



Solidago caesia ‘

Bluestem Goldenrod

Description

Native status: Oklahoma

Straight species: Yes

WETLAND STATUS: Great Plains- FACU

(Facultative Upland Plants)-Usually occur in non-wetlands (estimated probability 67% - 99%) but may occur in wetlands (estimated probability 1% - 33%)

Genus: Solidago

Species: caesia

Family: Asteraceae

*Clump forming, Non-invasive

Dry shade

*Host plant

Grows 18"-36"

Showy native wildflower with arching wands of vibrant yellow flowers. A valuable plant for dry shaded areas in the fall landscape.

A short, elegant goldenrod for savanna situations, Blue Stemmed Goldenrod forms groups of single stems topped by a cluster of bright yellow blossoms. Like other goldenrods, it blooms in late summer into October, providing an important late season nectar source and is the larval host for several moths. It does best in mesic to dry-mesic soils and is named for the gray to bluish cast on its stems.