

**Out on the Prairie With Larry:
Exploring a Reconstructed Prairie
August 2022**

Large Landscapes & Maintenance	Deep Roots: https://deeproots.org/large-landscapes/
Link to recording	https://youtu.be/l5l8j51evo4
Missouri Department of Conservation sites/links	MDC Conservation Areas: https://mdc.mo.gov/conservation-areas-search 2022 Natural Events Calendar: https://mdc.mo.gov/magazines/xplor
Native Plants Highlighted during broadcast	Common milkweed (<i>Asclepias syriaca</i>) Butterfly milkweed (<i>Asclepias tuberosa</i>) Compass plant (<i>Silphium laciniatum</i>) Goldenrod (<i>Solidago</i>) Big bluestem (<i>Andropogon gerardi</i>) Gray-headed coneflower (<i>Ratibida pinnata</i>) Maximilian sunflower (<i>Helianthus maximiliani</i>) Sawtooth sunflower (<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>) Rattlesnake master (<i>Eryngium yuccifolium</i>) Ironweed (<i>Vernonia fasciculata</i>) Penstemon / Foxglove beardtongue (<i>Penstemon digitalis</i>) Common ragweed (<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>) Rough blazing star (<i>Liatris aspera</i>) Pale-purple coneflower (<i>Echinacea pallida</i>) Wild petunia (<i>Ruellia humilis</i>) Purple prairie clover (<i>Dalea purpurea</i>) White prairie clover (<i>Dalea candida</i>) Wild quinine (<i>Parthenium integrifolium</i>)
Resources for prairie reconstruction & Maintenance	Habitat Architects: https://habitatarchitects.net/ (816) 645-0026 <u>Battling invasive species:</u> <i>Sericea lespedeza</i> - https://mdc.mo.gov/trees-plants/invasive-plants/sericea-lespedeza-control

	<p>Johnson grass - https://mdc.mo.gov/trees-plants/invasive-plants/johnson-grass-control</p>
Recommended Reading	<p><u>Missouri bee identification:</u> https://www.stlzoo.org/files/9413/3303/3161/MO_Bee_Guide_w_boarder.pdf</p> <p><u>Kansas pollinator garden information:</u> https://www.pollinator.org/pollinator-prairie</p> <p><u>American monarch butterfly conservation collaboration in the Midwest:</u> https://www.nature.org/en-us/about-us/where-we-work/united-states/oklahoma/stories-in-oklahoma/oklahoma-monarchs/</p>