

SHORELINE PLANTS (continued)

Species	Planting Density	Comments
Loblolly Bay <i>Gordonia lasianthus</i>	10' on center	Evergreen tree. Grows to about 65'. Showy white fragrant flowers during the summer. Reproduces by seeds. Cannot take constant flooding.
Meadow Beauty <i>Rhexia spp.</i>	1' on center	Herbaceous perennial. Grows 1' to 2' tall. Flowers showy, delicate, pale to dark pink. Reproduces from seeds. Can grow in permanent water.
Pop Ash <i>Fraxinus caroliniana</i>	10' on center	*Deciduous tree to 40'. Winged fruit in late summer to fall. Reproduces from seeds. Can grow in permanent water.
Red Anise <i>Illicium floridanum</i>	5' on center	Aromatic evergreen shrub or small tree. Grows to 25'. Brilliant red, star-shaped flowers in spring. Reproduces by seeds. Does not like flooding or drying.
Red Cedar <i>Juniperus silicicola</i>	10' on center	Evergreen. Grows 20' to 40'. Tree with Aromatic heartwood. Reproduces by seeds. Tolerates drought. Endures intermittent flooding on occasion.
Red Maple <i>Acer rubrum</i>	10' on center	*Deciduous tree. Grows to 40' or more. Spreading branches, foliage with good fall color. Flowers in early spring. Flowers and fruits greenish, brownish, or bright red. Reproduces by seeds. Endures intermittent flooding.
Royal Fern <i>Osmunda regalis</i>	1' to 2' on center	Extremely attractive, ornamental, rhizomatous, perennial fern. Lacy evergreen fronds. Reproduces by spores. Endures intermittent flooding.
St. John's Wort <i>Hypericum spp.</i>	1' to 2' on center	Small evergreen shrubs. Grows to 3' to 8' depending on species. Showy yellow flowers late spring to fall. Reproduces by seeds. Endures intermittent flooding.
Soft Rush <i>Juncus effusus</i>	2' to 3' on center	Grows into a 3' to 6' rush. Reproduces by seeds and rhizomes. Endures extensive flooding.
Swamp Bay <i>Persea palustris</i>	10' on center	Evergreen shrub or small tree to 40'. Leaves aromatic. Reproduces from seeds. Does not like much flooding.
Swamp Dogwood <i>Cornus foemina</i>	5' to 8' on center	*Deciduous shrub or small tree. Grows to 15'. Flat-topped terminal flower clusters in spring followed by bluish fruits which are prized by birds. Reproduces by seeds. Endures intermittent flooding.