





Blue Earth County Soil & Water Conservation District

Prairie Seed Mix Fact Sheet

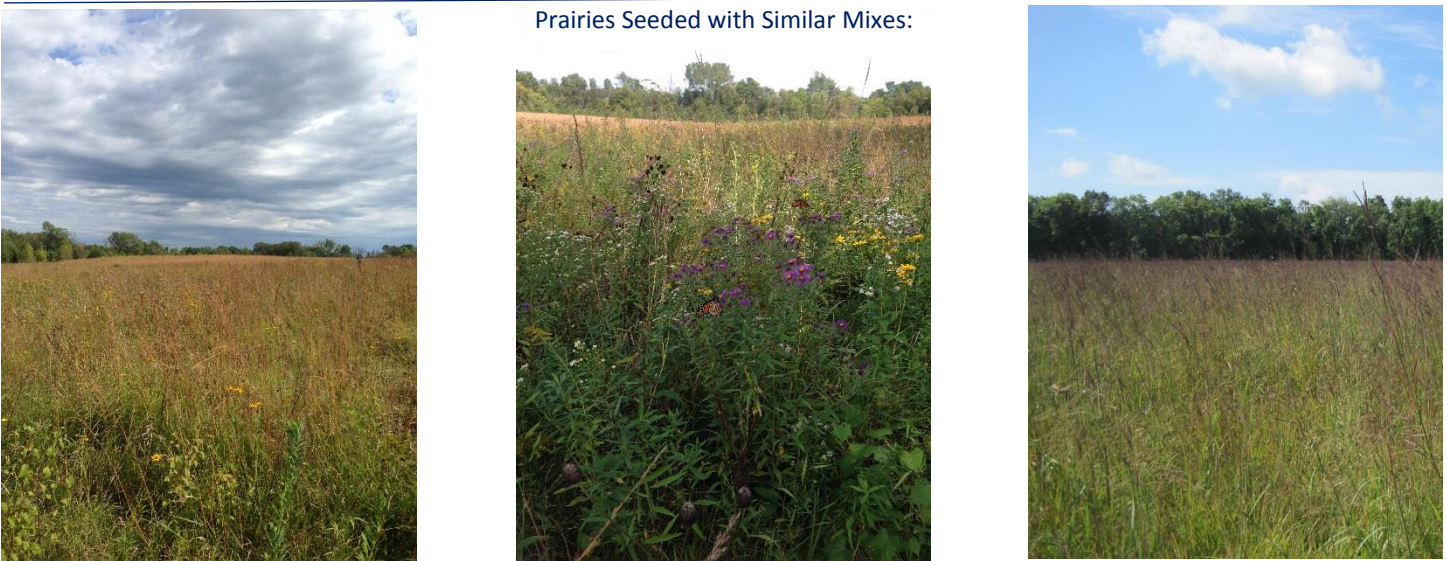
Pollinator Mix - \$80.00																							
Description:	Attract bees, butterflies, birds, and hummingbirds to your yard with the Pollinator Mix! This perennial mix is formulated for most soil conditions and includes an assortment of spring-, summer- and fall-blooming species. Mix grows up to 3 feet tall and tolerates a range of soil conditions, but does not tolerate flooding or prolonged saturation.	 <p>Meadow Blazing Star (above) is among the native flower species included in this mix.</p>																					
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Shortgrass Native Prairie Mix - \$90.00																				
Description:	Perfect seed mix if you live in the city or on a smaller lot in the country! This is a nice low-cost choice, providing a perennial natural landscape vs. a high maintenance lawn. Mix grows up to 3 feet tall and tolerates a range of soil conditions (moist to sandy/well-drained), but does not tolerate flooding or prolonged saturation.	<p>Butterfly Milkweed (below) is included in this mix.</p> 																		
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Tallgrass Native Prairie Mix - \$90.00

Description:	A great option if you want to enjoy a prairie in your own backyard. Natural perennial grasses are in demand now more than ever for everything from erosion control to wildlife habitat. This seed mix grows up to 6 feet or more and tolerates darker and clay soil (moist to well-drained). However it does not tolerate prolonged wet, flooded or dry sandy conditions.		 <p>Stiff Goldenrod (above) is among the native flowers included in this mix.</p>	
Species:	18 Native Flowers, including:			
	Fragrant Giant Hyssop	Leadplant		Butterfly Milkweed
	Marsh Milkweed	Smooth Blue Aster		Sky-Blue Aster
	Canada Milk Vetch	Canada Tick Trefoil		Common Ox-Eye
White Prairie Clover	Purple Prairie Clover	Wild Bergamot		
Meadow Blazing Star	Prairie Blazing Star	Hoary Vervain		
Black Eyed Susan	Yellow Coneflower	Stiff Goldenrod		
	7 Native Grasses, including:			
	Big Bluestem	Side-Oats Grama	Canada Wild Rye	
	Little Bluestem	Indian Grass	Prairie Dropseed	
	Switchgrass			
Quantity:	Covers approximately 5,000 square feet			

FOR PLANTING PROJECTS 1 ACRE OR MORE, PLEASE CONTACT THE BLUE EARTH COUNTY SWCD OFFICE AT (507) 345-4744 FOR RECOMMENDATIONS & ASSISTANCE BEFORE ORDERING



For More Information:

To receive an order form and additional details on this year's native seed mix sale, call the Blue Earth County SWCD office in Mankato at (507) 345-4744, or visit us at www.blueearthswcd.org for photos, online order form, and other information.

Species are subject to change based on cost/availability at the time of mixing by the company.

Ordering Deadline: March 10, 2017

Order Pick-up Days: April 20-21, 2017