



If you live in Illinois or the Midwest, this design offers a charming wildflower sanctuary to get away from the hustle and bustle. Discover the beauty of native wild strawberry, wild ginger, and buttonbush, alongside other locally adapted plants that create a haven for pollinators. Once established, your yard will flourish with little maintenance, even during harsh weather conditions. Don't forget to add some seating—front yards, side yards, and backyards all can use a place to sit with a friend or neighbor and take it all in.

What You'll Need

Wild strawberry
Wild ginger
New Jersey tea
Buttonbush
Spicebush
Eastern redbud
Bur oak
Garden tools (rake, tiller, watering can or hose)