

# ERA Environmental: Pollinator Portfolio

## Pollinator Garden with Bee-Preferred Plants



Purple cone flower



Asters



Goldenrods



Autumn Sun



## Beehives



- 2 Beehives in June
- Working with local hive collective Miel MTL
- Honey to sample at Q3 meeting

# ERA Environmental: Sustainable Landscape

## Native Plant Garden

- Select native species.
- Perennials

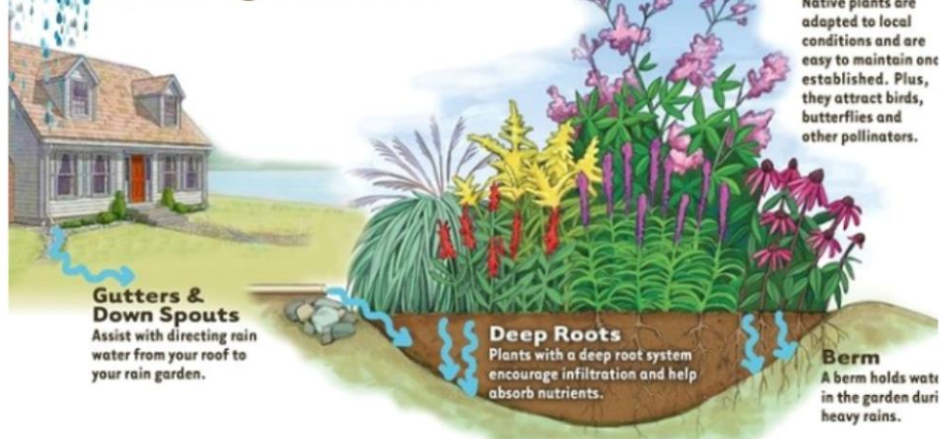
## Rain Garden

- Reduce rain water runoff.
- Reduce mosquitoes.
- Low cost and low maintenance.
- Relocating stones from ERA property
- Identify native plants adapted to long periods of standing water.
- Encourages butterflies and birds.

## Grass Cover

- Transition to wild flower / native grass covers for campus lawns.
- Low maintenance.
- Reduce water usage.
- Reduce GHGs related to maintenance activities.

### How does a rain garden work?



# ERA Environmental: Biodiversity Portfolio

## Bat House Project



- Made from recycled case from General Motors.
- Given by John Bradburn & Bridget Burnell (GM).
- Starting project with Montreal Technoparc to install several bat houses.
- Goal: provide education and bat boxes to several companies within Technoparc.

## Animal Inhabitants

- Tracking, surveying, and photographing animals on ERA campus.
- Photography project to get staff involved.



- Rain garden will provide habitats for wild birds and insects