

Plant Recommendations by Condition and Canopy Level

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[Beaver - Tasty to Least Tasty Plants](#)

Sunny & moist/seasonally wet:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus (**Blue Wild Rye**); *Juncus effusus* (**Common Rush**); *Juncus ensifolius* (**Dagger-leaved Rush**); *Koeleria macrantha* (**Junegrass**); *Luzula parviflora* (**Small-Flowered Wood Rush**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Western Red Columbine**); *Aster subspicatus* (**Douglas' Aster**); *Camassia quamash* (**Common Camas**); *Chamerion angustifolium* (formerly *Epilobium angustifolium*) (**Fireweed**); *Delphinium nuttallii* (**Nuttall's Larkspur**); *Eschscholzia californica* (**California Poppy**); *Fragaria vesca* (**Woodland Strawberry**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Gilia capitata* (**Blue Globe Gilia**); *Heuchera micrantha* (**Small-flowered Alumroot**); *Iris tenax* (**Oregon Iris**); *Lilium columbianum* (**Columbia Lily**); *Lupinus polyphyllus* (**Bigleaf Lupine**); *Lupinus rivularis* (**Streambank Lupine**); *Mimulus guttatus* (**Yellow Monkeyflower**); *Olsynium douglasii* (**Grass Widow**); *Penstemon ovatus* (**Ovate Penstemon**); *Penstemon serrulatus* (**Cascade Penstemon**); *Petasites frigidus* (also *Petasites palmatus*) (**Coltsfoot**); *Potentilla glandulosa* (**Sticky Cinquefoil**); *Potentilla gracilis* (**Graceful Cinquefoil**); *Prosartes smithii* (formerly *Disporum smithii*) (**Smith's Fairybells**); *Prunella vulgaris* (**Self-heal**); *Saxifraga oregana* (**Oregon Saxifrage**); *Sedum oreganum* (**Oregon Stonecrop**); *Sedum spathulifolium* (**Broad-leaved Sedum**); *Sidalcea campestris* (**Willamette Valley Checkermallow**); *Sidalcea nelsoniana* (**Nelson's Checkermallow**); *Sisyrinchium bellum* (**Blue-eyed Grass**); *Viola adunca* (**Early Blue Violet**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Arctostaphylos uva-ursi (**Kinnikinnick***); *Ceanothus velutinus* (**Snowbrush**); *Gaultheria shallon* (**Salal***); *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Ribes lobbii* (**Pioneer Gooseberry**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Spiraea betulifolia* (**Birch-leaved Spirea**); *Spiraea douglasii* (**Western Spirea**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Athyrium filix-femina* (**Lady Fern**); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia (**Serviceberry**); *Cornus stolonifera* (**Red-osier Dogwood**); *Corylus cornuta* (**Hazelnut**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Lonicera involucrata* (**Black Twinberry**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Oemleria cerasiformis* (**Osoberry**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Chokecherry**); *Ribes divaricatum* (**Wild Gooseberry**); *Ribes bracteosum* (**Stink Currant**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**); *Rosa pisocarpa* (**Clustered or Swamp Rose**); *Rubus parviflorus*

(**Thimbleberry**); *Salix fluviatilis* (**Columbia River Willow**); *Salix hookeriana* (**Hooker Willow**); *Sambucus caerulea* (**Blue Elderberry**); *Sambucus racemosa* (**Red Elderberry**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (also *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**); *Malus fusca* (**Western Crabapple**); *Prunus emarginata* (**Bitter Cherry**); *Rhamnus purshiana* (**Cascara**); *Salix sitchensis* (**Sitka Willow**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Abies grandis (**Grand Fir***); *Acer macrophyllum* (**Big-leaf Maple**); *Alnus rubra* (**Red Alder**); *Cornus nuttallii* (**Pacific Dogwood**); *Fraxinus latifolia* (**Oregon Ash**); *Populus tremuloides* (**Quaking Aspen**); *Populus trichocarpa* (**Black Cottonwood**); *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (**Douglas Fir***); *Salix lasiandra* (**Pacific Willow**); *Salix scouleriana* (**Scouler's Willow**); *Tsuga heterophylla* (**Western Hemlock***); *Thuja plicata* (**Western Red Cedar***)

Sunny & dry:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus (**Blue Wild Rye**); *Festuca occidentalis* (**Western fescue**); *Festuca roemerii* (**Roemer's Fescue**); *Koeleria macrantha* (**Junegrass**); *Achillea millefolium* (**Common Yarrow**); *Allium cernuum* (**Nodding Onion**); *Anaphalis margaritacea* (**Pearly Everlasting**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Western Red Columbine**); *Brodiaea hyacinthina* (**Hyacinth Brodiaea**); *Campanula rotundifolia* (**Common Harebell**); *Chamerion angustifolium* (formerly *Epilobium angustifolium*) (**Fireweed**); *Clarkia amoena* (**Farewell to Spring**); *Collinsia parviflora* (**Small Blue-eyed Mary**); *Collomia grandiflora* (**Collomia**); *Eriophyllum lanatum* (**Oregon Sunshine**); *Eschscholzia californica* (**California Poppy**); *Fragaria vesca* (**Woodland Strawberry**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Gilia capitata* (**Blue Globe Gilia**); *Iris tenax* (**Oregon Iris**); *Olsynium douglasii* (**Grass Widow**); *Penstemon ovatus* (**Ovate Penstemon**); *Penstemon richardsonii* (**Cut-leaved Penstemon**); *Potentilla glandulosa* (**Sticky Cinquefoil**); *Potentilla gracilis* (**Graceful Cinquefoil**); *Sedum oreganum* (**Oregon Stonecrop**); *Sedum spathulifolium* (**Broad-leaved Sedum**); *Sidalcea campestris* (**Willamette Valley Checkermallow**); *Sidalcea nelsoniana* (**Nelson's Checkermallow**); *Solidago canadensis* (**Canada Goldenrod**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Arctostaphylos uva-ursi (**Kinnikinnick***); *Ceanothus velutinus* (**Snowbrush**); *Gaultheria shallon* (**Salal***); *Lonicera hispidula* (**Chaparral Honeysuckle : Vine**); *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Ribes lobbii* (**Pioneer Gooseberry**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Spiraea betulifolia* (**Birch-leaved Spirea**); *Spiraea douglasii* (**Western Spirea**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia (**Serviceberry**); *Arctostaphylos columbiana* (**Hairy Manzanita***); *Ceanothus cuneatus* (**Buckbrush***); *Ceanothus sanguineus* (**Oregon Tea Tree**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Chokecherry**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Sambucus caerulea* (**Blue Elderberry**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (also *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**);

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Arbutus menziesii (**Pacific Madrone***); *Pinus ponderosa* (**Ponderosa pine***); *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (**Douglas Fir***); *Quercus garryana* (**Oregon Oak**)

Part sun/part shade & moist/seasonally wet:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus (**Blue Wild Rye**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Western Red Columbine**); *Asarum caudatum* (**Wild Ginger***); *Corydalis scouleri* (**Scouler's Corydalis**); *Delphinium menziesii* (**Menzie's Larkspur**); *Dicentra formosa* (**Pacific Bleeding Heart**); *Fragaria vesca* (**Woodland Strawberry**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Iris tenax* (**Oregon Iris**); *Lilium columbianum* (**Columbia Lily**); *Linnaea borealis* (**Twinflower**); *Lupinus polyphyllus* (**Bigleaf Lupine**); *Lupinus rivularis* (**Streambank Lupine**); *Maianthemum dilatatum* (**False Lily of the Valley**); *Mertensia platyphylla* (**Bluebells**); *Montia parvifolia* (**Streambank Springbeauty**); *Oxalis oregana* (**Redwood Sorrel**); *Oxalis trillifolia*

(Trillium-leaved Oxalis); *Olsynium douglasii* **(Grass Widow);** *Penstemon serrulatus* **(Cascade Penstemon);** *Potentilla glandulosa* **(Sticky Cinquefoil);** *Potentilla gracilis* **(Graceful Cinquefoil);** *Prosartes hookeri* (also *Disporum hookeri*) **(Hooker's Bells);** *Prosartes smithii* (formerly *Disporum smithii*) **(Smith's Fairybells);** *Prunella vulgaris* **(Self-heal);** *Saxifraga oregana* **(Oregon Saxifrage);** *Sedum oreganum* **(Oregon Stonecrop);** *Sedum spathulifolium* **(Broad-leaved Sedum);** *Sidalcea campestris* **(Willamette Valley Checkermallow);** *Sisyrinchium bellum* **(Blue-eyed Grass);** *Maianthemum racemosum* (formerly *Smilacina racemosa*) **(False Solomon Seal);** *Maianthemum stellatum* (also *Smilacina stellata*) **(Star-flowered Solomon Seal);** *Streptopus amplexifolius* **(Twisted Stalk);** *Synthyris reniformis* **(Spring Queen);** *Tellima grandiflora* **(Fringecup);** *Tolmiea menziesii* **(Piggy-back Plant);** *Trillium ovatum* **(Western Trillium);** *Vancouveria hexandra* **(Inside-out Flower);** *Viola adunca* **(Early Blue Violet);** *Viola glabella* **(Yellow Stream Violet)**

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Gaultheria shallon **(Salal*);** *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) **(Cascade Oregon Grape*);** *Ribes lobbii* **(Pioneer Gooseberry);** *Rosa gymnocarpa* **(Baldhip Rose);** *Rubus ursinus* **(Pacific blackberry);** *Spiraea betulifolia* **(Birch-leaved Spiraea);** *Spiraea douglasii* **(Western Spiraea);** *Symphoricarpos albus* **(Common Snowberry);** *Lonicera ciliosa* **(Orange Honeysuckle Vine);** *Adiantum pedatum* (also *Adiantum pedatum* var. *aleuticum*) **(Maidenhair Fern);** *Athyrium filix-femina* **(Lady Fern);** *Blechnum spicant* **(Deer Fern*);** *Dryopteris austriaca* (syn. *Dryopteris expansa*) **(Wood Fern);** *Gymnocarpium dryopteris* **(Oak Fern);** *Polypodium glycyrrhiza* **(Licorice Fern);** *Polystichum munitum* **(Sword Fern*);** *Pteridium aquilinum* **(Bracken Fern)**

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia **(Serviceberry);** *Cornus stolonifera* **(Red-osier Dogwood);** *Corylus cornuta* **(Hazelnut);** *Euonymus occidentalis* **(Western Wahoo);** *Holodiscus discolor* **(Oceanspray);** *Lonicera involucrata* **(Black Twinberry);** *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) **(Tall Oregon Grape*);** *Oemleria cerasiformis* **(Osoberry);** *Philadelphus lewisii* **(Mock Orange);** *Physocarpus capitatus* **(Pacific Ninebark);** *Prunus virginiana* **(Chokecherry);** *Ribes bracteosum* **(Stink Currant);** *Ribes divaricatum* **(Wild Gooseberry);** *Ribes sanguineum* **(Red-flowering Currant);** *Rosa nutkana* **(Nootka Rose);** *Rosa pisocarpa* **(Clustered or Swamp Rose);** *Rubus parviflorus* **(Thimbleberry);** *Rubus spectabilis* **(Salmonberry);** *Salix fluviatilis* **(Columbia River Willow);** *Salix hookeriana* **(Hooker Willow);** *Sambucus caerulea* **(Blue Elderberry);** *Sambucus racemosa* **(Red Elderberry);** *Vaccinium ovatum* **(Evergreen Huckleberry*);** *Vaccinium parvifolium* **(Red Huckleberry);** *Viburnum ellipticum* **(Oval-leaved Viburnum)**

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum **(Vine Maple);** *Crataegus suksdorfii* (formerly *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) **(Black Hawthorn);** *Malus fusca* **(Western Crabapple);** *Rhamnus purshiana* **(Cascara);** *Salix sitchensis* **(Sitka Willow)**

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Abies grandis (**Grand Fir***); *Acer macrophyllum* (**Big-leaf Maple**); *Alnus rubra* (**Red Alder**); *Cornus nuttallii* (**Pacific Dogwood**); *Fraxinus latifolia* (**Oregon Ash**); *Populus tremuloides* (**Quaking Aspen**); *Populus trichocarpa* (**Black Cottonwood**); *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (**Douglas Fir***); *Salix lasiandra* (**Pacific Willow**); *Salix scouleriana* (**Scouler's Willow**); *Taxus brevifolia* (**Pacific Yew***); *Tsuga heterophylla* (**Western Hemlock***); *Thuja plicata* (**Western Red Cedar***)

Part sun/part shade & dry:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus (**Blue Wild Rye**); *Luzula parviflora* (**Small-flowered Wood Rush**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Western Red Columbine**); *Delphinium nuttallii* (**Upland Larkspur**); *Fragaria vesca* (**Woodland Strawberry**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); ; *Iris tenax* (**Oregon Iris**); *Linnaea borealis* (**Twinflower**); *Olsynium douglasii* (**Grass Widow**); *Penstemon ovatus* (**Ovate Penstemon**); *Penstemon richardsonii* (**Cut-leaved Penstemon**); *Potentilla glandulosa* (**Sticky Cinquefoil**); *Potentilla gracilis* (**Graceful Cinquefoil**); *Prosartes hookeri* (also *Disporum hookeri*) (**Hooker's Bells**); *Prosartes smithii* (formerly *Disporum smithii*) (**Smith's Fairbells**); *Sedum oregonum* (**Oregon Stonecrop**); *Sedum spathulifolium* (**Broad-leaved Sedum**); *Sidalcea campestris* (**Willamette Valley Checkermallow**); *Tellima grandiflora* (**Fringecup**); *Trientalis latifolia* (**Western Starflower**); *Vancouveria hexandra* (**Inside-out Flower**); *Viola adunca* (**Early Blue Violet**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Ceanothus sanguineus (**Oregon Tea Tree**); *Gaultheria shallon* (**Salal***); *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Ribes lobbiai* (**Pioneer Gooseberry**); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Spiraea betulifolia* (**Birch-leaved Spiraea**); *Spiraea douglasii* (**Western Spiraea**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**); *Lonicera hispidula* (**Chaparral Honeysuckle Vine**); *Polystichum munitum* (**Sword Fern***); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia (**Serviceberry**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Oemleria cerasiformis* (**Osoberry**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Chokecherry**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Sambucus caerulea* (**Blue Elderberry**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***); *Vaccinium parvifolium* (**Red Huckleberry**); *Viburnum ellipticum* (**Oval-leaved Viburnum**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (formerly *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Populus trichocarpa (**Black Cottonwood**); *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (**Douglas Fir***)

Full shade & moist/seasonally wet:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Actaea rubra (**Baneberry**); *Asarum caudatum* (**Wild Ginger***); *Circaea alpina* (**Enchanter's Nightshade**); *Corydalis scouleri* (**Scouler's Corydalis**); *Delphinium menziesii* (**Menzie's Larkspur**); *Dicentra formosa* (**Pacific Bleeding Heart**); *Heuchera glabra* (**Smooth Alumroot**); *Linnaea borealis* (**Twinflower**); *Maianthemum dilatatum* (**False Lily of the Valley**); *Mertensia platyphylla* (**Bluebells**); *Mitella caulescens* (**Creeping Mitrewort**); *Osmorhiza berteroi* (**Mountain Sweet-Cicely**); *Oxalis oregana* (**Redwood Sorrel**); *Oxalis trillifolia* (**Trillium-leaved Oxalis**); *Prosartes hookeri* (also *Disporum hookeri*) (**Hooker's Bells**); *Prosartes smithii* (formerly *Disporum smithii*) (**Smith's Fairybells**); *Maianthemum racemosum* (formerly *Smilacina racemosa*) (**False Solomon Seal**); *Maianthemum stellatum* (also *Smilacina stellata*) (**Star-flowered Solomon Seal**); *Streptopus amplexifolius* (**Twisted Stalk**); *Tellima grandiflora* (**Fringecup**); *Tiarella trifoliata* (also *Tiarella trifoliata* var. *unifoliata*) (**Foamflower**); *Tolmiea menziesii* (**Piggy-back Plant**); *Trientalis latifolia* (**Western Starflower**); *Trillium ovatum* (**Western Trillium**); *Vancouveria hexandra* (**Inside-out Flower**); *Viola adunca* (**Early Blue Violet**); *Viola glabella* (**Yellow Stream Violet**); *Viola sempervirens* (**Evergreen Violet***)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Gaultheria shallon (**Salal***); *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Lonicera ciliosa* (**Orange Honeysuckle Vine**); *Adiantum pedatum* (also *Adiantum pedatum* var. *aleuticum*) (**Maidenhair Fern**); *Athyrium filix-femina* (**Lady Fern**); *Blechnum spicant* (**Deer Fern***); *Dryopteris austriaca* (syn. *Dryopteris expansa*) (**Wood Fern**); *Gymnocarpium dryopteris* (**Oak Fern**); *Polypodium glycyrrhiza* (**Licorice Fern**); *Polystichum munitum* (**Sword Fern***); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Corylus cornuta (**Hazelnut**); *Euonymus occidentalis* (**Western Wahoo**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Oemleria cerasiformis* (**Osoberry**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Rubus spectabilis* (**Salmonberry**); *Sambucus racemosa* (**Red Elderberry**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***); *Vaccinium parvifolium* (**Red Huckleberry**); *Viburnum ellipticum* (**Oval-leaved Viburnum**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (formerly *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**); *Rhamnus purshiana* (**Cascara**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Abies grandis (**Grand Fir***); *Cornus nuttallii* (**Pacific Dogwood**); *Taxus brevifolia* (**Pacific Yew***); *Tsuga heterophylla* (**Western Hemlock***)

Full shade & dry:

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus (**Blue Wild Rye**); *Festuca occidentalis* (**Western fescue**); *Luzula parviflora* (**Small-flowered Wood Rush**); *Goodyera oblongifolia* (**Rattlesnake Plantain***); *Linnaea borealis* (**Twinflower**); *Nothochelone nemorosa* (**Turtleshead**); *Prosartes hookeri* (also *Disporum hookeri*) (**Hooker's Bells**); *Prosartes smithii* (formerly *Disporum smithii*) (**Smith's Fairybells**); *Tellima grandiflora* (**Fringecup**); *Tiarella trifoliata* (also *Tiarella trifoliata* var. *unifoliata*) (**Foamflower**); *Trientalis latifolia* (**Western Starflower**); *Vancouveria hexandra* (**Inside-out Flower**); *Viola adunca* (**Early Blue Violet**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Gaultheria shallon (**Salal***); *Mahonia nervosa* (formerly *Berberis nervosa*) (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**); *Lonicera ciliosa* (**Orange Honeysuckle Vine**); *Polystichum munitum* (**Sword Fern***); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Berberis aquifolium (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Oemleria cerasiformis* (**Osoberry**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***); *Vaccinium parvifolium* (**Red Huckleberry**); *Viburnum ellipticum* (**Oval-leaved Viburnum**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (formerly *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**); *Rhamnus purshiana* (**Cascara**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Pseudotsuga menziesii (**Douglas Fir***)

Understory of Conifers (partial to full shade, dry)

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Elymus glaucus ssp. *glaucus* (**Blue Wildrye**); *Linnaea borealis* (**Twinflower**); *Oxalis oregana* (**Redwood Sorrel**); *Prosartes hookeri* (**Hooker's Fairybells**); *Tellima grandiflora* (**Fringecup**); *Tiarella trifoliata* var. *unifoliata* (**Trefoil Tiarella**); *Vancouveria hexandra* (**Inside-out Flower**);

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Berberis nervosa (**Cascade Oregon Grape***); *Dryopteris arguta* (**Wood Fern**); *Gaultheria shallon* (**Salal***); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Polypodium glycyrrhiza* (**Licorice Fern**); *Polystichum munitum* (**Sword Fern***); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rubus ursinus* (**Pacific blackberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Corylus cornuta ssp. *californica* (**California hazelnut**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Oemleria cerasiformis* (**Oso Berry**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Berberis aquifolium* (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mockorange**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Common Chokecherry**); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***); *Viburnum ellipticum* (**Oval-leaved Viburnum**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Frangula purshiana* (**Cascara**);

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Pseudotsuga menziesii (**Douglas Fir***); *Tsuga heterophylla* (**Western Hemlock***)

Rain garden - part sun/part shade – seasonally wet

Reference: [Rain Garden Guide](#)

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Aruncus dioicus var. *acuminatus*. (**Goatsbeard**); *Bidens cernua* (**Nodding Beggars-tick**); *Cammasia quamash* (**Common Camas**); *Carex obnupta* (**Slough Sedge**); *Carex densa* (**Dense Sedge**); *Carex leptopoda* (**Slender-foot Sedge**); *Claytonia perfoliata* (**Miner's Lettuce**); *Claytonia sibirica* (**Candy Flower**); *Deschampsia caespitosa* (**Tufted Hairgrass**); *Grindelia integrifolia* (**Willamette Valley Gumweed**); *Juncus ensifolius* (**Dagger-leaved Rush**); *Juncus patens* (**Spreading Blue Rush**); *Juncus effusus* (**Common Rush**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Western Red Columbine**); *Aster subspicatus* (**Douglas' Aster**); *Heracleum maximum* (**Cow parsnip**); *Iris tenax* (**Oregon Iris**); *Lilium columbianum* (**Columbia Lily**); *Mimulus guttatus* (**Yellow Monkeyflower**); *Petasites frigidus* var. *palmatus*; (**Palmate Coltsfoot**); *Ranunculus occidentalis* (**Western Buttercup**); *Saxifraga oregana* (**Oregon Saxifrage**); *Scirpus microcarpus* (**Small-fruited Bulrush**); *Sisyrinchium bellum* (**Blue-eyed Grass**); *Viola glabella* (**Yellow Stream Violet**); *Fragaria vesca* (**Woodland Strawberry**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Lupinus polyphyllus* (**Bigleaf Lupine**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Polystichum munitum (**Sword Fern***); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Spiraea douglasii* (**Western Spiraea**);

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Cornus stolonifera (**Red-osier Dogwood**); *Lonicera involucrata* (**Black Twinberry**); *Physocarpus capitatus* (**Pacific Ninebark**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Chokecherry**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Salix hookeriana* (**Hooker's willow**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**); *Vaccinium ovatum* (**Evergreen Huckleberry***); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**)

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Acer circinatum (**Vine Maple**); *Crataegus suksdorfii* (formerly *Crataegus douglasii* var. *suksdorfii*) (**Black Hawthorn**); *Malus fusca* (**Western Crabapple**); *Prunus emarginata* (**Bitter Cherry**); *Rhamnus purshiana* (**Cascara**); *Salix exigua* var. *sessilifolia* (**Soft-leaved Willow**);

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Abies grandis (**Grand Fir***); *Alnus rubra* (**Red Alder**); *Cornus nuttallii* (**Western Flowering Dogwood**); *Fraxinus latifolia* (**Oregon Ash**); *Populus balsamifera* var. *trichocarpa* (**Black Cottonwood**); *Populus tremuloides* (**Quaking Aspen**); *Salix lasiandra* (**Pacific Willow**); *Salix scouleriana* (**Scouler's Willow**); *Thuja plicata* (**Western Red Cedar***)

Oakscaping

Reference: [Conserving Oregon White Oak on Urban and Suburban Landscapes](#)

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Groundcover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Achillea millefolium (**Common Yarrow**); *Aquilegia formosa* (**Red Columbine**); *Aster subspicatus* (**Douglas' Aster**); *Carex tumulicola* (**Foothill Sedge**); *Calochortus tolmiei* (**Tolmie's Mariposa**); *Cammasia leichtlinii* (**Giant Camas**); *Clarkia rhomboidea* (**Common Clarkia**); *Clarkia amoena* (**Farewell to Spring**); *Collomia grandiflorum* (**Collomia**); *Coreopsis tinctoria* var. *atkinsonia* (**Columbia Tickseed**); *Deschampsia elongata* (**Slender Hairgrass**); *Dodecatheon hendersonii* (**Broad-leaved Shooting Star**); *Elymus glaucus* ssp. *glaucus* (**Blue Wildrye**); *Eriophyllum lanatum* (**Oregon Sunshine**); *Festuca occidentalis* (**Western Fescue**); *Festuca roemerii* (**Roemer's Fescue**); *Fragaria virginiana* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Fritillaria affinis* (**Checker Lily**); *Gilia capitata* (**Blue Globe Gilia**); *Grindelia integrifolia* (**Gumweed**); *Juncus patens* (**Spreading Rush**); *Koeleria macrantha* (**Junegrass**); *Madia gracilis* (**Slender Tarweed**); *Poa secunda* (**Pine Bluegrass**); *Potentilla gracilis* (**Graceful Cinquefoil**); *Ranunculus occidentalis* (**Western Buttercup**); *Sanicula bipinnatifida* (**Purple Sanicle**); *Sidalcea campestris* (**Willamette Valley Checkermallow**); *Trifolium willdenovii* (**Sand Clover**); *Viola praemorsa* var. *praemorsa* (**Canary Violet**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Arctostaphylos uva-ursi (**Kinnickinnik***); *Lonicera hispidula* (**Hairy Honeysuckle* - vine**); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Spiraea betulifolia* (**Birch-leaved Spiraea**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**);

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia (**Western Serviceberry**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**);

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Prunus emarginata (**Bitter Cherry**); *Frangula purshiana* (**Cascara**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Quercus garryana (**Oregon White Oak**)

Oak/Madrone Willamette Landscaping

Reference: [Portland Plant List](#) Section 2.3

Evergreen plants indicated by * next to common name.

Ground Cover, Grasses, Bulbs:

Carex leptopoda (**Slender-foot Sedge**); *Carex tumulicola* (**Foothill Sedge**); *Chamerion angustifolium* var. *canescens* (**Fireweed**); *Collinsia grandiflora* (**Large-flowered Blue-eyed Mary**); *Collinsia parviflora* (**Small-flowered Blue-eyed Mary**); *Clarkia amoena* (**Farewell to Spring**); *Delphinium nuttallii* (**Nuttall's Larkspur**); *Elymus glaucus* ssp. *Glaucus* (**Blue Wildrye**); *Festuca occidentalis* (**Western Fescue***); *Fragaria virginiana* var. *platypetala* (**Wild Strawberry**); *Olsynium douglasii* (**Grass-widows**); *Potentilla glandulosa* (**Sticky Cinquefoil**)

Small Shrubs and Ferns (up to 5ft):

Polystichum munitum (**Sword Fern***); *Pteridium aquilinum* (**Bracken Fern**); *Symphoricarpos albus* (**Common Snowberry**); *Symphoricarpos mollis* (**Creeping Snowberry**)

Large Shrubs (up to 20ft):

Amelanchier alnifolia (**Western Serviceberry**); *Mahonia aquifolium* (formerly *Berberis aquifolium*) (**Tall Oregon Grape***); *Ceanothus cuneatus* (**Buckbrush***); *Holodiscus discolor* (**Oceanspray**); *Philadelphus lewisii* (**Mock Orange**); *Prunus virginiana* (**Chokecherry**); *Ribes sanguineum* (**Red-flowering Currant**); *Rosa gymnocarpa* (**Baldhip Rose**); *Rosa nutkana* (**Nootka Rose**); *Rubus parviflorus* (**Thimbleberry**); *Sambucus caerulea* (**Blue Elderberry**);

Small Trees (up to 30ft):

Prunus emarginata (**Bitter Cherry**); *Frangula purshiana* (**Cascara**)

Large Trees (more than 30ft):

Arbutus menziesii (**Pacific Madrone***); *Quercus garryana* (**Oregon White Oak**); *Acer macrophyllum* (**Bigleaf Maple**); *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (**Douglas Fir***)