



















# Native Shoreline Buffer

Plant for pollinators, clean water, and our earth

-  Marsh milkweed
-  Joe-Pye weed
-  Green-headed coneflower
-  Soft rush
-  Virginia mountain mint
-  Prairie cordgrass
-  Bottle gentian
-  Golden Alexander
-  Boneset
-  Marsh marigold
-  Fringed sedge
-  Sensitive fern
-  Cardinal flower
-  Blue flag iris
-  Blue lobelia
-  Canada anemone
-  Long beaked sedge
-  Jack-in-the-pulpit

## Trees and shrubs:

- Tamarack
- Black spruce
- Basswood
- Oak
- Hackberry
- Birch
- Willow
- Dogwood
- Viburnum
- Elderberry
- Alder
- Serviceberry
- Prairie plum
- High bush cranberry
- False Indigo



Sunny  
area



Shady  
area



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## When planting a shoreline buffer, ask yourself:

Do you need a permit before you install your shoreline buffer? If you answer yes to any of the four following questions, you probably will require one!

### Are you going to use an herbicide in or near the water?

- If yes, contact the MN DNR Division of Waters- Fisheries serving the area where your shoreline property is located. The central office telephone number is 651-296-6157.

### Are you planting or removing plants below the ordinary high water (OHW) level?

- If yes, contact the MN DNR Division of Fisheries- Aquatic Plant Management Program.

### Are you altering the shoreland (i.e. moving dirt, filling, regrading the slope) below the ordinary high water level?

- If yes, contact MN DNR Division of Waters-Area Hydrologist at 651-772-7910.

### Are you altering the shore (i.e. moving dirt, filling, regrading the slope) above the ordinary high water mark?

- If yes, contact your local units of government. You will probably need to submit your plan for review.



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