# Sustainable Gardening In Middle Tennessee

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### **Keys to Sustainability**

Design to Utilize Natural Resources

Sustainable Plantings

Promote Biodiversity in the Landscape

Conservation of Resources

Promote and Maintain Beneficial Insects

## **Sustainable Plant Qualities**

Drought Tolerant

Disease and Pest Resistant

Pollinator Friendly

Beneficial for Wildlife

Low Maintenance



# **Sustainable Plant Options**

### **Top Sustainable Natives**

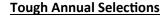
Tennessee Purple Coneflower

Butterfly Weed

Blue Wild Indigo

Joe Pye Weed

Wild Ageratum



'Audray Purple Red' Gomphrena 'Lanai Bright Pink' Verbena 'Miss Huff' Lantana 'Evolution Blue' Salvia



'May Night' Salvia 'The Bride' Gaura 'Crystal Pink' Sedum 'Presto' Coreopsis 'Elegance Purple' Lavender

# **Sustainable Ornamentals**

Purple Muhly Grass
Chaste Tree, Vitex
'Kaleidoscope' Abelia
'Little Lime' Hydrangea





