



Cranberry Viburnum (*Viburnum trilobum*) is a beautiful bush with white flowers.

Good plants for shorefront property

The right plant depends on the conditions on your property. Here are some options:

- **Growlow sumac** (*Rhus aromatica* 'growlow') – It looks good all year long, requires virtually no maintenance and tolerates hot dry sites. Full sun.
- **Bush cinquefoil** (*Potentilla fruticosa*) – Tolerates a variety of soil conditions and has numerous small yellow flowers during the summer. Full sun.
- **Rhodora** (*Rhododendron canadensis*) – Intricate pink flowers in early spring before leaf out. Needs somewhat wet soils. Full sun to part shade.
- **Common juniper** (*Juniper communis*) – Super hardy, always looks good. Full sun.
- **Canadian Yew** (*Taxus canadensis*) – Hardy, deep green foliage, prunes well and has numerous small red berries in the fall. Partial shade to shade.
- **Northern bayberry** (*Myrica pensylvanica*) – Deep green, waxy aromatic leaves. Spreads nicely. Full sun to partial shade.



Blue Flag (*Iris versicolor*) is a striking native iris for damp areas.

- **Bearberry** (*Arctostaphylos uva-ursi*) – Beautiful, creeping groundcover that tolerates sandy acidic soils. Full sun.
- **Creeping juniper** (*Juniper horizontalis*) – Spreads nicely, tolerates hot, dry sites. Full sun.
- **Lowbush blueberry** (*Vaccinium angustifolium*) – Everybody loves blueberries; rarely needs maintenance. Full sun.
- **Sheep laurel** (*Kalmia angustifolium*) – Beautiful clusters of deep pink flowers in mid spring. Full sun to partial shade.