

**Selected species of forbs beneficial to wildlife. (Adapted from *Upland Wildlife Habitat Management*, NRCS Practice Standard 645, and *Landscaping with Plants Native to Indiana*, Indiana Native Plant and Wildflower Society).**

Common Name	Genus species	Color	Bloom Season
Autumn Sneezeweed	<i>Helenium autumnale</i>	Yellow	August-October
Blackeyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia serotina</i>	Yellow	June-October
Blue False Indigo	<i>Baptisia australis</i>	Blue	May-June
Blue-Stemmed Goldenrod	<i>Solidago caesia</i>	Yellow	August-October
Butterfly Weed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	Orange	June-September
Button Blazing Star	<i>Liatris aspera</i>	Purple	August-September
Cardinal Flower	<i>Lobelia cardinalis</i>	Red	July-September
Culver's Root	<i>Veronicastrum virginicum</i>	White	June-September
Dense Blazing Star	<i>Liatris spicata</i>	Purple	July-September
Rosinweed	<i>Silphium integrifolium</i>	Yellow	July-September
Gray Goldenrod	<i>Solidago nemoralis</i>	Yellow	July-November
Gray-Headed Coneflower	<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	Yellow	June-September
Illinois Bundleflower	<i>Desmanthus illinoensis</i>	White	June-August
New England Aster	<i>Aster novae-angliae</i>	Purple	August-October
Partridge Pea	<i>Cassia fasciculata</i>	Yellow	July-September
Prairie Dock	<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>	Yellow	August-October
Purple Coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Purple	June-October
Queen-of-the-Prairie	<i>Filipendula rubra</i>	Pink	June-August
Royal Catchfly	<i>Silene regia</i>	Red	June-August
Saw-Toothed Sunflower	<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>	Yellow	July-October
Short's Aster	<i>Aster shortii</i>	Lavender	August-October
Smooth Aster	<i>Aster laevis</i>	Blue	August-October
Spotted Joe-Pye-Weed	<i>Eupatorium maculatum</i>	Pink	July-September
Stiff Goldenrod	<i>Solidago rigida</i>	Yellow	August-October
Summer Phlox	<i>Phlox paniculata</i>	Purple	July-October
Sunflower Heliopsis	<i>Heliopsis spp.</i>	Yellow	July-September
Tall Coreopsis	<i>Coreopsis tripteris</i>	Yellow	July-October
Violet Lespedeza	<i>Lespedeza violacea</i>	Purple	July-September
Virginia Mountain Mint	<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>	White	July-September
Wild Bergamot	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Lavender	July-August