

List of Recommended Native Trees for Restoration Planting along Old Ausable Channel Corridor - includes each tree's preferred habitat

Tree species - common name	Floodplain	Dune Ridges	Full sun	Light Shade	Full Shade
red oak	X	X	X		
white oak	X	X	X		
black oak		X	X		
bur oak	X		X		
red maple		X	X	X	
sugar maple		X		X	X
silver maple	X		X		
basswood	X		X	X	
shagbark hickory	X		X	X	
bitternut hickory	X		X	X	
black cherry	X	X	X		
sassafras		X	X		
black walnut	X		X		
tulip-tree	X		X		
sycamore	X		X		
beech	X	X		X	X
ironwood	X	X	X	X	X
blue beech	X		X	X	X
peachleaf willow	X		X		
white pine		X	X	X	
red pine		X	X		
hemlock		X		X	X
white cedar	X		X	X	
red cedar	X	X	X		

List of Recommended Native Shrubs for Restoration Planting along Old Ausable Channel Corridor - includes each shrub's preferred habitat

Shrubs/ Small trees – common name	Floodplain	Dune Ridges	Full sun	Light Shade	Full Shade
witch hazel	X	X	X	X	
spicebush	X			X	X
nannyberry	X		X	X	
maple-leaved viburnum	X	X		X	X
downy arrowwood		X	X	X	
fragrant sumac	X	X	X		
staghorn sumac	X	X	X		
bladdernut	X			X	X
choke cherry	X	X	X	X	
ninebark	X		X		
buttonbush	X		X		
red osier dogwood	X		X		
silky dogwood	X		X		
alternate-leaved dogwood	X		X	X	X
Canada plum	X		X		
serviceberry	X	X	X	X	
native crab-apple	X		X		
native willow shrubs	X		X		
new jersey tea		X	X		
dwarf chinquapin oak		X	X		
common juniper		X		X	

What kind of herbaceous plants are best for your gardens?

Please refer to “*The Native Plant Resource Guide for Ontario*” put out by the Society for Ecological Restoration (SER) – Ontario Chapter. Visit their website www.serontario.org or contact ABCA for more information.

Invasive Vegetation – Prevention & Removal

Invasive plants, shrubs and trees can out-compete and displace native species and their associated wildlife.

List of Current and Potentially Invasive Plant Species along Old Ausable Channel Corridor

These could be the target of future monitoring-management/removal strategy

Species – common name	Floodplain	Dune Ridges	Full sun	Light Shade	Full Shade
common reed	X		X		
garlic mustard	X	X		X	X
dame's rocket	X		X	X	
Norway maple	X	X	X	X	X
multiflora rose	X		X		
autumn olive	X	X	X	X	
European buckthorn	X		X	X	
Eurasian honeysuckle	X		X	X	
oriental bittersweet	X	X	X	X	
dog-strangling vine	X	X	X	X	X
periwinkle	X	X		X	X
English ivy	X	X		X	X
Japanese barberry	X	X	X	X	
Oregon grape		X		X	X
spotted knapweed		X	X		
brown knapweed		X	X		
purple loosestrife	X		X		