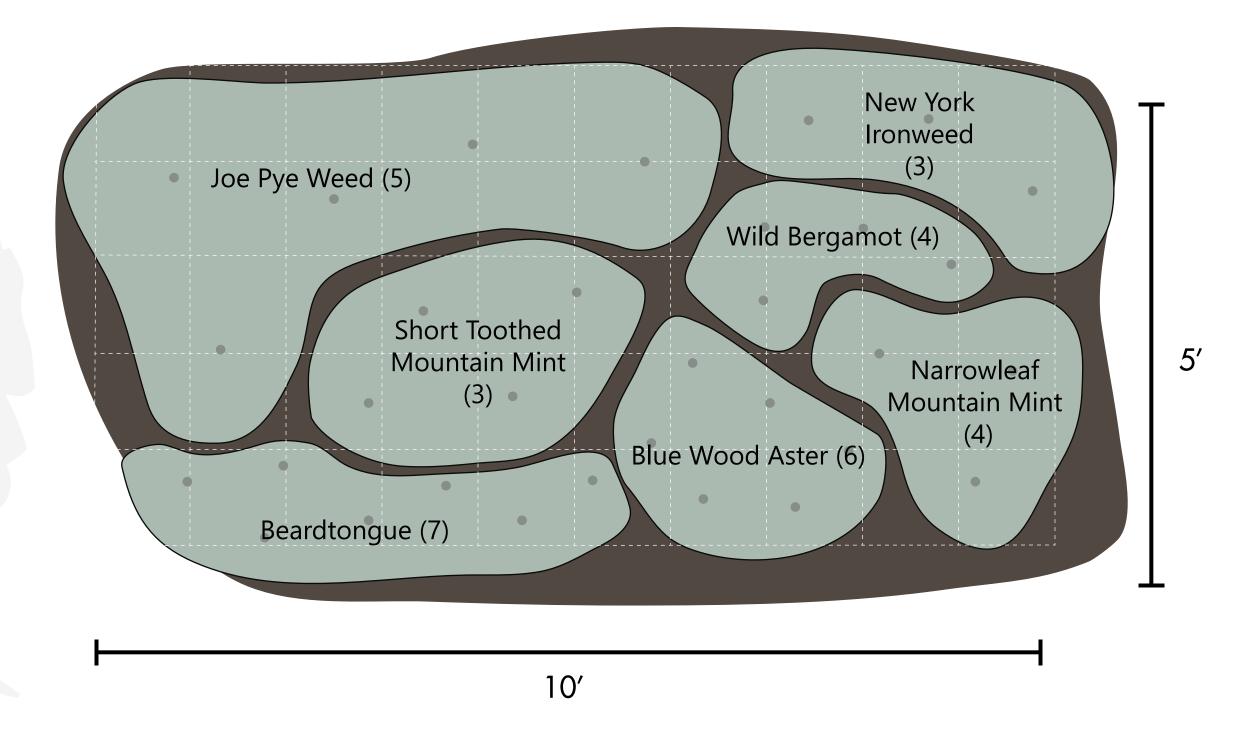
## Native Garden Design Use one flat to plant your own Ecotype garden!

Did you know that most native plants sold in the Northeast come from the Midwest? A single species of plant will have different genetic information based on the environment it evolved in. This means plants from around here are actually adapted better for this area! We have harvested seeds from local native plants. Collaborating with local nurseries, we will grow plugs to plant throughout Fairfield County. By planting these gardens, you will be helping these local plants thrive! (Not to mention, our lovely pollinators) Simply plant, and watch the magic unfold.





PLANT	HEIGHT	PLANTING DISTANCE	COUNT	BLOOM	CONDITIONS
Beardtongue	3'	12"	7	May - July	sun - shade, moist
Narrowleaf Mountain Mint	2-4'	18"	4	June - Sept	flexible
Wild Bergamot	2-4'	12"	4	June- Sept	full-part sun, moist
Short toothed Mountain Mint	1-3'	12"	3	July- Sept	full sun or bright shade
Joe Pye Weed	5-7'	24"	5	July - Sept	full-part sun, moist
New York Ironweed	4-6'	18"	3	Aug - Sept	full-part sun
Blue Wood Aster	2-3'	12"	6 (2 Pots)	Sept- Nov	full-part sun

NOTE: This garden will do well in a sunny spot with moist, well drained soil. We encourage you to adapt this plan to your own site. The spacing is to give you a full garden sooner. As the plants mature, you may have to transplant some to make room. Remember, its a learning process. Welcome to the Aspetuck Green Corridor and congratulations on your new garden!



