

perennials

We come back year after year



Echinacea (EK)
"Kims Knee High"



Dalea Purpurea (D)



Lobelia Siphilitica (LS)



Lobelia Cardinalis (LC)



Aster Laevis Smooth Aster



Liatris "Kobold" (LK)



Coreopsis lanceolata
Sand Coreopsis (C)



Phlox Divaricate
"Blue Moon" (Ph)



Aralia "Sun King"
Spikenard (AS)



Solidago "Fireworks" (So)



Monarda
"Raspberry Wine" (Mo)



Asclepias Tuberosa
Butterfly Weed (AT)



Baptisia Australis (BA)

grasses

We add height to a
Prairie State garden



Carex "Bowles Golden" (C)



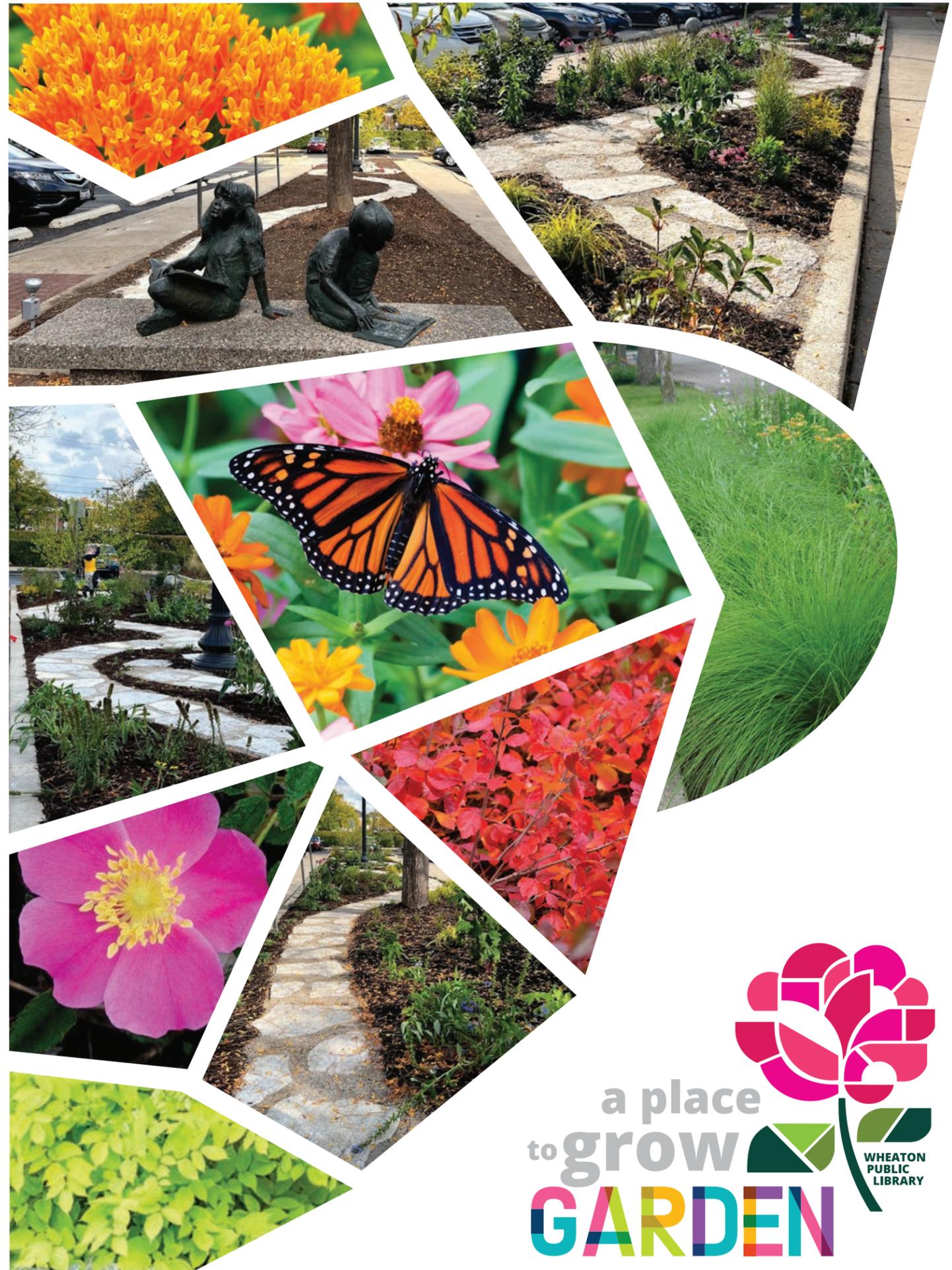
Eragrostis Spectabilis
Purple Love Grass (ES)



Sporobolus Heterolepis
Dropseed (S)



Panicum "Shenandoah"
Red Switch Grass (PS)



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Welcome to Wheaton Public Library's **A Place to Grow Garden!** This special garden on the East side of the library features native plants, prairie grasses, pollinators & propagators, a shade garden, and a winding stone path to explore it all.

Let this be your guide to the plants and flowers that will bloom throughout the seasons. Young garden-lovers can also pick up a copy of our **Youth Garden Activities Guide**, and challenge their senses as they investigate our grasses and flower beds.

Also be on the lookout for our **Little Free Seed Library**, which will soon have a permanent home in our garden. Whether inside with a good book or outside in the dirt, we invite you to Grow with Us!

"I want to tell you about the most hopeful thing in the world.

It is a seed."

*~ Janisse Ray
The Seed Underground:
A Growing Revolution
to Save Food*

shrubs

We are an important part of the garden's ecosystem



Hydrangea Quercifolia
"Alice" (HQ)



Aronia
"Ground Hog" (AH)



Rosa Carolina
"Pasture Rose" (Ro)



Itea
"Henry's Garnet" (IH)



Fothergilla
"Blue Shadow" (Fo)



Rhus Aromatica
"Grow Low" (RAG)



Diervella
"Night Glow"



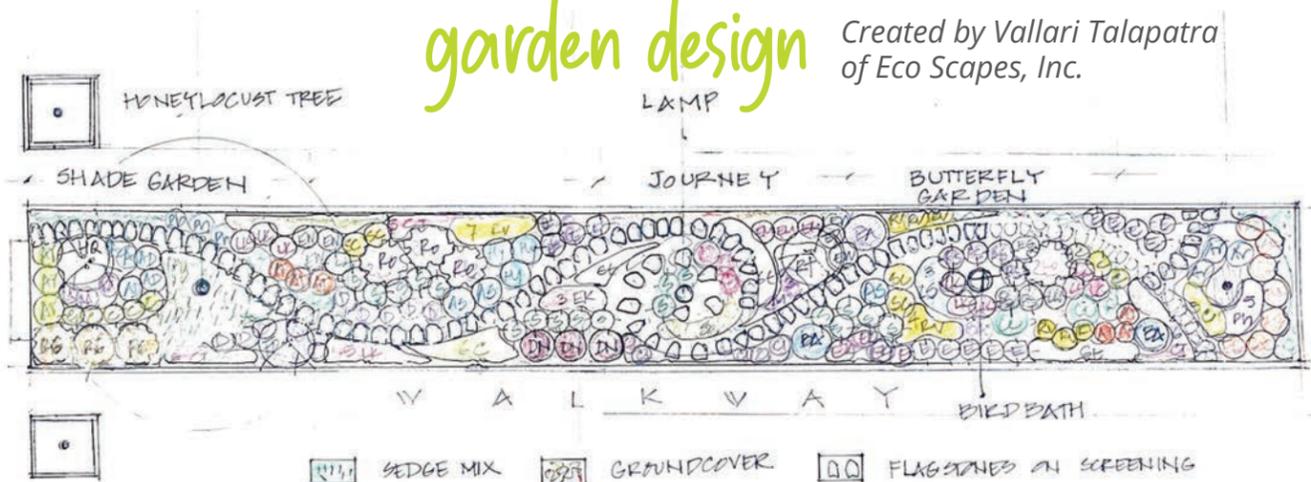
Clethra Alnifolia
"Sixteen Candles" (CL)

"A garden to walk in and immensity to dream in — what more could he ask? A few flowers at his feet and above him the stars."

*~ Victor Hugo
Les Misérables*

garden design

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ground cover

We protect from erosion



Geum Triflorum
"Prairie Smoke"



Ruellia Humilis
"Wild Petunia"



Heuchera Richardsonii
"Alumroot"



Carex Pensylvanica
"Pen Sedge"