

Useful Resources

Do you enjoy identifying trees? Then you're probably familiar with the Virginia Department of Forestry's Common Native Trees of Virginia book. But what about identifying those other plants growing in your woodlands and yard? The Virginia Department of Forestry announces the release of its new book, Common Native Shrubs and Woody Vines of Virginia. A companion to Common Native Trees of Virginia, this book is small enough to take into the field. It contains a key to shrubs and vines by leaf, as well as descriptive text, line drawings, and other information. The book is available for purchase or download at dof.virginia.gov, or for over-the-counter purchase at several VDOF offices, listed on the web site. The cost will be \$2 (plus shipping if purchasing online.)

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