This square garden won't take up much space, but will bring you color and butterflies throughout the growing season.

A mix of native and non-native flowers will lighten up your shady space.

PLANT LIST

SYMBOL	QTY	SCIENTIFIC NAME	COMMON NAME	COLOR	BLOOM PERIOD	HEIGHT	USE	NOTES
SC	5	Symphyotrichum cordifolium	Heart-leaved Aster	Lavender	Sep-Oct	2-3'	N	Native
AE	3	Asclepias exaltata	Poke Milkweed	White	Jun-Jul	2-3'	LH, N	Native
AQ	5	Aquilegia canadensis	Columbine	Red/Yellow	May-Jul	2-3'	LH, B	Native
AS	5	Astilbe	Purple Astilbe	Purple	Jul-Aug	2-2.5'	N	Non-native
HV	5	Hydrophyllum virginianum	Virginia waterleaf	White	May-Jun	1-3'	PP	Native
LC	6	Lobelia cardinalis	Cardinal flower	Red	Jul-Aug	2-4'	B	Native
LS	6	Lobelia siphilitica	Blue lobelia	Blue	Jul-Sep	1-3'	PP	Native
PD	6	Phlox divaricata	Woodland Phlox	Lavender	May-Jun	12-18"	N	Native
MM	3	Pycnanthemum virginianum	Mountain mint	White	Jul-Sep	2-4'	N	Native
VM	5	Vernonia missurica	Ironweed	Purple	Aug-Sep	4-6'	N	Native

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B: Birds eat the seeds
LH: Larval host for certain butterfly species
N: Provides nectar for butterflies
PP: Attracts pollinators or predatory insects

PROJECT: BUTTERFLY GARDENS
SOIL MOISTURE: AVG-MOIST
SUNLIGHT: SHADE-PARTIAL SHADE

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SCALE: 1" = 4'

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