

# Landscaping with Purpose at Blackbird Farms

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# Pocket Park Pollinator Planting



USDA United States Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service Indiana Specification Sheet

Planting Type: New Practice 42b (Insects/Habitat Planting) Program Year 2024

Landowner(s): Blackbird Farms

Program: 319 Grant Practice Acres 1.00 Practice Width 100' Footprint Muck Shrub Empire? County

Soil Type(s): Soil Moisture Dry (Meek (W-MD)) Full Sun Not Erosive

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ALL SEEDS ARE IN Pure Live Seed (PLS)

Graminoid Species

| Common Name            | Scientific Name      | Height (ft) | Seasonality       | Growth Form | Quantity PLS per Acre | Percent PLS per Acre | Total Project PLS per Acre | Total Project PLS per Foot | Total Pounds       |      |
|------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|------|
| Bluegrass, Common      | Boutinaria coerulea  | 2           | Warm Season Grass | Knawelgrass | 11.00                 | 0.05                 | 11.00                      | 0.05                       | 0.68               |      |
| Sedge, Yellowfruit     | Carex lutea          | 2           | Cool Season Sedge | 1.00        | 0.05                  | 1.00                 | 0.05                       | 0.06                       |                    |      |
| Sedge, Shortspike      | Carex stans          | 3           | Cool Season Sedge | 3.00        | 0.10                  | 3.00                 | 0.10                       | 0.19                       |                    |      |
| Sedge, Shortspike      | Carex bromoides      | 3           | Cool Season Sedge | 2.00        | 0.05                  | 2.00                 | 0.05                       | 0.13                       |                    |      |
| Sedge, Fox             | Carex vulpinoidea    | 3           | Cool Season Sedge | 0.75        | 0.05                  | 0.75                 | 0.05                       | 0.05                       |                    |      |
| Bluestem, Little       | Echinochloa ciliaris | 3           | Warm Season Grass | 4.00        | 0.25                  | 4.00                 | 0.25                       | 0.25                       |                    |      |
| Bluestem, Prairie      | Echinochloa walteri  | 3           | Warm Season Grass | 2.00        | 0.10                  | 2.00                 | 0.10                       | 0.13                       |                    |      |
| 29                     |                      |             |                   |             |                       |                      |                            |                            |                    |      |
| Flies and Legumes      |                      |             |                   |             |                       |                      |                            |                            |                    |      |
| Common Name            | Scientific Name      | Monarch     | Early             | Mid         | Late                  | Color                | Quantity PLS per Acre      | Percent PLS per Acre       | Total PLS per Acre |      |
| 1) Leaf Plant          | Amorpha canescens    | High        | X                 |             |                       | White                | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 2) Milkweed, Swamp     | Astilbe macrophylla  | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pink                 | 2.50                       | 0.10                       | 2.5                | 0.10 |
| 3) Milkweed, Swamp     | Astilbe macrophylla  | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pink                 | 2.00                       | 0.10                       | 2.0                | 0.10 |
| 4) Coneflower, Prairie | Conocopsis pulchella | High        | X                 | X           |                       | Yellow               | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 5) Coneflower, Purple  | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 6) Coneflower, Purple  | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 7) Coneflower, Purple  | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 8) Coneflower, Purple  | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 9) Coneflower, Purple  | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 10) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 11) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 12) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 13) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 14) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 15) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 16) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 17) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 18) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 19) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 20) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 21) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 22) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 23) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 24) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 25) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 26) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 27) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 28) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 29) Coneflower, Purple | Echinacea purpurea   | Very High   | O                 | X           |                       | Pur                  | 2.00                       | 0.13                       | 2                  | 0.13 |
| 30)                    |                      |             |                   |             |                       |                      |                            |                            |                    |      |

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# Planting Day

## January 3, 2025



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# Pocket Park Pollinator Plug Planting May 9, 2025

| Graminoids                | Quantity |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Prairie Oval Sedge        | 20       |
| Little Bluestem           | 21       |
| Prairie Dropseed          | 21       |
| Bur Sedge                 | 20       |
| Plains Oval Sedge         | 20       |
|                           |          |
| Forbs                     |          |
| Marsh Milkweed            | 15       |
| Butterflyweed             | 15       |
| Whorled Milkweed          | 15       |
| White Turtlehead          | 10       |
| Pink Turtlehead           | 10       |
| Purple Coneflower         | 20       |
| Purple Prairie Clover     | 10       |
| Savanna Blazing Star      | 16       |
| Dense Blazing Star        | 15       |
| Wild Bergamot             | 15       |
| Prairie Sundrops          | 10       |
| Stiff Goldenrod           | 15       |
| Calico Penstemon          | 10       |
| Lead Plant                | 10       |
| Narrow Leaf Mountain Mint | 15       |
| Common Mountain Mint      | 15       |
| Sweet Black-eyed Susan    | 15       |
| Royal Catchfly            | 15       |
| Showy Goldenrod           | 15       |
| Smooth Blue Aster         | 10       |
| Ohio Spiderwort           | 15       |
| Heath Aster               | 10       |
| Wild White Indigo         | 10       |



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Purple Coneflower



Sweet Black-eyed Susan



Butterfly Milkweed



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Wild Bergamot



Blue Mistflower



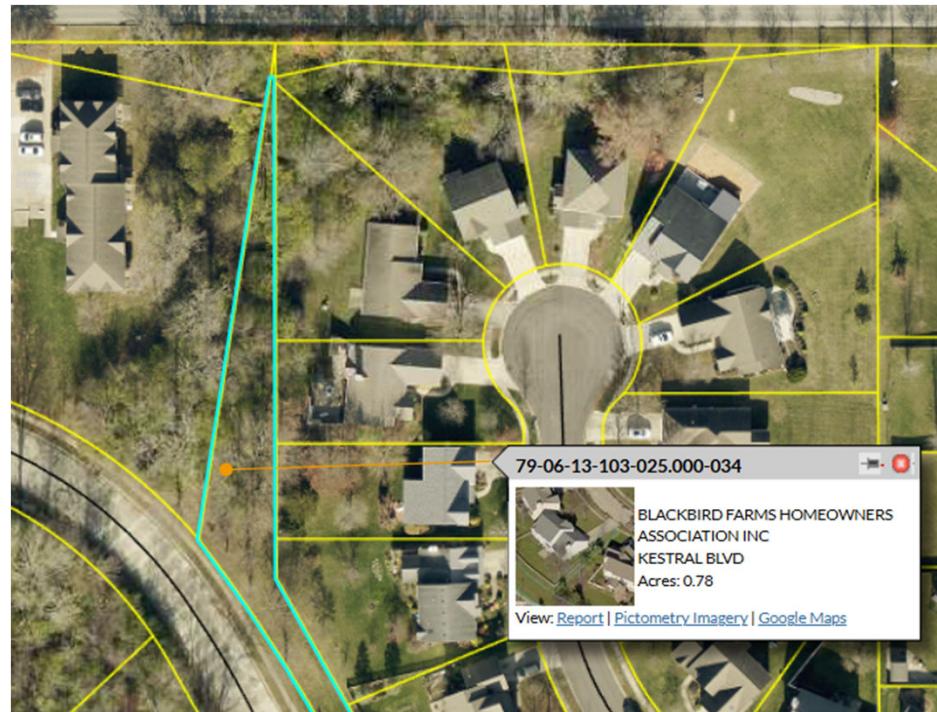
Mountain Mint



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# Honeysuckle Removal Project





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## Pond Edge Rehabilitation



White Mulberry



## Pond Edge Rehabilitation



Callery Pear

**INVASIVE PLANT SWAP PROGRAM**

Get FREE native trees and shrubs when you remove any of these 5 invasive plants:

**Invasive: Callery pear**



**DEADLINE TO APPLY: AUGUST 1**

**Invasive: Burning bush**



**Invasive: Chinese silvergrass**



**Invasive: Japanese barberry**



**Invasive: Privet**



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Free  
Native  
Trees

| Species         | Size     |
|-----------------|----------|
| River Birch     | 7 Gallon |
| Red Maple       | 7 Gallon |
| Eastern Hemlock | 7 Gallon |
| Swamp White Oak | 7 Gallon |
| Black Gum       | 7 Gallon |

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**Tuesday, November 18, 2025 at 10 AM – 12 PM**

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# Do you have any questions?

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