

North Dakota Tree Selector

Scientific Name: *Viburnum lantana*

Family: Adoxaceae
(Moschatel)

Hardiness: Zone 3

Leaves: Deciduous

Plant Type: Shrub

Growth

Rate: Medium

Mature Height: >7'

Longevity: Short

Power Line: Yes

Ornamental

Flowers: Cream to white

Fruit: Red to black drupe

Fall Color: Purple

Wayfaring Tree Viburnum

Description

A dense, upright shrub that grows well in fairly dry conditions. Native to Eurasia and introduced to America during colonial period. Excellent screen or hedge for landscapes or farmsteads with white flowers in spring. The fruit is an outstanding visual attribute to this plant with red to black drupes appearing in late summer.

Preferences

Light: Full sun to partial shade.

Water: Tolerates dry conditions.

Soil: Adaptable to a variety of soils. Tolerates alkaline soils better than other viburnum varieties do.

Comments

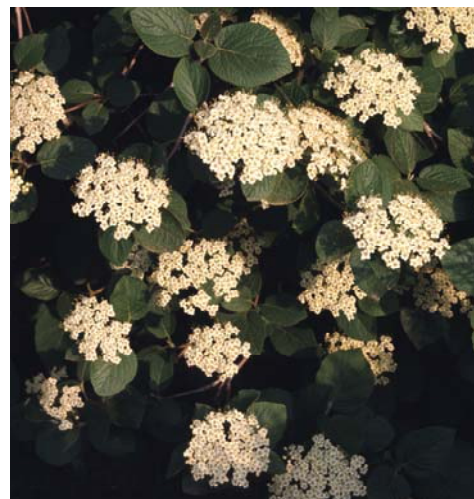
Plant in groups or mix with other broadleaf shrubs.

Wayfaring tree viburnum can be used as a shrub border or may be grown as a screen or hedge.

There have been reports of wayfaring tree viburnum escaping and growing wild in northern Illinois and other states.

'Mohican'- A compact cultivar.

Credits: Tree Selector Website, <http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/PlantFinder/PlantFinderDetails.aspx?kempercode=m740>



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