



# Native Cut Flower Project

A guide to integrating locally-grown perennials into beautiful floral designs.  
Availability calendar for perennial flowers, foliages and branches in the Upper Midwest.

VARIETIES	QUALITIES	SPRING			SUMMER			FALL			WINTER		
		MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB
Alliums	Flower			Flower	Flower								
Amsonia hubruchtii	Flower, Foliage			Flower	Flower			Foliage	Foliage				
Asclepias	Flower, Seed Pod					Flower	Flower	Flower	Flower				
Baptisia	Flower, Foliage, Seed Pod			Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Flower				
Bleeding Heart	Flower			Flower	Flower								
Caryopteris	Branch							Flower	Flower				
Columbine	Flower, Seed Pod			Flower	Flower	Flower							
Delphinium	Flower				Flower	Flower	Flower						
Dogwood (Dormant)	Branch	Branch	Branch								Branch	Branch	Branch
Echinacea	Flower, Seed Pod					Flower	Flower	Flower	Flower				
Echinops	Seed Pod					Flower	Flower						
Eryngium	Seed Pod					Flower	Flower						
Flowering Branches <i>crabapple, forsythia, quince, etc.</i>	Flower, Branch		Flower	Flower									
Foxglove	Flower				Flower	Flower	Flower						
Geum	Flower			Flower									
Hellebore	Flower	Flower	Flower										
Hydrangea Annabelle	Flower					Flower	Flower						
Hydrangea Paniculata	Flower, Branch							Flower	Flower				
Iris "blue flag"	Flower, Seed Pod				Flower		Flower	Flower					
Japanese Anemone	Flower							Flower	Flower	Flower			
Joe-Pye	Flower							Flower	Flower				
Lady's Mantle	Flower, Foliage				Flower	Flower	Foliage	Foliage					
Lavender	Flower						Flower	Flower					
Liatriis	Flower							Flower	Flower				
Lilac	Flower, Foliage, Branch			Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage					
Lobelia (blue or red)	Flower							Flower	Flower				
Lupine	Flower			Flower	Flower								
Herbs: mint, sage, thyme	Branch			Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage			
Mock Orange	Flower, Branch				Flower								
Monarda	Flower, Foliage				Foliage	Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Mountain Mint	Branch						Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Narcissus	Flower		Flower	Flower									
Ninebark	Branch, Foliage					Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage			
Northern Sea Oats	Branch						Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Peony	Flower			Flower	Flower								
Phlox	Flower				Flower	Flower	Flower						
Raspberry/Blackberry	Branch, Foliage				Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Roses	Flower				Flower	Flower	Flower	Flower					
Rudbeckia	Flower					Flower	Flower	Flower					
Scabiosa	Flower					Flower	Flower						
Sedum	Flower							Flower	Flower	Flower			
Seven Sons flower	Flower, Foliage, Branch							Flower	Flower	Foliage	Foliage		
Smokebush	Flower, Foliage, Branch					Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Solidago	Flower							Flower	Flower				
Solomons Seal	Branch			Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage						
Spirea	Flower, Foliage, Branch			Flower	Flower	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage	Foliage				
Veronica	Flower				Flower			Flower	Flower				
Willow (Dormant)	Branch	Branch	Branch								Branch	Branch	Branch
Witch Hazel	Branch	Flower	Flower										
Yarrow	Flower				Flower	Flower							