

On behalf of the property owner the following planting plan is recommended to be implemented with the approval of the wetland conditional use permit.

- The ANSI A300 (part 6) guidelines to be followed when planting.
- All plants selected are native and provide habitat and a rich food source for wildlife.
- The selected trees and shrubs will be planted as a diverse hedgerow, this will provide a greater ecological benefit than isolated plantings and will assist pollinators and birds in their movements.
 - Native perennials planted to attract birds and butterflies. These perennials will form a guild and will have many ecological benefits such as holding the soil, absorbing runoff, filtering out pollution, and not allowing room for invasive plants to set in.
- If eastern white pine saplings exist in the buffer area or if seedlings emerge near the woodline they will be protected. ● All invasive species present will be removed to mitigate their spread into the wetlands.
- Operation of equipment for stump removal will take place when soil is dry to reduce compaction and soil disturbance.
- Any soil removed as a result of the stump removal will be placed back into the hole from where the stump was pulled.
- Organic fill material to be used only as required when planting.
- Fertilizer will not be used for any planting.

Trees to be planted: Serviceberry Flowering Dogwood

Shrubs to be planted: American Hazelnut Ninebark Witherod Viburnum Black Chokeberry Highbush Blueberry Lowbush Blueberry

Alternative shrubs: Winterberry Holly Highbush Cranberry Spicebush

Alternative trees: Sweetbay Magnolia Black Tupelo American Witch-hazel

Suggested perennials: Monarda Liatris Mountain mint Echinacea Wild strawberry Green-and-gold Jacob's ladder