

SHRUBS

Japanese Barberry
Russian Olive
Autumn Olive
Winged Euonymous
Privet
Bush Honeysuckle
Bamboo
Common Buckthorn
European Buckthorn
Multiflora Rose
Wineberry
Japanese Spirea
Coralberry

Berberis thunbergii
Elaeagnus angustifolium
Elaeagnus umbellata
Euonymus alatus
Ligustrum spp.
Lonicera spp.
Phyllostachys spp.
Rhamnus athartica
Rhamnus franguls
Rosa multiflora
Rubus phoenicolasius
Spirea japonica
Symphoricarpos orbiculatus

TREES

Norway Maple
Tree of Heaven
Catlapa
White Mulberry
Empress Tree
White Spruce
White Poplar
Sweet Cherry

Acer platanoides
Ailanthus altissima
Catalpa spp.
Morus alba
Paulownia tomentosa
Picea glauca
Populus alba
Prunus avium



Lot Description and Landscape Suggestions

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Invasive Exotic Plants that Threaten Native Species and Natural Habitats in Maryland

Exotic plants are plant species that are not native to the area where they are growing. Invasive exotic plants are pests because they displace native species and change the structure and composition of natural communities. They lack competitors, diseases, and parasites that help control their population in their native land. Most exotic plants do not pose a serious threat to native vegetation in Maryland. However, the species on the following list have been reported to be extremely disruptive to native plant communities by the Maryland Natural Heritage Program. They should never be used in any landscape.

HERBACEOUS

Creeping Bugleweed
Garlic Mustard
Field Garlic
Canada thistle
Crown vetch
Tall Fescue, K31 Fescue
Ground Ivy
Daylilly
Yellow Iris
Purple Loosestrife
Beefstake Mint
Reed Canary Grass
Common Reed
Japanese Knotweed
Mile-a-Minute
Johnson Grass

Ajuga reptans
Alliaria petiolata
Allium vineale
Cirsium arvense
Coronaria varia
Festuca elatior
Glechoma hederacea
Hemerocalis flava
Iris pseudacorus
Lythrum salicaria
Perilla frutescens
Phalaris arundinacea
Phragmites australis
Polygonum cuspidatum
Polygonum perfoliatum
Sorghum halapense

VINES

Porcelain Berry
Oriental Bittersweet
Cinnamon Vine
Climbing Eounymous
English Ivy
Japanese honeysuckle
Kudzu
Matrimony Vine
Periwinkle
Wisteria

Ampelopsis brevipedunculata
Celastrus orbiculatus
Dioscorea batatas
Euonymus fortunei
Hedera helix
Lonicera japonica
Pueraria lobata
Solanum dulcamara
Vinca minor
Wisteria floribunda



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