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NATIVE HABITAT & FOOD PLOT ESTABLISHMENT AND MANAGEMENT CONTRACTORS & SOURCES LIST *Last Updated 03/2021*

The establishment and management of native prairie grasses & wildflowers, and wildlife food & habitat plots requires equipment, products and services that may be hard to locate, or not readily available to some landowners. The chart below lists services and products that may be needed to establish and maintain these habitats.

Review the chart for the type of service(s) and/or product(s) you are looking for, then refer to the list on the back of this sheet for a list of contractors and sources of these services and products. The numbers in the Contractors and Sources columns of the chart correspond to the numbers on the list on the back.

This list has been prepared for INFORMATION ONLY, and is not intended to imply endorsement by the Conservation District of the contractors and sources listed. No discrimination is intended by omission and no reliability is implied by inclusion on the list. Additions and corrections to this list are encouraged and should be directed to the Conservation District.

SERVICES	CONTRACTORS	PRODUCTS	SOURCES
Fertilizing	28, 30, 45	Aquatic/Wetland plant seed	8, 12, 15, 19, 23, 30,
Habitat consulting creation & restoration	1, 2, 5, 7, 22, 23, 26, 27, 35, 37, 38, 44, 45	Fertilizers	
Habitat plots	25, 31, 36, 45	Food plot seed	17, 25, 31, 36, 39, 40
Invasive species mapping & control	5, 14, 37, 38, 45	Habitat plot seed	7, 17, 25, 35, 36, 40
Land preparation	31, 45	Herbicides	31
Lime application	31, 45	Lime	
Mowing / Goat Grazing	5, 9, 31, 41	Prairie grass seed	5, 7, 8, 17, 19, 22, 23, 30, 31, 36, 40
Planning assistance	1, 2, 7, 22, 23, 26, 37, 38, 44	Wildflower seed	7, 8, 17, 19, 23, 30, 36, 40
Planting & Seeding	5, 7, 25, 26, 27, 31, 36, 37, 38, 44, 45	Native plugs and plants	8, 41, 42, 44
Prescribed Burns	2, 15, 26, 38	CRP Planting service	7
Soil testing	5		
Spraying	5, 7, 31, 36, 45		

Tillage	36, 45		
Tree Planting	5,14, 31, 34, 45		

CONTRACTORS & SOURCES

1. Mike Appel Environmental Design
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<https://www.restoringnaturewithfire.com/>
5. Davey Resource Group
Chad Appleman
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Fort Wayne, IN 46845
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<http://www.davey.com>
7. Tom Schwartz
FDCE-CRP Services
Grand Rapids, Jackson & Saginaw
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<http://www.fdcenterprises.com>
8. Ernst Conservation Seeds
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10. Following Tracks
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E-mail: raus@provide.net
12. Grass Roots Nursery
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New Boston MI 48164
Phone: (734) 753-9200
14. New Forest Services
Brian Jarvinen
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Phone: (231) 590-9198
E-mail:
newforestservices@mac.com
15. Earth Source, Inc.
14921 Hand Rd.
Fort Wayne, IN 46818
Phone: (260) 489-8511
17. Kester's Wild Game Food Nurseries
PO Box 516
Omro WI 54963
Phone: (920) 685-2929
19. Michigan Wildflower Farm
Esther & Bill Durnwald
11770 Cutler Rd.
Portland MI 48875-9452
Phone: (517) 647-6010
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michiganwildflowerfarm@gmail.com
22. The Native Plant Nursery
PO Box 2292
Ann Arbor MI 48107-7841
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E-mail: plants@nativeplant.com
<http://www.nativeplant.com/>
23. Nativescape, LLC
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<https://www.nativescapellc.com/>
25. Pheasants Forever,
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26. PlantWise Native Landscapes
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<http://www.plantwiserestoration.com/>
27. Professional Habitat Solutions
Josh Richie
(269) 838-5630
30. Rupp Seeds
17919 County Road B
Wauseon OH 43567
Phone: (419) 337-1841
31. Stoney Creek Habitat Specialists
Chad Thelen
Phone: (517) 819-6344
E-mail: cthelen8@hotmail.com
<http://www.whitetailcloverplots.com>
34. Tom Ellis
Phone: 734-845-8032
Tree planting machine for rent.
Need minimum 100 HP tractor
w/ 3-pt. hitch.

35. Habitat Solutions
 Jake Ehlinger
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<http://www.hunters-habitat.com>
36. Stoney Creek Outdoors
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38. Native Connections
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<http://www.antlerking.com>
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<http://www.pfhabitatstore.com>
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42. Wildtype
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<http://www.wildtypeplants.com>
43. Designs by Nature, LLC
 Laingsburg, MI
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<https://designsbynaturellc.com/>
44. Feral Flora
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<https://www.habitatmatters.org/wildlife--wetland-solutions.html>