



CHRISTENSEN'S PLANT CENTER

SELECTING DEER RESISTANT PLANTS

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LOW BROWSE RISK

CONIFERS & TREES

Acer spp.
Betula spp.
Carpinus spp.
Cercis canadensis
Cornus spp.
Crataegus spp.
Fagus spp.
Ginkgo biloba
Gleditsia triacanthos
Gymnocladus dioicus
Larix spp.
Liquidambar styraciflua
Liriodendron tulipifera
Magnolia spp.
Nyssa sylvatica
Picea spp.
Platanus spp.
Quercus spp.
Salix spp.
Taxodium distichum
Tilia spp.
Ulmis spp.
Zelkova spp.

Maple
Birch
Hornbeam
Redbud
Dogwood
Hawthorn
Beech
Ginkgo
Honeylocust
Kentucky Coffeetree
Larch
Sweetgum
Tuliptree
Magnolia
Black Gum
Spruce
Sycamore
Oak
Willow
Bald Cypress
Linden
Elm
Zelkova

SHRUBS

Berberis
Buxus spp.
Caryopteris spp.
Chaenomeles spp.
Clethra spp.
Cotoneaster spp.
Cotinus spp.
Forsythia spp.
Hamamelis spp.
Hydrangea spp.
Hypericum spp.
Ilex glabra
Juniperus (most)
Kerria japonica
Leucothoe fontanesiana
Ligustrum spp.
Lindera benzoin
Lonicera spp.
Mahonia aquifolium
Myrica pensylvanica
Philadelphus spp.
Pinus mugo
Pieris japonica
Potentilla spp.
Pyracantha spp.
Spiraea spp.
Syringa spp.
Viburnum spp. (most)
Weigela spp.
Yucca spp.

Barberry
Boxwood
Bluebeard
Floweringquince
Summersweet
Cotoneaster
Smokebush
Forsythia
Witchhazel
Hydrangea
St John's Wort
Inkberry
Juniper
Japanese Kerria
Leucothoe
Privet
Spicebush
Honeysuckle
Oregon Grapeholly
Bayberry
Mockorange
Mugo Pine
Japanese Pieris
Shrubby Cinquefoil
Firethorn
Spirea
Lilac
Viburnum
Weigela
Adam's Needle

MEDIUM BROWSE RISK

CONIFERS & TREES

Abies spp.
Amelanchier spp.
Malus spp.
Pinus spp.
Prunus spp.
Pyrus spp.

Fir
Juneberry
Crabapple, Apple
Pine
Cherry
Pear

SHRUBS

Chamaecyparis
Cornus spp.
Ilex spp.
Ilex verticillata
Juniperus horizontalis
Juniperis virginiana

Falsecypress
Dogwood
Holly
Michigan Holly
Juniper
Red Cedar

HIGH BROWSE RISK

CONIFERS & TREES

Morus spp.
Tsuga spp.

Mulberry
Hemlock

SHRUBS

Euonymus spp.
Ilex crenata
Ilex x meserveae
Kalmia latifolia
Rhododendron spp.
Rosa spp.
Taxus spp.
Thuja spp.

Euonymus, Burningbush
Japanese Holly
"Blue" Holly
Mountain Laurel
Rhododendron / Azalea
Rose
Yew
Arborvitae



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HERBACEOUS

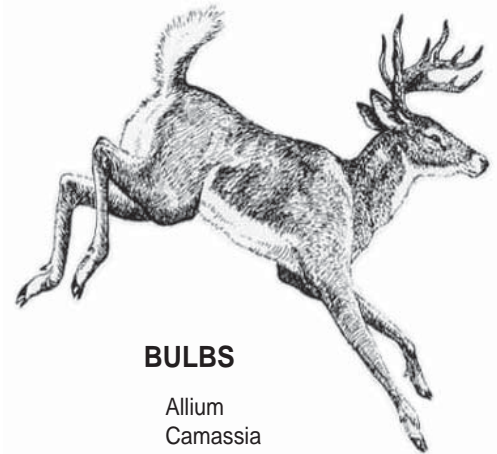
Achillea spp.	Yarrow
Allium spp.	Ornamental Onion, Chives
Alyssum saxatile	Basket-of-Gold
Amsonia tabernaemontana	Amsonia
Anemone spp.	Anemone
Angelica archangelica	Angelica
Aruncus dioicus	Goatsbeard
Asclepias tuberosa	Butterfly Weed
Astilbe spp.	Astilbe
Baptisia spp.	Baptisia
Bergenia spp.	Bergenia
Boltonia asteroides	Boltonia
Buddleia davidii	Butterfly Bush
Ceratostigma plumbaginoides	Blue Plumbago
Chelone spp.	Turtlehead
Cimicifuga racemosa	Bugbane
Coreopsis spp.	Coreopsis
Dennstaedtia punctiloba	Hay-scented Fern
Dianthus spp.	Pinks
Dicentra eximia	Bleedingheart
Dictamnus albus	Gas Plant
Digitalis spp.	Foxglove
Echinacea purpurea	Purple Coneflower
Echinops	Globe Thistle
Erica spp.	Heather
Eupatorium spp.	Joe-Pye Weed
Euphorbia spp.	Spurge
Filipendula spp.	Queen-of-the-Prairie
Gaillardia spp.	Blanket Flower
Geum spp.	Avens
Gypsophila paniculata	Baby's Breath
Helleborus spp.	Hellebore
Iberis sempervirens	Candytuft
Kirengeshoma palmata	Kirengeshoma
Lavandula spp.	Lavender
Leucanthemem x superbum	Shasta Daisy

GROUNDCOVERS & VINES

Aegopodium podagraria	Bishop's Weed
Ajuga reptans	Bugleweed
Celastrus scandens	American Bittersweet
Clematis spp.	Clematis
Convallaria majalis	Lily-of-the-Valley
Epimedium spp.	Barrenwort
Galium odoratum	Sweet Woodruff
Lamium spp.	Dead Nettle
Lonicera spp.	Honeysuckle Vine
Pachysandra terminalis	Japanese Spurge
Vinca minor	Periwinkle
Wisteria spp.	Wisteria

HERBACEOUS

Liatris spicata	Gayfeather
Limonium latifolium	Statice
Linaria spp.	Toadflax
Matteuccia pensylvanica	Ostrich Fern
Mitchella repens	Partridgeberry
Monarda didyma	Beebalm
Myosotis palustris	Forget-me-not
Nepeta spp.	Catmint
Oenothera spp.	Evening Primrose
Onoclea sensibilis	Sensitive Fern
Origanum spp.	Oregano
Osmunda spp.	Cinnamon, Interrupted, Royal Fern
Papaver orientale	Orental Poppy
Platycodon grandiflorus	Balloon Flower
Polemonium caeruleum	Jacob's Ladder
Polystichum acrostochiodes	Christmas Fern
Primula spp.	Primrose
Pulmonaria spp.	Lungwort
Salvia spp.	Salvia
Saponaria spp.	Soapwort
Solidago spp.	Goldenrod
Stachys byzantina	Lamb's Ear
Tanacetum coccinium	Painted Daisy
Viola labrodorica	Labrador Violet



BULBS

Allium spp.	Allium
Camassia spp.	Camassia
Chionodoxa spp.	Glory-of-the-Snow
Erianthus hyemalis	Winter Aconite
Fritillaria spp.	Fritillaria
Galanthus spp.	Snowdrops
Hyacinthus spp.	Hyacinth
Leucojum aestivum	Snowflake
Muscari spp.	Grape Hyacinth
Narcissus spp.	Daffodil
Ornithogalum spp.	Star of Bethlehem
Puschkinia libanotica	Striped Squill
Scilla spp.	Scilla