Invasive Exotics of the Eastern Forest❖

Trees
Acer ginnala - Amur maple
Acer japonicum -Japanese red maple
Acer platanoides - Sycamore maple
Acer pseudoplatanus - Norway maple
Ailanthus altissima - Tree-of-Heaven
Alnus glutinosa - black alder
Broussonetia papyrifera - paper mulberry
Kolreuteria paniculata - golden rain tree
Melia azedarach - chinaberry
Morus alba - white mulberry
Paulownia tomentosa - princess paulownia
Phellodendron amurense - Amur cork tree
Quercus acutissima - sawtooth oak
Populus alba - white poplar
Ulmus purnila - Siberian elm
Sapium sebiferum - Chinese tallow tree

Shrubs or smaller trees
Albizia julibrissin - mimosa
Berberis japonica - Japanese barberry
Berberis thunbergii - Japanese barberry
Berberis vulgaris - common barberry
Cytisus scoparius - Scotch broom
Eleagnus angustifolia - Russian olive
Eleagnus pungens - thorny eleagnus
Eleagnus umbellata - autumn olive
Euonynus alatus - winged wahoo
Hibiscus syriacus - shrub althea
Ligustrurm obtusifolium - blunt leaved privet
Ligustrum sinense - Chinese privet
Lonicera maackii - Amur honeysuckle
Lonicera morrowi - Morrow honeysuckle
Lonicera morrowi x tatarica - Bell's honeysuckle
Lonicera tatarica - Tartarian honeysuckle
Rhamnus frangula - glossy buckthorn
Rhamnus cathartica - buckthorn

Rosa multiflora - multiflora rose
Rubus laciniata - cut leaved blackberry
Rubus phoenicolasius - wineberry
Spiraea japonica - Japanese spirea

Vines and ground covers
Akebia quinata - fiveleaf akebia
Ampelopsis brevipedunculata - porcelain berry
Celastrus orbiculatus - oriental bittersweet
Hedera helix - English ivy
Humulus japonica - hops
Euonymus fortunei - winter creeper
Lonicera japonica - Japanese honeysuckle
Polygonum aubertii - silver fleece vine
Pueraria lobata - kudzu
Solarium dulcamara - bittersweet nightshade
Vinca minor - periwinkle
Wisteria floribunda - wisteria
Wisteria sinensis - Chinese wisteria

Annuals
Amaranthus hybridus - pigweed
Arthraxon hispidus -jointed grass
Bidens polylepis - beggar tick
Cardiospermum halicababum - balloon vine
Carduus acanthoides - curled thistle
Chenopodium album - lamb's quarters
Commelina communis - common day flower
Digitaria sanguinalis - crab grass
Fagopyrum sagittaturn - buckwheat
lpomoea coccinea - red morning glory
lporrioea hederacea - ivy leaved morning glory
lpornoea purpurea - common morning glory
Lactuca serriola - prickly lettuce
Lapsana communis - nipplewort
Lepidium campestre - field cress
Lepidium virginicum - pepper grass

Microstegium vinineum - stilt grass
Perilla frutescens - beefsteak plant
Polygonum caespitosum - smartweed
Polyfonum perfoliaturn - mile a minute
Polygonurn persicaria - lady's thumb
Raphanus raphanistrum - jointed charlock
Senna obtusifolia - sicklepod
Setaria faberi - giant nodding foxtail
Setaria pumila - yellow foxtail
Stellaria media - chickweed
Sonchus arvensis - sow thistle
Xanthium strumarium - cocklebur

Biennials
Alliaria petiolata - garlic mustard
Arctium minus - burdock
Arctium nemorosum -woodland burdock
Carduus nutans - nodding thistle
Centaurea maculosa - spotted knapweed
Cirsium vulgare - bull thistle
Conium maculatum - water hemlock
Daucus carota - Queen Anne's Lace
Dipsacus laciniatus - cut-leaf teasel
Dipsacus sylvestris - common teasel
Melilotus alba - white sweet clover
Melilotus officinalis - yellow sweet clover
Pastinaca sativa - wild Parsnip
Verbascum thapsus - flannel leaved mullein

Herbaceous Perennials
Achillea millefolium - yarrow
Aegopodium poclagraria - goutweed
Agrostis capillaris - Rhode Island bent grass
Agrostis gigantea - red top
Ajuga reptans - bugleweed
Allium vineale -wild onion
Arrhenatherum elatius - oatgrass

Artemisia vulgaris - mugwort
Arundclonax - giant reed
Bromus inermis - smooth brome
Carex kobomugi - asiatic sand sedge
Centaurea jucea - brown knap weed
Centaurea nigrescens - knapweed
Cichorium intybus - chicory
Cirsium arvense - Canada thistle
Convolvulus arvensis - field bindweed
Coreopsis lanceolata - tickseed
Coronilla varia - Crown vetch
Cynodon dactylon - Bermuda grass
Dactylis glomerata - orchard grass
Dioscorea batatas - Chinese yam
Elytrigia repens - quackgrass
Epilobium hirsutum - hairy willow herb
Eragrostis curvula - weeping lovegrass
Euphorbia cyparissias - Cypress spurge
Euphorbia esula - leafy spurge
Festuca arundinacea - tall fescue
Festuca elatior - fescue
Festuca ovina - sheep fescue
Foeniculum vulgare - fennel
Galium mollugo - field madder
Glechoma hederacea - ground ivy
Holcus lanatus - velvet grass
Humulus japonica - hops
Hypericum perforatum - St. John's wort
Imperata cylindrica - cogan grass
Iris pseudacorus - yellow iris
Lespedeza cuneata - Chinese Lespedeza
Linaria vulgaris - butter and eggs
Lotus corniculatus - birdsfoot trefoil
Lysimachia nummularia - moneywort
Lythrum salicaria - purple loosestrife
Lythrum virgaturn - purple loosestrife
Miscanthus sinensis - miscanthus
Phalaris arundinacea - reed canary grass
Phleum pratense - timothy
Plantago lanceolata - narrow leave plantain
Plantago major - broad-leaved plantain
Poa compressa - Canada bluegrass

Poa trivialis - rough bluegrass
Ranunculus ficaria - lesser celandine
Reynoutria japonica - Japanese knotweed
Rumex acetosella - sheep sorrel
Rumex crispus - curly dock
Rumex obtusifolia - broad leaved dock
Sorghum halepense - Johnson grass
Urtica dioica - stinging nettle
Vinca minor – Periwinkle

Aquatics
Alternanthera philoxeroides - alligator weed
Butomus umbellatus - flowering rush
Cabomba caroliniana - fanwort
Eichhornia crassipes - water hyacinth
Egeria densa - Brazilian water weed
Hydrilla verticillata - hydrilla
Hydrocharis morus-ranae - european frogbit
Myriophyllum aquaticum - parrot's feather
Myriophyllum spicatum - european water milfoil
Nasturtium officinale - watercress
Trapa natans - water chestnut

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