

Groundcover Species

- *Packera aurea* – golden groundsel
- *Viola* spp. – violets
- *Deschampsia cespitosa* – tufted hairgrass
- *Juncus tenuis* – path rush
- *Carex amphibola* – creek sedge
- *Carex pensylvanica* – Pennsylvania sedge
- *Erigeron pulchellus* – Robin's plantain
- *Symphyotrichum ericoides* – heath aster
- *Asarum canadense* – wild ginger
- *Phlox stolonifera* – creeping phlox
- *Sedum* spp. - sedums

Groundcover Species to AVOID

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- *Ajuga reptans* – carpet bugleweed
 - *Lysimachia nummularia* – creeping Jenny
 - *Hedera helix* – English ivy
 - *Wisteria floribunda* – Japanese wisteria
 - *Lantana camara* – lantana
 - *Pachysandra terminalis* – pachysandra
 - *Vinca minor/major* – periwinkle/vinca vine

Seasonal Theme Species

- *Schizachyrium scoparium* – little bluestem
- *Monarda bradburiana* – eastern beebalm
- *Asclepias purpurascens* – purple milkweed
- *Asclepias incarnata* – swamp milkweed
- *Asclepias tuberosa* – butterfly weed
- *Rudbeckia hirta* – black-eyed Susan
- *Echinacea purpurea* – purple coneflower
- *Geranium maculatum* – wild geranium

Structural Species

- *Liatris spicata* – blazing star
- *Solidago spp.* – goldenrod
- *Eupatorium maculatum/dubium* – Joe pye weed/dwarf
- *Panicum virgatum* – switchgrass
- *Vernonia noveboracensis* – ironweed
- *Coreopsis tripteris* – tall tickseed
- Shrubs – *Ilex*, *Vaccinium*, *Viburnum*, *Hamamelis*, *Rhododendron*, *Lindera*
- Small flowering trees – *Amelanchier*, *Cornus*, *Prunus*

structural



Eupatorium maculatum

seasonal theme



Ruellia humilis
Pycnanthemum flexuosum
Schizachyrium scoparium



ground cover/filler



Allium cernuum
Bouteloua gracilis
 'Blonde Ambition'
Bouteloua curtipendula



structural



Panicum virgatum

seasonal theme



Aster oblongifolius
'Raydon's Favorite'



Eupatorium hyssopifolium



Solidago shortii
'Solar Cascade'

ground cover/filler



Pycnanthemum muticum
Chrysopsis mariana



structural



Vernonia noveboracensis
Coreopsis tripteris

seasonal theme



Liatris spicata
Rudbeckia hirta
Asclepias tuberosa
Echinacea purpurea

ground cover/filler



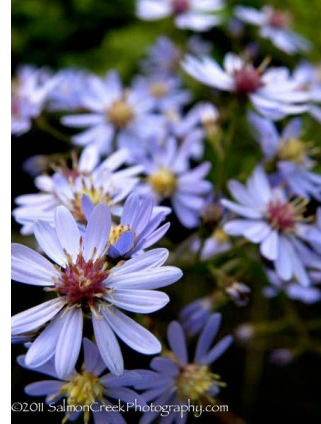
Deschampsia cespitosa
Coreopsis verticillata

structural



Eupatorium rugosum
'Chocolate'

seasonal theme



Solidago caesia
Aster divaricatus
'Eastern Star'
Aster cordifolius
'Avondale'

ground cover/filler



Chasmanthium latifolium
Erigeron pulchellus
Pycnanthemum muticum