# **GRASSES AND SEDGES**

# WCS

Splitbeard Bluestem Andropogon ternarius



Eastern Narrowleaf Sedge Carex amphibola

# **FLOWERING PERENNIALS**



Black Cohosh Actaea racemosa



Green-and-gold Chrysogonum virginianum



Hollow Joe-Pye Weed Eutrochium fistulosum



Eastern Bluestar Amsonia tabernaemontana



Lobed Tickseed Coreopsis auriculata



Smooth Oxeye Heliopsis helianthoides

# **FLOWERING PERENNIALS**



American Alumroot Heuchera americana



Carolina Phlox Phlox carolina



Slender Mountain-mint
Pycnanthemum tenuifolium



Orange Coneflower Rudbeckia fulgida



Blue Stemmed Goldenrod Solidago caesia



Heartleaf Aster Symphyotrichum cordifolium

# For the companion booklet to these plants, visit: ncwildflower.org

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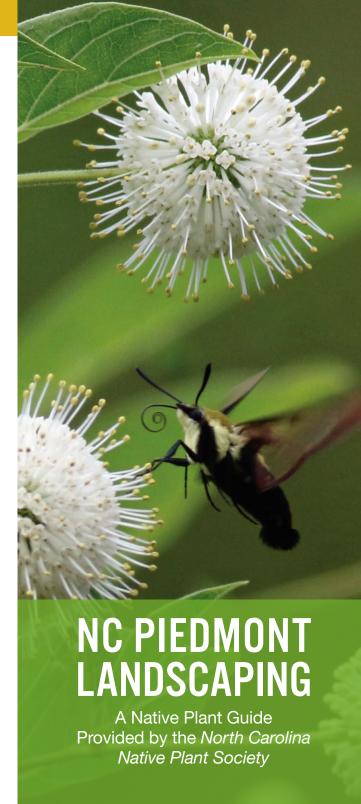
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# LANDSCAPING FOR THE PIEDMONT

This brochure is for anyone interested in nature-friendly gardening in the Piedmont region of North Carolina. The Piedmont, located in the middle of the state, ranges in elevation from 300 feet in the east where it meets the Coastal Plain to 1,500 feet near the mountains. The region occupies about 45% of the area of the state.

Featured in this guide are 34 plants found in a variety of natural plant communities in the Piedmont. Attractive and versatile, these species also provide habitat and resources for wildlife. To assist with plant selection, a companion booklet includes details on each plant and its optimal growing conditions. The North Carolina Native Plant Society produced these guides to promote the enjoyment and conservation of the state's native plants and their habitats.

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## **TREES TREES**



American Hornbeam Carpinus caroliniana



Eastern Redbud Cercis canadensis



American Holly llex opaca



Blackgum Nyssa sylvatica



American Fringetree Chionanthus virginicus



Flowering Dogwood Renthamidia florida



Sourwood Oxydendrum arboreum



White Oak Quercus alba

**FERNS** 

# **SHRUBS**



Red Chokeberry Aronia arbutifolia



Buttonbush Cephalanthus occidentalis



Common Winterberry llex verticillata



Virginia Sweetspire Itea virginica



**SHRUBS** 





Northern Maidenhair Fern

Adiantum pedatum

Cinnamon Fern Osmundastrum cinnamomeum



Southern Lady Fern Athyrium asplenioides



Christmas Fern Polystichum acrostichoides







Smooth Black Haw Viburnum

Viburnum prunifolium