Ferns, Native	(please list below)
Frog Fruits	<i>Phyla spp.</i>
Garlic, False Crowpoison	<i>Nothoscordum bivalve</i>
Gauras	<i>Gaura spp.</i>
Geraniums, Wild	<i>Geranium spp.</i>
Goldenasters	<i>Chrysopsis/Heterotheca/Pityopsis spp.</i>
Goldenrods	<i>Solidago spp.</i>
Grasses, Yellow-eyed	<i>Xyris spp.</i>
Grasses, Native	(please list below)
Herbertias	<i>Herbertia spp.</i>
Hibiscus, Native	<i>Hibiscus spp./Kosteletzkya</i>
Indian Blankets	<i>Gaillardia spp.</i>
Indian Pink	<i>Spigelia marilandica</i>
Indian Plantains	<i>Arnoglossum spp.</i>
Indigos, False	<i>Baptisia spp.</i>
Irises, Native	<i>Iris spp.</i>
Ironweeds	<i>Vernonia spp.</i>
Jewelweed	<i>Impatiens capensis</i>
Joe-pye Weeds	<i>Eupatorium spp.</i>
Larkspurs, Native	<i>Delphinium spp.</i>
Lillies, Rain	<i>Zephyranthes spp.</i>
Lily, Spider	<i>Hymenocallis lireosme</i>
Lily, Swamp	<i>Crinum americanum</i>
Lizard's Tail	
Lobelias, Native	<i>Lobelia spp.</i>
Lupines, Native	<i>Lupinus spp.</i>
Lettuce, Wild	<i>Lactuca spp.</i>
Mallows, Native	(See <i>Hibiscus</i>)
Mayapple	<i>Podophyllum peltatum</i>
Maypop, Passion vine, Native	<i>Passiflora spp.</i>
Meadowbeauties	<i>Rhexia spp.</i>
Meadow Rues	<i>Thalictrum spp.</i>
Mexican Hat	<i>Ratibida columnifera</i>
Milkweeds, Native	<i>Asclepias spp.</i>
Mints, Mountain	<i>Pycnanthemum spp.</i>
Mistflower, Blue	<i>Conoclinium coelestinum</i>
Morning glories, Native	<i>Ipomeas pp.</i>

Nightshades, Native	<i>Solanum spp.</i>
Obedient Plants, False-dragonheads	<i>Physostegia spp.</i>
Onion, Wild	<i>Allium canadense</i>
Pea, Butterfly	
Peas, Partridge	<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>
Pennyworts, Native	
Penstemons, Native	(see <i>Beardtongues</i>)
Pepper, Bird	<i>Capsicum annuum var. glabrisculum</i>
Petunias, Wild	<i>Ruellia spp.</i>
Phloxes, Native	<i>Phlox spp.</i>
Pickernelweed	<i>Pontederia cordata</i>
Pink, Fire	(See <i>Catchflies</i>)
Pink, Indian	(See <i>Indian Pink</i>)
Pokeberry/Pokeweed	<i>Phytolacca americana</i>
Poppymallows	<i>Callirhoe spp.</i>
Primroses, Native	<i>Oenothera spp.</i>
Rattlesnake Masters	<i>Eryngium spp.</i>
Rosinweeds/Compass Plants	<i>Silphium spp.</i>
Rosepinks	<i>Sabatia spp.</i>
Rushes	<i>Juncus spp.</i>
Sages, Native	<i>Salvia spp.</i>
Sedges, Flat	<i>Cyperus spp.</i>
Sedges, Caric	<i>Carex spp.</i>
Sida	(see <i>Cuban Jute</i>)
Skullcaps, Native	<i>Scutellaria spp.</i>
Snakeroot, Black	<i>Sanicula canadense</i>
Snakeroot, White	<i>Ageratina altissima</i>
Spiderworts, Native	<i>Tradescantia spp.</i>
Spikerushes, Native	<i>Eleocharis spp.</i>
Sunflowers, Native	<i>Helianthus spp.</i>
Thistles, Native	<i>Cirsium spp./Sonchus spp.</i>
Tickseeds, Native	(see <i>Coreopsis</i>)
Turk's Cap	<i>Malvaviscus arborea</i>
Verbenas, Vervains, Native	<i>Verbena spp.</i>
Violets, Native	<i>Viola spp.</i>
Wakerobins, Trilliums, Native	<i>Trillium spp.</i>