

# MICHIGAN WILDFLOWER BLOOM GUIDE

Species	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Alexander, Golden	Yellow						
Aster, Heath							Purple
Aster, New England						Blue	
Aster, Smooth					Blue		
Beardtongue, Foxglove							
Bergamot, Wild			Pink	Pink			
Blazingstar, Marsh					Pink	Pink	
Blazingstar, Prairie					Pink	Pink	
Blazingstar, Rough					Pink	Pink	
Boneset, Common							
Brown-eyed Susan					Yellow	Yellow	
Cardinal Flower					Red	Red	
Clover, Purple Prairie					Pink		
Coneflower, Pale Purple					Pink		
Coneflower, Purple					Pink		
Coneflower, Yellow					Yellow		
Coreopsis, Lanceleaf		Yellow					
Culver's Root							
Evening primrose					Yellow	Yellow	
Goldenrod, Stiff					Yellow		
Great Blue Lobelia					Blue	Blue	
Joe Pye Weed					Pink	Pink	
Leadplant							
Lespedeza, Roundhead							
Lupine, Wild				Blue			
Milkweed, Butterfly					Yellow		
Milkweed, Common					Pink	Pink	
Milkweed, Swamp					Pink	Pink	
Mint, Narrowleaf							
Mountain							
Partridge Pea					Yellow		
Prairie cinquefoil			Yellow				
Rattlesnakemaster							
Senna, Wild					Yellow		
Sneezeweed					Yellow	Yellow	
Spiderwort		Blue	Blue				
Sunflower, False			Yellow	Yellow	Yellow		
Sunflower, Maximillian							Yellow
Susan, Black-eyed			Yellow	Yellow	Yellow		
Tick Trefoil, Showy				Pink	Pink		
Vervain, Blue				Blue	Blue		
Vervain, Hoary		Blue	Blue	Blue	Blue		

\* bar color = bloom color



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## Pheasants Forever 2018 Conservation Seed Program



## ***PURCHASE with a PURPOSE***

All proceeds from seed sales go directly toward our mission of putting more habitat on the ground, youth in our fields and birds in the air. So, you're not only a customer, you're a supporter of conservation and our upland hunting heritage.

## ***Professional Wildlife Biologists***

***Our Mission is Habitat, so let us help you with yours.*** These mixes have been designed by a team of wildlife professionals to provide diverse, high-quality, long-lasting habitat and meet state and federal conservation standards. We want the best habitat on the ground possible to produce the most wildlife, so we offer it at the lowest possible price.

We strive to provide the best technical service and customer experience in the industry.

## ***CLEAN, QUALITY SEED***

We partner with the best growers and suppliers who have a reputation for providing clean, quality seed. Together we've developed the most robust independent testing standards and no vector policy for Palmer Amaranth and other noxious weeds to ensure our customers have the highest quality seed available.

## ***Ordering Information***

***ONLINE at: [www.PFHabitatStore.com](http://www.PFHabitatStore.com)***

- 24/7 Ordering
- Real time pricing and availability of mixes
- Major Credit Cards Accepted (VISA, Mastercard, American Express and Discover)
- Normal shipping and handling included
- Orders typically delivered within 10 business days after payment
- Orders shipped directly to address provided
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- Custom mixes are available

***Or call Kristi at: 866-914-PFQF (7373)***

## **PF / QF SIGNATURE SERIES FOOD PLOT MIXES**

*25# bags cover 4-5 acres unless otherwise noted, All mixes enhanced with MicroNutrients.  
CT = Concep-treated. Establish when soil temp reaches 60 degrees.  
Learn more at: <http://www.pheasantsforever.org/seed>*

### **WINTER FOOD AND COVER**

**Michigan Mix:** Blend of corn, sunflower, buckwheat and Jap millet.

**Blizzard Buster CT:** Great winter cover mix includes 5 grain and 4 forage sorghums.

**Early Longtail Milo CT:** Short stature, 85 days to maturity.

**Winter Survival:** Includes corn grain and forage sorghums, buckwheat and sunflowers. Excellent wild-life winter food and cover mix. 25# bag plants 2 acres.

**Rooster Booster:** Includes corn, grain sorghums, buckwheat and millets. 25# bag plants 3 acres. Provides excellent food and winter cover for game birds, deer and turkey.

**Covey Rise CT:** Includes five (5) heavy grain-bearing sorghums with bright fall colors that reach a height of 3-5 feet. Great for quail and pheasants.

**White Lightning CT:** Includes blend of mild-flavored, light-seeded sorghums providing food for pheasants and deer alike. 95-110 maturity.

**Cane Madness CT:** Includes blend of high-yielding, tall forage sorghums providing abundant food and cover as well as "screen cover" for deer.

**Dove Kandy:** Small, black-seeded, high oil varieties of diverse maturing sun flowers. Not Clearfield Sunflowers. Great food plot for doves, but also attractive to upland game birds.

### **GREEN DEER / TURKEY BROWSE & UPLAND GAME BROOD HABITAT**

**Dove and Quail:** Includes sunflowers, grain and forage sorghums and millets. 25# bag will plant 3 to 4 acres. Provides brood cover for 2 years if left standing.

**Bird & Buck Clover & More:** Includes inoculant enhanced alfalfa, rapeseed, alsike, arrowleaf, berseem, crimson, ladino and red clover. Great deer browse and upland brood areas. Plant very early in spring. Can be used as a firebreak. 8# bag plants 1 acre.

**Bird & Buck Whitetail & Gamebird:** Superior browse habitat for deer and turkey and brood habitat for upland game. 25# covers 2-3 acres. Includes alfalfa, rapeseed, alsike, arrowleaf, berseem, crimson, ladino and red clover, partridge pea, annual ryegrass, bluegrass, switchgrass, timothy and millet. Enhanced with Legume Inoculants.

**Bird & Buck Deer Kandy:** Great green browse mix for deer & turkeys and provides brood area for upland game includes Legume Inoculant treated alfalfa, alsike, ladino, medium red clover and partridge pea. 8# plants 1 acre. Plant in very early spring.

**Bird & Buck Whitetail Forage Brassica:** This high-sugar, high protein mix of rape, canola, pasja, kale and turnips is irresistible to deer and turkeys. 8# bag plants 1.5 acres. Plant this fast growing 2 foot tall food plot in late summer / early fall. (45 days to maturity).



***To Order Food Plot Seed Only Call:***

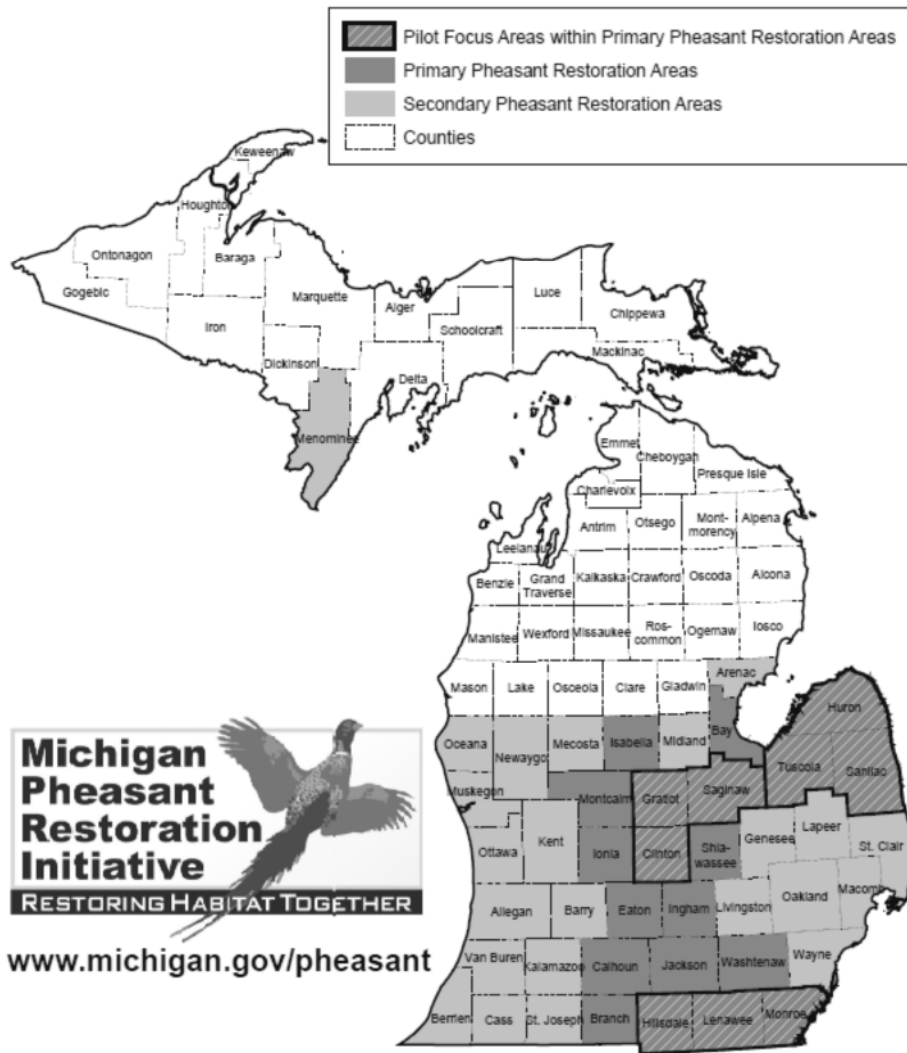
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# Priority Pheasant Restoration Areas



[www.michigan.gov/pheasant](http://www.michigan.gov/pheasant)

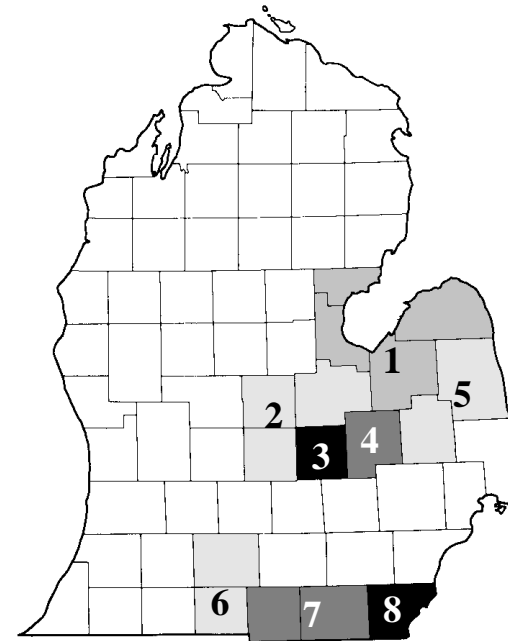
Find More Information About Habitat Management and Landowner Assistance at:

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## Michigan Pheasant Restoration Initiative (MPRI)

The MRPI is a conservation initiative to restore and enhance Michigan pheasant habitat, populations and hunting opportunities on private and public lands. As part of this initiative, Michigan DNR has hired wildlife biologists to provide technical assistance and assist landowners enroll in various state and federal conservation programs.



### MRPI Technical Staff Offices

- 1 - Tuscola Conservation District  
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- 2 - Gratiot Conservation District  
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- 3 - Shiawassee Conservation District  
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- 4 - Genesee Conservation District  
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- 6 - Branch Conservation District  
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- 7 - Lenawee Conservation District  
517-263-7400, Ext 119
- 8 - Monroe Conservation District  
734-241-7755, Ext 5

## Pheasants Forever in Michigan

Michigan is home to nearly 9,000 Pheasants Forever members belonging to 34 chapters across the state. Those chapters are run by hundreds of dedicated volunteers who determine how to spend 100% of the dollars raised to support the conservation and education mission of the organization in their local communities. If you are passionate about putting more habitat on the ground, more youth in the fields and birds in the air, find more information at:

Bill Vander Zouwen, [bvanderzouwen@pheasantsforever.org](mailto:bvanderzouwen@pheasantsforever.org), 616-450-2385

[www.MichiganPheasantsForever.org](http://www.MichiganPheasantsForever.org) and [www.facebook.com/MichiganPF](https://www.facebook.com/MichiganPF)

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## Michigan Conservation Mixes

Meet NRCS Standards & provide great habitat for pheasants deer & other wildlife.

### MI CRP CP1 Cool Season Grassland

CRP-CP1, CREP-CP1

PLS #: Gr(4), Leg(3.3), Fb(0.025), Tot(7.325). Seeds/ft2: Gr(104.78), Leg(26.79), Fb(0.24), Tot(131.81).

Grasses: Orchardgrass (2.25), Timothy (1.5), Redtop (0.25). Wildflowers: Alfalfa (1), Chickory (0.025), Clover, Alsike (0.75), Clover, Ladino (0.025), Clover, Red (1.5), Trefoil, Birdsfoot (0.025).

### MI Firebreak

PLS #: Gr(0), Leg(6), Fb(0), Tot(6.0). Seeds/ft2: Gr(0), Leg(45.91), Fb(0), Tot(45.91).

Legumes: Alfalfa (VNS) (3), Clover, Ladino (1), Clover, Red (1.5), Trefoil, Birdsfoot (0.5).

### MI Wildlife Biologist Recommended (23 species)

CRP / CREP CP2, CP4D, CP33

PLS #: Gr(1.8), Leg(0.05), Fb(0.606), Tot(2.37). Seeds/ft2: Gr(10.07), Leg(0.31), Fb(9.94), Tot(20.32).

Grasses: Switchgrass (0.2), Junegrass, Prairie (0.05), Little Bluestem (0.35), Sideoats grama (0.6), Indiangrass (0.1), Big Bluestem (0.5). Wildflowers: Susan, Black-eyed (0.063), Evening Primrose (0.04), Mint, Slender (0.006), Culver's root (0.002), Vervain, Blue (0.025), Prairie cinquefoil (0.01), Coreopsis, Lance-leaf (0.08), Sneezeweed (0.01), Brown-eyed Susan (0.03), Bergamot, Wild (0.015), Sunflower, Maximilian (0.07), Clover, Purple Prairie (0.05), Milkweed, Butterfly (0.03), Milkweed, Common (0.03), Coneflower, Purple (0.15), Aster, Smooth (0.02), Coneflower, Yellow (0.025).

### MI CP42 Pollinator (16 Blooming Wildflowers including 2 Milkweeds)

All Species from NRCS Tech Note 20 CRP / CREP / SAFE CP42

PLS #: Gr(2.0), Wildflowers(2.094), Tot(4.094). Seeds/ft2: Gr(11.6), WF(18.04), Tot(29.64).

Grasses: Junegrass, Prairie (0.05), Little Bluestem (0.95), Sideoats grama (1), Coreopsis, Lance-leaf (0.3), Aster, New England (0.02), Bergamot, Wild (0.02), Coneflower, Purple (0.25), Coneflower, Yellow (0.05), Goldenrod, Stiff (0.02), Partridge Pea (0.3), Susan, Black-eyed (0.174), Sunflower, Oxeye (0.25), Sunflower, Maximilian (0.3), Clover, Purple Prairie (0.2), Evening Primrose (0.05), Vervain, Blue (0.05), Alexander, Golden (0.05), Milkweed, Common (0.03), Milkweed, Butterfly (0.03).

### MI Grass Only Mix

A great all native grass mix for holding birds in the fall and providing deer bedding areas.

PLS #: Gr(5.0), Tot(5.0). Seeds/ft2: Gr(20.52), Tot(20.52).

Grasses: Big Bluestem (2), Indiangrass (0.75), Little Bluestem (0.75), Switchgrass (0.5), Wildrye, Canada (1).

### MI Winter Cover (Switchgrass)

Provides excellent winter herbaceous cover for pheasants and bedding areas for deer.

Grasses: Forestburg Switchgrass (2.0), Cave-In-Rock Switchgrass (3.0).

### MI MCM Native Wildflower & Honeybee Interseed Mix

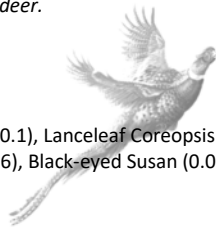
Meets MCM standard for native wildflowers and honey bee projects. 0.5 PLS #

Wildflowers: Bergamot (0.02), Common Milkweed (0.02), Purple Prairie Clover (0.1), Lanceleaf Coreopsis (0.1), Slender Mountain Mint (0.002), Mountain Mint (0.002), Sneezeweed (0.006), Black-eyed Susan (0.05), Maximilian Sunflower (0.05) Canada Milk Vetch (0.05), Partridge Pea (0.1).

### MI MCM Legume Interseed Mix

Meets MCM standard for Legume interseeding into non-native CRP. 3 PLS#.

Legumes: Alfalfa (1.2), Alsike Clover (0.4), Ladino Clover (0.4), Red Clover (1.0).



## State Acres For Wildlife

Mixes meet and exceed NRCS Standards, bloom May-October, and provide excellent nesting and brood habitat for pheasants, quail and other wildlife.



## Michigan SAFE CP38 Focus Area Counties

### MI Shortgrass Prairie (Diverse Grassland Planting)

CRP / CREP / SAFE CP2, CP4D, CP33, CP38E

PLS #: Gr(5), WF(1.504), Tot(6.5). Seeds/ft2: Gr(27.03), Leg(1.73), Fb(15.98), Tot(44.73).

Grasses: Sideoats grama (2.5), Wildrye, Canada (0.4), Junegrass, Prairie (0.1), Little Bluestem (2). Wildflowers: Aster, New England (0.01), Bergamot, Wild (0.02), Coneflower, Yellow (0.05), Coneflower, Purple (0.225), Coreopsis, Lance-leaf (0.225), Goldenrod, Stiff (0.02), Partridge Pea (0.225), Susan, Black-eyed (0.174), Clover, Purple Prairie (0.225), Evening primrose (0.19), Senna, Wild (0.125), Milkweed, Butterfly (0.015).

### MI Tallgrass Prairie (Diverse Grassland Planting)

CRP / CREP / SAFE CP2, CP4D, CP33, CP38E

PLS #: Gr(5), WF(1.504), Tot(6.5). Seeds/ft2: Gr(22.25), Leg(1.4), Fb(22.19), Tot(44.43).

Grasses: Big Bluestem (1), Wildrye, Canada (0.5), Indiangrass (1.2), Little Bluestem (0.5), Switchgrass (Forestburg) (0.8). Wildflowers: Aster, New England (0.01), Bergamot, Wild (0.02), Coneflower, Yellow (0.05), Coneflower, Purple (0.225), Coreopsis, Lance-leaf (0.225), Goldenrod, Stiff (0.02), Susan, Black-eyed (0.174), sunflower, oxeye (0.225), Clover, Purple Prairie (0.225), Evening primrose (0.19), Vervain, Blue (0.125), Milkweed, Butterfly (0.015).



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