GROW YOUR OWN BUTTERFLIES…….NECTAR PLANTS

(A)=ANNUAL (B)=BULB (P)=PERENNIAL (S)=SHRUB (T)=TREE

\*\*\*= BUNCOMBE COUNTY NATIVE \*\* = NC ADJACENT COUNTY \*=INTRODUCED

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|  | Early | Mid-Summer | | | Late |
| **RED** | Trumpet Honeysuckle\*\* (P) | Beardtongue\*\*\* (P) | | | Cardinalflower \*\*\* (P) |
| Fire Pink \*\*\* (P) | Scarlet Bee Balm\*\*\* (P) | | | Texas Sage (A) |
| Sweet William\* (P) | Maltese Cross (P) | | |  |
|  | | Verbena (A) | | |
|  | | Zinnias (A) | | |
| **ORANGE** | Blanketflower (P) | | | Mexican Sunflower (A) | |
|  | | Cosmos (A) | | |
|  | | Lantana (A) | | |
|  | Turk’s Cap Lily\*\*\* (B) | | |  |
|  | Butterflyweed\*\*\*(P) | | | |
| Redhot Poker (P) |  | | | Jewelweed\*\*\* (P) |
|  |  | | | Trumpet Vine\*\* (V) |
| **YELLOW** | Golden Alexander\*\* (P) | Black-Eyed Susan\*\*\* (P) | | | Sunflowers, Swamp\*\*\* (P) and Common\*\*\* (P) |
| Spicebush\*\*\* (S) | Brown-Eyed Susan\*\*\* (P) | | | Sneezeweed\*\*\* (P) |
|  | Indian Cup Plant (P) | | | Goldenrod, Wrinkleleaf\*\*\* (P) |
|  | Whorled Tickseed (P) | | |  |
|  | Yarrow ‘Moonshine’\* (P) | | |  |
|  | | Marigolds (A) | | |
| **GREEN** | Mountain Mint\*\*\*(P) | False Nettle (host)\*\* (P) | | | Hops (host) (P) |
|  | Stinging Nettle (host) (P) | | |  |
| **BLUE** | Baptisia australis (host)\*\*(P) | Mistflower (P) | | | Great Blue Lobelia (P) |
| Sundial Lupine (P) | Globe Thistle (P) | | | New York Aster\*\* (P) |
| Pincushion Plant (P) | Anise hyssop (P) | | | Smooth Blue Aster\*(P) |
|  | Speedwell (P) | | | Caryopteris (S) |
|  | | Blue Bedder Sage (A) | | |
| **PURPLE** | Hesperis matronalis (P) | Purple Giant Hyssop (P) | | | New England Aster\*\*\* (P) |
| Moss Phlox\*\*\* (P) | Wild Bergamot\*\*\* (P) | | | NY Ironweed\*\*\* (P) |
| Lilac (S) | Gayfeather (P) | | | Blue Vervain(P) |
| Steeplebush\*\*\*(S) | Lavender (P) | | | Heliotrope (A) |
| **PINK** | Wild Chives (P) | Coneflower\* (P) | | | Fall Phlox\*\*\* (P) |
| Rosebay Rhododendron\*\*\*(S) |  | | | Swamp Mallow (P) |
| Red Buckeye (T) | Swamp Milkweed\*\*\* (P) | | | |
| Glossy Abelia (S) | Common Milkweed\* (P) | | | |
|  | Joe Pye Weed\*\* (P) | | | Turtlehead\*\*\* (P) |
|  | Spiderflower (P) | | | Stonecrop ‘Autumn Joy’ \*\*\* (P) |
| **WHITE** | New Jersey Tea (S) | Buttonbush\*\*\*(S) | | | Boneset\*\*\* (P) |
| Grey Dogwood (S) | Obedient Plant\*\*\* (P) | | | Culver’s Root\*\*\* (P) |
| Summersweet (S) |  | | | White Doll’s Daisy (P) |
| White Yarrow (P) |  | | |  |

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