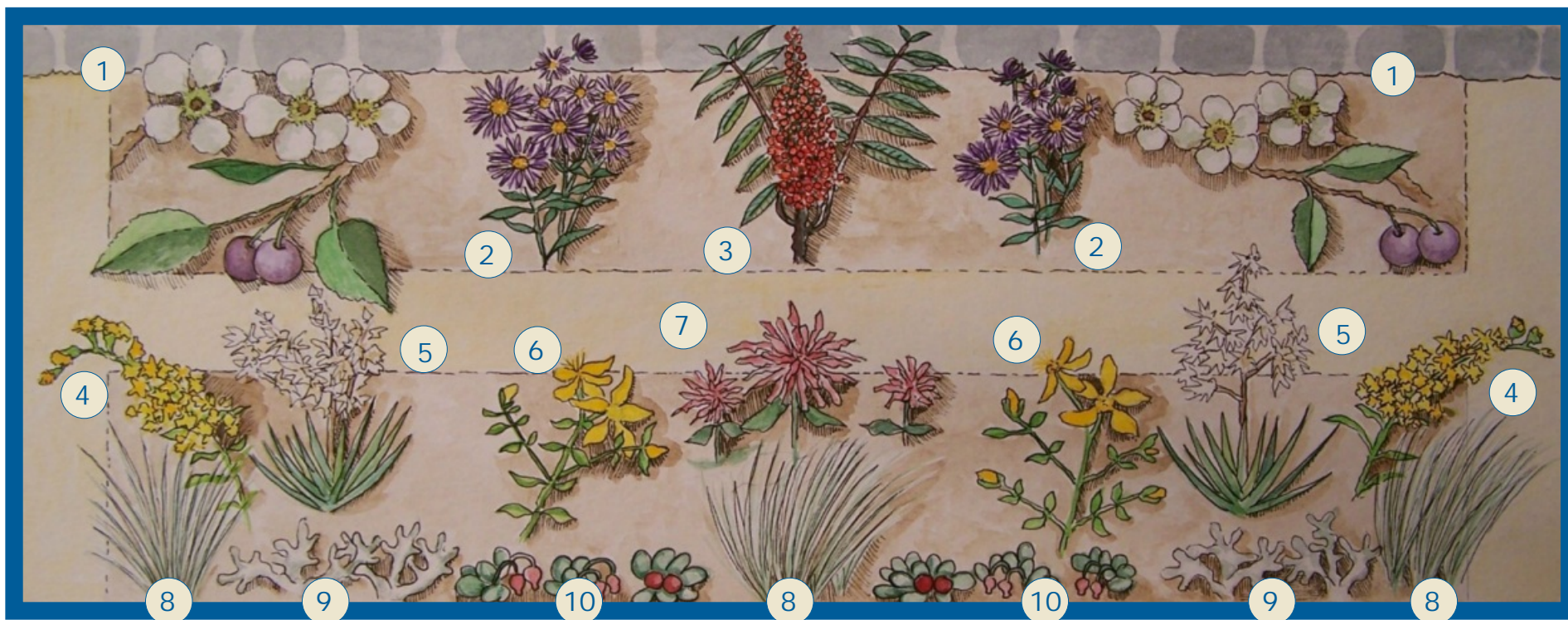


Bayscape for Barnegat Bay No. 5: Going Coastal



- 1 - Beach Plum (*Prunus maritima*)
- 2 - New England Aster (*Aster novae-angliae*)
- 3 - Winged Sumac (*Rhus copallina*)
- 4 - Seaside Goldenrod (*Solidago*)
- 5 - Adam's Needle (*Yucca filamentosa*)
- 6 - St. John's Wort (*Hypericum*)
- 7 - Beebalm (*Monarda didyma*)
- 8 - American Beach Grass (*Ammophila breviligulata*)
- 9 - Beach Wormwood (*Artemisia stellarina*)
- 10 - Bearberry (*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*)

Garden designed for the American Littoral Society
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Garden illustrations by Eileen Kennedy.

Designed for lowest maintenance, this garden features many grasses and species that thrive in the sandiest of soils for a natural, seaside look. This illustration is from the guide to our coastal native plant demonstration garden at the Maris Stella Retreat & Conference Center in Harvey Cedars on Long Beach Island, NJ. We have adapted the plan for general use on page 2 and include layout, spacing, and details about each plant.

We hope you will be inspired to help reduce polluted runoff going into Barnegat Bay by planting one of these gardens in your yard.

If you do, we'd love to share photos of your results on our web site. Contact us at 732-291-0055 or helen@littoralsociety.org.

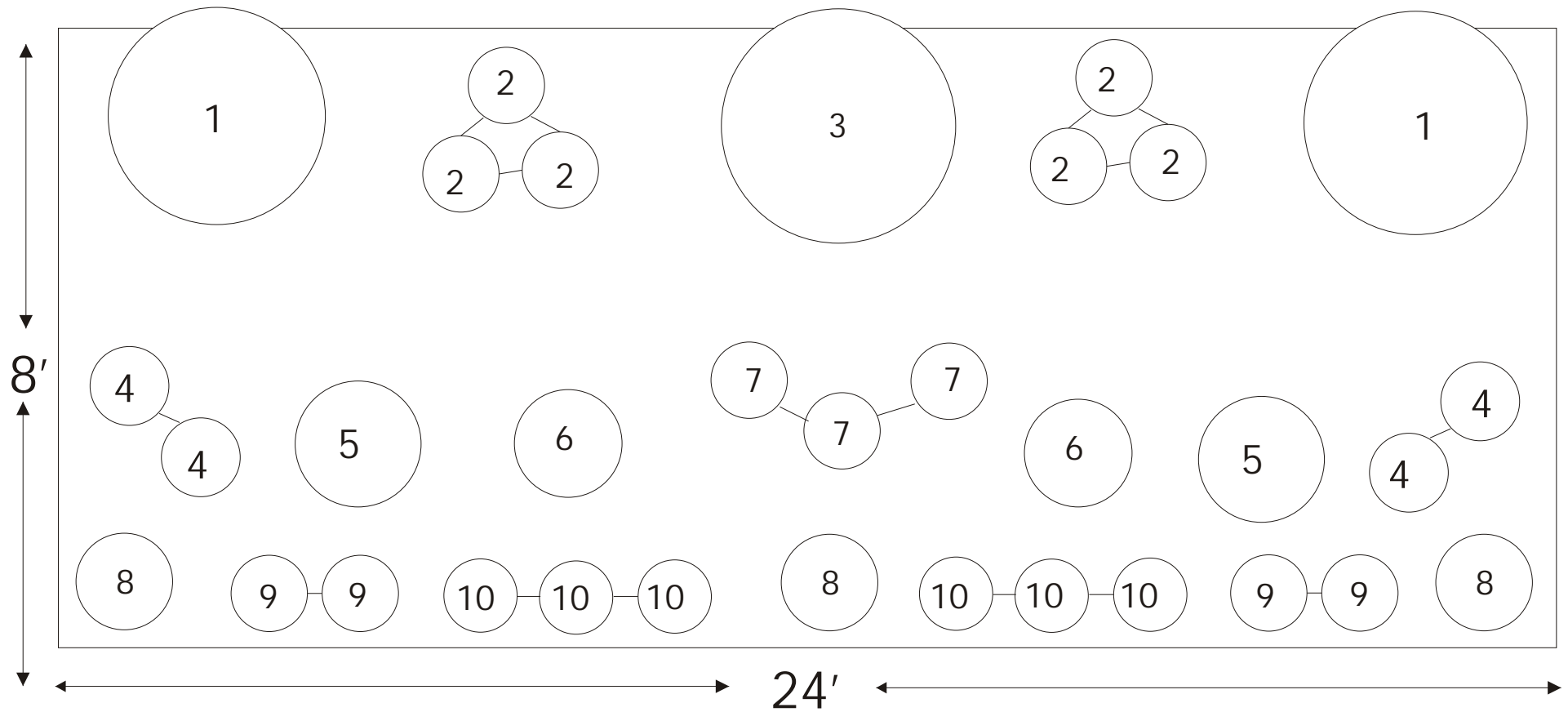
If you don't live in the Barnegat Bay watershed, these plants will thrive in most areas of New Jersey and will help improve a waterway near you.

For a list of native plant suppliers visit www.littoralsociety.org/shore_stewards.aspx

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1. Beach Plum (*Prunus maritima*) - deciduous native shrub grows to 6'; white flowers in spring become blue or red plums; leaves turn red in fall; drought tolerant, it takes full sun, sandy soil, wind, and salt spray.
2. New England Aster (*Aster novae-angliae*) - perennial native, full sun to part shade, blooms late summer; grows 2 - 3', attracts butterflies; excellent foil for goldenrod.
3. Winged Sumac (*Rhus copallina*) - native deciduous shrub 12' tall with greenish-yellow flower clusters in summer; crimson berries and foliage in fall; attracts birds; full sun, drought tolerant.
4. Seaside Goldenrod (*Solidago*) - perennial, full sun, drought and salt tolerant; 1 - 5' tall arching spikes of yellow flowers bloom late summer until frost.
5. Adam's Needle (*Yucca filamentosa*) - perennial; stiff, spiny leaves 5' tall; 3' flower spike of white bell-shaped blossoms in June - July; full sun; wind and salt tolerant.
6. St. John's Wort (*Hpericum*) - evergreen shrub up to 6' with yellow flowers
7. Beebalm (*Monarda didyma*) - perennial 2 - 3' tall; scarlet or pink shaggy flowers in June - July; fragrant foliage (on native); full sun.

8. American Beach Grass (*Ammophila brevillgulata*) - This native is the fastest growing of beach grasses appropriate for our climate.
9. Beach Wormwood (*Artemisia stellarina*) - perennial; 1 - 2-1/2", silver-leaved plant with white flowers in June; excellent drought tolerance, can be used to stabilize dunes.
10. Bearberry (*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*) - evergreen, mat-forming shrub grows 6 - 12" tall, great groundcover; likes sandy soil but needs acid pH; salt and drought tolerant; full to partial sun; small pale pink flowers in spring; red berry-like fruits in late summer/early fall.

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