

Shoreline Care in the Shuswap Watershed: Native Vegetation Planting List

Shore Type	Common Name	Latin Name	Category	Characteristics
Dry	interior Douglas-fir	<i>Pseudotsuga menziesii</i> var. <i>glauca</i>	Tree	up to 35 m tall, evergreen, fire resistant
Dry	chokecherry	<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	Shrub	1-4 m tall, white flowers, fruit
Dry	common juniper	<i>Juniperus communis</i>	Shrub	> 1 m tall, blue fruits
Dry	kinnikinnick	<i>Arctostaphylos uva-ursi</i>	Shrub	> 0.2 m tall, pink flowers, red berries
Dry	mock orange	<i>Philadelphus lewisii</i>	Shrub	1-3 m tall, white flowers
Dry	ocean spray	<i>Holodiscus discolor</i>	Shrub	1-4 m tall, white flowers
Dry	Rocky mtn juniper	<i>Juniperus scopulorum</i>	Shrub	1-10 m tall, blue fruits
Dry	Saskatoon	<i>Amelanchier alnifolia</i>	Shrub	1-5 m tall, white flowers, blue berries (edible)
Dry	smooth sumac	<i>Rhus glabra</i>	Shrub	1-3 m tall, fall colour
Dry	Snowbrush	<i>Ceanothus velutinus</i>	Shrub	0.5-2 m tall, flowers, deer browse
Dry	Pinegrass	<i>Calamagrostis rubescens</i>	Grass	0.5-1 m tall, carpet forming
Dry/Wet	trembling aspen	<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Tree	up to 30 m tall, fast growing, fall colour
Dry/Wet	baldhip rose	<i>Rosa gymnocarpa</i>	Shrub	0.5-1.5 m tall, pink flowers, thorns, rose hips
Dry/Wet	beaked hazelnut	<i>Corylus cornuta</i>	Shrub	1-4 m tall, nuts
Dry/Wet	birch-leaved spirea	<i>Spiraea betulifolia</i>	Shrub	25-60 cm tall, white flowers
Dry/Wet	black hawthorn	<i>Crataegus douglasii</i>	Shrub	1-8 m tall, flowers, berries, thorns
Dry/Wet	common snowberry	<i>Symphoricarpos albus</i>	Shrub	0.5-1.5 m tall, white berries
Dry/Wet	Douglas maple	<i>Acer glabrum</i>	Shrub	1-7 m tall, fall colour
Dry/Wet	Nootka rose	<i>Rosa nutkana</i>	Shrub	0.5-3 m tall, pink flowers, thorns, rose hips
Dry/Wet	prickly rose	<i>Rosa acicularis</i>	Shrub	0.5-1.5 m tall, pink flowers, thorns, rose hips
Dry/Wet	red raspberry	<i>Rubus idaeus</i>	Shrub	0.5-1.5 m tall, flowers, red berries (edible)
Dry/Wet	Sitka alder	<i>Alnus crispa</i>	Shrub	1-5 m tall, fast growing
Dry/Wet	Soopolallie	<i>Shepherdia canadensis</i>	Shrub	1-2 m tall, red berries

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Dry/Wet	tall Oregon-grape	<i>Mahonia aquifolium</i>	Shrub	0.2-1 m tall, yellow flowers, blue berries
Dry/Wet	western mountain-ash	<i>Sorbus scopulina</i>	Shrub	1-5 m tall, red berries
Dry/Wet	blue wildrye	<i>Elymus glaucus</i>	Grass	0.5-1.5 m tall, forage
Dry/Wet	junegrass	<i>Koeleria macrantha</i>	Grass	0.2-0.5 m tall, forage
Wet	black cottonwood	<i>Populus balsamifera</i> ssp. <i>trichocarpa</i>	Tree	up to 40 m tall, fast growing, fall colour
Wet	paper birch	<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Tree	30-40 m tall, fast growing, fall colour
Wet	water birch	<i>Betula occidentalis</i>	Tree	up to 10 m tall, fall colour
Wet	western hemlock	<i>Tsuga heterophylla</i>	Tree	up to 35 m tall, evergreen
Wet	western redcedar	<i>Thuja plicata</i>	Tree	up to 40 m tall, evergreen
Wet	Bebb's willow	<i>Salix bebbiana</i>	Shrub	0.5-5 m tall, moose browse
Wet	black gooseberry	<i>Ribes lacustre</i>	Shrub	0.5-2 m tall, berries
Wet	blue elderberry	<i>Sambucus caerulea</i>	Shrub	2-4 m tall, white flowers, blue berries
Wet	falsebox	<i>Pachistima myrsinites</i>	Shrub	> 0.6 m tall, red flowers, deer browse
Wet	high-bush cranberry	<i>Viburnum edule</i>	Shrub	0.5-2.5 m tall, white flowers, red berries
Wet	mountain alder	<i>Alnus incana</i>	Shrub	2-10 m tall, fast growing
Wet	Pacific willow	<i>Salix lucida</i> ssp. <i>lasiandra</i>	Shrub	1-9 m tall, moose browse
Wet	red elderberry	<i>Sambucus racemosa</i>	Shrub	1-5 m tall, white flowers, red berries
Wet	red-osier dogwood	<i>Cornus stolonifera</i>	Shrub	1-4 m tall, white flowers, berries
Wet	sandbar willow	<i>Salix interior</i>	Shrub	1-10 m tall, floodplains
Wet	scrub birch	<i>Betula glandulosa</i>	Shrub	0.3-2 m tall, fall colour
Wet	tea-leaved willow	<i>Salix planifolia</i> ssp. <i>planifolia</i>	Shrub	0.5-4 m tall, moose browse
Wet	thimbleberry	<i>Rubus parviflorus</i>	Shrub	0.5-2 m tall, flowers, red berries (edible)
Wet	western yew	<i>Taxus brevifolia</i>	Shrub	2-15 m tall, red fruits (not edible)
Wet	bluejoint	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	Grass	0.5-2 m tall, colonizer
Wet	reed canarygrass	<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	Grass	0.5-2 m tall, floodplain