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American Basket-flower	<i>Centaurea americana</i>	Oct	Aug-Sep													A	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-shade	Dry	3-6'	Seeds	Butterflies, Native bees			
American Beautyberry	<i>Callicarpa americana</i>	Mar								Flowers						P	Shrub	Part-Shade	Moist	3-5'	Seeds, root cuttings, softwood tip cuttings	Northern Bobwhite, birds, Butterflies	No		
Beebalm	<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	Dec-Apr	Jun-Aug													P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-shade	Moist, Dry	2-4'	Root division, seeds	Birds, Hummingbirds, Butterflies, Native bees, Bumble bees	High		
Big Bluestem	<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	Apr	Sep-Nov													P	Grass/Grass-like	Sun, Part-shade	Moist	4-8'	Root division, seeds	Birds, Butterflies	High	Delaware Skipper, Dusted Skipper	cover: 24 songbirds; nesting sites or seeds for Grasshopper Sparrows, Henslow's Sparrow & other sparrows; nesting sites for Sedge Wrens & Western Meadowlarks
Black-eyed Susan	<i>Rudbeckia hirta</i>	Nov-May	Jul-Oct													A	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist, Dry	1-2'	Seeds	Nectar-bees, Nectar-Butterflies, Nectar-insects, Seeds-Gravivorous birds		Gaorgone Checkerspot, Bordered Patch butterfly	High
Blue mistflower	<i>Conoclinium coelestinum</i>	Feb-Mar	Oct-Dec													P	Shrub	Part-Shade	Moist	2-3'	Seeds, root division	Bees, Native Bees Butterflies, Birds			
Bushy Bluestem	<i>Andropogon glomeratus</i>															P	Grass/Grass-like	Sun	Wet/Moist	2-5'	Seeds, root division	Granivorous birds, small mammals	High	Skippers, Satyrs	birds; cover for small animals; nesting for Native bees
Butterfly gaura	<i>Oenothera lindheimeri</i>	Feb	Unknown													P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-shade	Moist	1-3'	Seeds, clump division		Moderate		
Butterfly milkweed	<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>	May	Unknown													P	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist, Dry	1-2'	Root cuttings, Seeds	Butterflies, Hummingbirds, Native bees, Bumble bees, Honey Bees	High	Grey Hairstreak, Monarch, Queens	
Cherry sage	<i>Salvia greggii</i>	Jan-Feb	Unknown													P	Shrub	Sun	Dry	2-3'	Seeds, Semi-hardwood Cuttings, Softwood Cuttings	Bees, Hummingbirds, Butterflies	High		
Coral honeysuckle	<i>Lonicera sempervirens</i>	Jan														P	Vine	Sun, Part-Shade	Moist	3-20'	Seeds, softwood cuttings, semi-hardwood cuttings	Hummingbirds, Bees, Butterflies, Quail, Purple Finch, Goldfinch, Hermit Thrush, American Robin, Bumble bees		Spring Azure, Snowberry Clearwing Moth	
Coralberry	<i>Symphoricarpos orbiculatus</i>	Unknown	Unknown													P	Shrub	Shade, Part-Shade	Moist, Dry	2'	Semi-hardwood cuttings	Birds, Native bees	Moderate		Songbirds, ground birds, small mammals, browsers
Engelmann's daisy	<i>Engelmannia peristenia</i>	Sep-Jan	Jun-Jul													P	Herbaceous	Sun	Dry	1.5-2'	Seeds	Birds	No		
Frostweed	<i>Verbesina virginica</i>	Dec-Mar	Oct-Nov													P,B	Herbaceous	Part-Shade, Shade	Dry, Moist	3-6'	Root division, seeds	Butterflies, Native bees, Honey bees	High		
Gayfeather	<i>Liatis elegans</i>	Nov-Mar														P	Herbaceous	Sun	Dry	1-4'		Butterflies, Native bees			
Giant coneflower	<i>Rudbeckia maxima</i>	Dec-Mar	Jun													P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-shade	Moist	3-6'		Native bees			
Green milkweed	<i>Asclepias viridis</i>	Feb														P	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist	9.75-25.5"	Seeds	Native bees, Bumble bees, Honeybees	High	Monarch	
Gregg's mistflower	<i>Conoclinium greggii</i>	Jan-Mar	Jul-Nov													P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-shade	Dry	1.5-2'	Seeds, roots	Queen butterflies	Deer browse	Rawson's Metalmark	
Indian Blanket	<i>Gaillardia pulchella</i>	Dec-Apr	Jun-Aug													A	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	1-2'	Seeds	Butterflies, Native bees	Moderate		
Indiangrass	<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>	Mar	Nov													P	Grass/Grass-like	Sun, Part-shade, Shade	Dry, Moist	3-8'	Seeds	Small mammals, granivorous birds, Native bees	High	Pepper-and-Salt Skipper butterfly	Native bees
Inland Sea Oats	<i>Chasmanthium latifolium</i>	Not enough info	Unknown													P	Grass/Grass-like	Shade, Part-Shade	Moist	2-4'	Seeds, root division	Butterflies, seeds eaten by small mammals & granivorous birds; leaves provide graze for mammals	High	Pepper-and-Salt Skipper butterfly, Bell's road side skipper butterfly, Bronzed roadside skipper butterfly	Birds
Joe-pye weed	<i>Eutrochium fistulosum</i>	Mar	Aug-Oct													P	Herbaceous	Shade, Part-Shade		5-7'	Seeds, softwood cuttings, division	Pollinators, birds, butterflies, Honey bees			
Lanceleaf coreopsis	<i>Coreopsis lanceolata</i>	Sep-Mar	Jun-Jul													P	Herbaceous	Sun, Shade, Part-Shade	Dry	2-3'	Clump division, seeds	Butterflies, Native bees	No		
Lemon beebalm	<i>Monarda citriodora</i>	Feb	Jul													A	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	1-2'	Seeds	Bees, Butterflies, Hummingbirds	High		
Little bluestem	<i>Schizachyrium scoparium</i>	Mar														P	Grass/Grass-like	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	2-4'	Root division	Birds, Butterflies; seeds: small mammals & granivorous birds	High	Ottoo Skipper, Indian Skipper, Crossline Skipper, Dusted Skipper, Cobweb butterfly, Dixie skipper	Native bees
Maximilian sunflower	<i>Helianthus maximiliani</i>	Nov-Apr	Sep-Oct													P	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist, Dry	4-6'	Seeds, Softwood cuttings, divide clump	Birds, Nectar-bees, Nectar butterflies, Native bees, Honey bees	Moderate		

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Mealy Blue Sage	<i>Salvia farinacea</i>	Jan-Feb	Unknown				█										P	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist, Dry	2-3'	Seeds, softwood cuttings	Nectar-Hummingbirds, Nectar-bees, Butterflies, Native bees	High		
Partridge pea	<i>Chamaecrista fasciculata</i>	Feb-Jun	Sep-Oct						█							A	Herbaceous	Sun, Part Shade	Dry, Moist	1-3'	Seeds	Nectar-bees, Nectar-butterflies, Seeds: Granivorous birds, Nectar-ants; birds, butterflies, Native bees, Bumble bees	No	Cloudless giant sulphur, Orange sulphur, Sleepy orange butterflies		
Penstemon cobaea	<i>Penstemon cobaea</i>	Feb-Mar	Jul perhaps			█										P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	1-2'	Seeds	Butterflies, Hummingbirds, Native bees, Bumble bees, Honey Bees	Minimal	Dotted Checkerspot butterfly		
Brazos Penstemon	<i>Penstemon tenuis</i>	Mar - Evergreen	Jul			█										P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Moist	1-1.5'	Seeds	Hummingbirds, Nectar-bees, Nectar-insects, Nectar-butterflies, Native bees				
Pink Evening Primrose	<i>Oenothera speciosa</i>						█									P	Herbaceous	Sun	Moist, Dry	1-2'	Root division, seeds, softwood cuttings	Birds	High			
Purple coneflower	<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	Dec-Mar	Jun-Oct				█										P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	2-5'	Seeds	Butterflies, Hummingbirds, Native bees, Bumble bees, Honey Bees	No		
Purple passionvine	<i>Passiflora incarnata</i>	Mar								█						P	Vine	Sun, Part-Shade	Moist, Dry	Up to 25'	Seeds, cuttings	Fruit-birds, Butterflies	Moderate	Gulf Fritillary, Zebra Longwing, Crimson-patch longwing, Red-banded hairstreak, Julia butterfly, Mexican butterfly		
Red Indian blanket	<i>Gaillardia amblyodon</i>	Dec-Apr	Jun-Aug				█									A	Herbaceous	Sun	Dry	0-1'		Native bees				
Red Yucca	<i>Hesperaloe parviflora</i>	Non specific	Sep-Oct				█									P	Cactus/Succulent	Sun	Dry	2-3'		Deer, Hummingbirds	High			
Rock rose	<i>Pavonia lasiopetala</i>	Feb	Unknown				█										P	Shrub	Sun, Part Shade	Dru	3-6'	Seeds, Softwod cuttings	Nectar-butterflies, Nectar-moths, Hummingbirds	Moderate		
Scarlet sage	<i>Salvia coccinea</i>	Jan					█										A, P	Herbaceous	Sun, Shade, Part-Shade	Moist, Dry	1-3'	Seeds	Nectar-Hummingbirds, Nectar-Bees, Nectar-insects, butterflies, Hummingbirds	High		
Silver Bluestem	<i>Bothriochloa laguroides</i>	Mar	Jun-Aug													P	Grass/Grass-like			1-3'						
Standing cypress	<i>Ipomopsis rubra</i>	Jan-Dec	Jun-Aug				█										B	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	2-6'	Seeds	Hummingbirds	Nigh, moderate		
Swamp milkweed	<i>Asclepias incarnata</i>	Apr	Unknown								█					P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Moist, Wet	2-4'	Seeds	Butterflies, Hummingbirds , Native bees, Bumble Bees, Honey bees	High	Monarch, Queen butterflies		
Switchgrass	<i>Panicum virgatum</i>	Mar	Aug													P	Grass/Grass-like			3-6'	Seeds	Birds, Butterflies, ground-feeding songbirds & game birds	High	Delaware Skipper, most banded skippers & most of the satyrs	songbirds & game birds	
Tahoka Daisy	<i>Machaeranthera tanacetifolia</i>	Apr	Sep				█									A	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	6-12"	Seeds		Minimal			
Texas bluebonnet	<i>Lupinus texensis</i>	Sep-Dec	Apr-May			█										A	Herbaceous	Sun		6-18"	Seeds	Bees, Butterflies, Hummingbirds, Native bees, Bumble bees	Moderate	Hairstreak butterfly, Elfin butterfly		
Texas lantana	<i>Lantana urticoides</i>	Mar	Unknown				█										P	Shrub	Sun	Dry	3-6'	Seeds, Softwood cuttings	Butterflies, Birds	High		
Texas wisteria	<i>Wisteria frutescens</i>	Mar	Unknown							█						P	Vine	Sun, Shade, Part-Shade	Moist	25-30'	Seeds, Softwood cuttings	Butterflies		Marine Blue, Zarucco Duskywing and skippers		
Turkscap	<i>Malvaviscus arboreus</i>	Jan	Unknown				█										P	Shrub	Shade, Part-Shade	Moist, Dy	3-6'	Seeds		Moderate		
White mistflower	<i>Ageratina havanensis</i>	Jan-Feb	Unknown				█						█			P	Shrub	Sun, Part-Shade	Dry	2-6'	Seeds, Semi-hardwood cuttings, Softwood cuttings	Hummingbirds, moths & burrerflies	Moderate	Rawson's Metalmark		
Winecup	<i>Callirhoe involucrata</i>	Aug	Unknown				█									P	Herbaceous	Sun, Part-Shade	Moist, Dry	0-1'	Seeds, Softwood cuttings	Nectar-bees, butterflies, Native bees	Minimal	Gray Hairstreak		
Zizotes milkweed	<i>Asclepias oenotheroides</i>	Mar-May							█							P	Herbaceous	Sun	Dry	Up to 16"	Seeds	Butterflies, Native bees, Bumble bees, Honey bees	High	Monarch		
*information based on GLC experience in Washington-on-the-Brazos pollinator garden 2017-2022																										
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