What You Need: Shopping List

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The shopping list provides a breakdown of potential materials, tools, and resources required to construct this lot design.

This shopping list is designed for a single lot (30 by 100 feet).

Tools + Resources

Suggested Tools

- Marking Paint, Spirit Level, Tape Measure, String and Stake
- Safety Gear: Gloves, heavy work boots, tall socks, pants, long sleeve shirts, dust masks, protective eye wear, ear plugs, and hard hats (if using heavy machinery)
- Garden Tools: Spades, shovels, rakes, trash bags, and wheelbarrows
- · Hacksaw and Screwdriver
- · Ball Cart, for moving heavy trees

Potential Water Sources

- · Garden Hose with potential extension hose
- Sprinkler
- · Rain Barrel in addition to other water source
- · Downspout Disconnect (shown in lot design)

Field Guide Resources

Resources are available on the Field Guide's web site.

- · Clean + Green
- · Perennials + Grasses Planting Detail
- · Tree Planting Detail
- · Bulb Planting Detail

Remaining Lot (Optional)

Groundcover

- Low-Maintenance Fescue Mix, 12 to 13 pounds of seed
- · Germination Blanket, 3 rolls (8 by 112.5 feet)

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- Rain Garden Planting Soil, 4.5 cubic yards (50% sand, 25% topsoil, and 25% compost or leaf litter)
- · Mulch and Wood Chips, 4.5 cubic yards
- Downspout Disconnect: Standpipe cap, downspout elbow, downspout connection pipe, rubber cap, and hose clamp

Planting Option 1: Spring

- · Black-Eyed Susan, 6 pots
- · Canada Anemone, 7 pots
- · Blue Flag Iris, 7 pots or bulbs
- · Magnolia, 1 pot, or balled and burlapped
- · Mixed Daffodils, 125 bulbs
- · Mixed Crocuses, 250 bulbs
- · Mixed Tulips, 125 bulbs

Planting Option 2: Summer

- · Bee Balm, 6 pots
- · Prairie Blazing Star, 7 pots
- · Swamp Milkweed, 7 pots
- · Pagoda Dogwood, 1 pot
- · Mojito Mint, 50 pots
- · Red Creeping Thyme, 50 pots
- · Oregano, 50 pots
- · Giant Onion, 50 bulbs

Planting Option 3: Fall

- · New England Aster, 5 pots
- Switch Grass, 5 pots
- Giant Hyssop, 5 pots
- · Katsura Tree, 1 pot, or balled and burlapped
- · Butterfly Weed, 5 pots
- · Autumn Crocuses, 100 bulbs
- · Periwinkle, 75 pots

Planting Option 4: Winter

- · Arctic Fire Red Twig Dogwood, 2 pots
- · Berry Poppins Winterberry, 3 pots
- · Mr Poppins Winterberry, 3 pots
- Bruns Serbians Spruce, 1 pot, or balled and burlapped
- · European Cranberry Viburnum, 2 pots
- · Snowdrops, 100 bulbs
- Mixed Lenten Roses, 50 bulbs