

Chicago Park District Natural Areas RFQA: Kiwanis Natural Area

species	common_name	Prairie	
		2017	2021
<b>invasive</b>			
<i>Celastrus orbiculatus</i>	oriental bittersweet		1
<i>Cichorium intybus</i>	chicory		1
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i>	field bindweed		1
<i>Daucus carota</i>	queen anne's lace		1
<i>Dipsacus spp.</i>	teasel		1
<i>Lonicera spp.</i>	honeysuckle		1
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	purple loosestrife		1
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	reed canary grass		3
<i>Rhamnus cathartica</i>	common buckthorn		3
<b>native</b>			
<i>Acer negundo</i>	boxelder	2	2
<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	silver maple		2
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	sugar maple	1	2
<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>	common ragweed	1	1
<i>Ambrosia trifida</i>	giant ragweed	1	1
<i>Andropogon gerardii</i>	big bluestem		1
<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>	common milkweed	2	1
<i>Baptisia lactea</i>	white wild indigo		1
<i>Celtis occidentalis</i>	hackberry	2	4
<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	gray dogwood	2	
<i>Echinacea purpurea</i>	purple coneflower	1	
<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	canada wild rye		1
<i>Fraxinus lanceolata</i>	green ash	1	3
<i>Geum canadense</i>	white avens	1	2
<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	honey locust	1	1
<i>Heliopsis helianthoides</i>	false sunflower	2	
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	black walnut		2
<i>Monarda fistulosa</i>	wild bergamot	1	
<i>Oenothera biennis</i>	common evening primrose	1	2
<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>	virginia creeper	1	1
<i>Phytolacca americana</i>	pokeweed		1
<i>Potentilla norvegica</i>	rough cinquefoil		1
<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	choke cherry		1
<i>Quercus bicolor</i>	swamp white oak		1
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	bur oak	2	2
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	red oak	1	1
<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>	yellow coneflower	1	
<i>Rhus aromatica</i>	fragrant sumac	1	1
<i>Rhus glabra</i>	smooth sumac		2
<i>Rosa setigera sp</i>		1	
<i>Salix interior</i>	sandbar willow	1	3
<i>Silphium integrifolium sp.</i>		1	

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<i>Silphium perfoliatum</i>	cup plant	1	1
<i>Solidago altissima</i>	tall goldenrod	2	3
<i>Tradescantia ohioensis</i>	common spiderwort	1	1
<i>Verbena urticifolia</i>	hairy white vervain		1
<i>Verbesina alternifolia</i>	wingstem		1
<i>Vernonia fasciculata</i>	common ironweed	1	1
<i>Vitis riparia</i>	riverbank grape	3	
<i>Zizia aurea</i>	golden alexanders	1	1

Note:

Cover classes of RFQA Species: 1 = 0-1%, 2 = 2-5%, 3 = 6-25%,  
4 = 26-50%, 5 = 51-75%, 6 = 76-95%, 7 = 96-100%

Note:

Starting in 2019, invasive species were included in the species list.

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