

Collier County Native Plant List

Recommended Plants for Collier County Native Vegetation Requirement (South Florida)

Plant	Coas tal Zone	Mid Zone	Inland Zone
Trees-Large			
Bald Cypress (<i>Taxodium distichum</i>)	X	X	X
Fiddlewood (<i>Citharexylum fruiticosum</i>)	X	X	
Gumbo Limbo (<i>Bursera simaruba</i>)	X		
Hackberry (<i>Celtis laevigata</i>)	X	X	X
Jamaica Dogwood (<i>Piscidia piscipula</i>)	X		
Laurel Oak (<i>Quercus laurifolia</i>)	X	X	X
Live Oak (<i>Quercus virginiana</i>)	X	X	X
Mahogany (<i>Swietenia mahogany</i>)	X	X	
Mastic (<i>Mastichdendron foetidissimum</i>)	X	X	
Paradise Tree (<i>Simarouba glauca</i>)	X		
Red Maple (<i>Acer rubrum</i>)	X	X	X
Royal Palm (<i>Roystonea elata</i>)	X	X	
Seagrape (<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>)	X	X	
Slash Pine (<i>Pinus elliottii</i>)	X	X	X
Sweetbay (<i>Magnolia virginiana</i>)	X	X	X
Sweetgum (<i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i>)	X	X	X
Sycamore (<i>Platanus occidentalis</i>)	X	X	X
West Indian Laurelcherry (<i>Prunus myrtifolia</i>)	X		
Wild Tamarind (<i>Lysiloma latisiliquum</i>)	X	X	
Willow Busic (<i>Dipholis salicifolia</i>)	X	X	
Wingleaf Soapberry (<i>Sapindus saponaria</i>)	X	X	
Trees-Medium to Small			
Black Ironwood (<i>Krugiodendron ferreum</i>)	X	X	
Blolly (<i>Guapira discolor</i>)	X		
Cabbage Palm (<i>Sabal palmetto</i>)*	X	X	X
Dahoon Holly (<i>Ilex cassine</i>)	X	X	X
Florida Elm (<i>Ulmus Americana</i>)	X	X	X
Geiger Tree (<i>Cordia sebestena</i>)	X		
Green Buttonwood (<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>)	X	X	
Milkbark (<i>Drypetes diversifolia</i>)	X		
Pigeon Plum (<i>Coccoloba diversifolia</i>)	X		
Pitch Apple (<i>Clusia rosea</i>)	X		
Satin Leaf (<i>Chrysophyllum oliviforme</i>)	X	X	
Scrub Hickory (<i>Carya floridana</i>)	X	X	X
Scrub Live Oak (<i>Quercus geminata</i>)	X	X	X
Silver Buttonwood (<i>Conocarpus erectus 'Sericeous'</i>)	XX		
Simpson Stopper (<i>Myrcianthes fragrans</i>)	X	X	X
Soldierwood (<i>Columbina elliptica</i>)	X		
Shrubs-Large ('B' Buffers)			
Bahama Strongbark (<i>Bourreria ovata</i>)	X		

Buttonwood (<i>Conocarpus erectus</i>)	X	X	
Catclaw (<i>Pithecellobium unguis-cati</i>)	X		
Cinnamon Bark (<i>Canella winterana</i>)	X	X	
Crabwood (<i>Ateramnus lucidus</i>)	X		
Darling Plum (<i>Reynosa septentriolalis</i>)	X	X	
Florida Privet (<i>Forestiera segregata</i>)	X		
Jamaica Caper (<i>Capparis cynophallophora</i>)	X	X	?
Maiden Bush (<i>Savia bahamensis</i>)	X	X	
Myrsine (<i>Myrsine floridana</i>)	X		
Red Berry Stopper (<i>Eugenia confusa</i>)	X	X	?
Seagrape (<i>Coccoloba uvifera</i>)	X		
Wild Lime (<i>Zanthoxylum fagara</i>)	X	X	
Simpson Stopper (<i>Myrcianthes fragrans</i>)	X		
Spicewood (<i>Calyptanthus spp.</i>)	X	X	
Walters Viburnum (<i>Viburnum obovatum</i>)	X	X	
Wax Myrtle (<i>Myrica cerifera</i>)**	X	X	X
Shrubs-Medium to Small	X		
Bay Cedar (<i>Suriana maritima</i>)	X	X	X
Blackbead (<i>Pithecellobium keyense</i>)	X	X	X
Cocoplum (<i>Chrysobalanus icaco</i>)	X	X	X
Cordia (<i>Cordia globosa</i>)	X		
Firebush (<i>Hamelia patens</i>)	X		
Florida Privet (<i>Forestiera segregata</i>)	X		
Jamaica caper (<i>Capparis cynophallophora</i>)	X		
Leather Fern (<i>Acrostichum danaeifolium</i>)		X	
Maiden Bush (<i>Savia bahamensis</i>)	X	X	?
Myrsine (<i>Myrsine floridana</i>)	X	X	
Necklace Pod (<i>Sophora tomentosa</i> var. <i>Truncata</i>)	X	X	
Saw Palmetto (<i>Serenoa repens</i>)	X		
Sea Oxeye Daisy (<i>Borrchia trutescens</i>)	X	X	?
Seven Year Apple (<i>Casasia clusiifolia</i>)	X		
Silver Saw Palmetto (<i>Serenoa repens</i> 'Cinerea')	X	X	X
Spicewood (<i>Calyptanthus spp.</i>)	X		
White Indigo Berry (<i>Randia aculeate</i>)	X		
Wild Coffee (<i>Psychotria nervosa</i>)	X	X	X

*Cabbage Palms must be used in groupings of 3 to count towards a single canopy tree. Palms can only be used for up to 30% of the required number of canopy trees.

**Not a good buffer shrub - becomes leggy over time.

Note: These are examples of plant material that would meet the native requirement of 4.06.00 of the LDC which requires the plant to be native to Florida and vouchered in Palm Beach County southward on the East Coast and in Counties South of Lake Okeechobee and the Caloosahatchee River on the West Coast.