

**Houston Audubon Society**  
**Post-Ike Habitat Restoration on the Bolivar Peninsula**

**Recommended Native Plant List**

**Large Trees**

Live Oak  
Water Oak  
Cedar Elm  
Black Gum (*Nyssa sylvatica*)  
Red Mulberry

Sugar Hackberry (*Celtis laevigata*)  
Green Ash (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica*)  
Black Willow (*Salix nigra*)  
Gum Bumelia (*Bumeli lanuginosa*)  
Black Locust (*Robinia pseudo-acacia*)

**Small Trees**

Southern Wax-Myrtle  
Mayhaw  
Fringe Tree  
Red Bay  
Texas Palm (*Sabal mexicana*)  
Hercules Club (*Zanthoxylum clava-herculis*)

Rusty Blackhaw Viburnum (*Viburnum rufidulum*)  
Parsley Hawthorn  
Yaupon  
Texas Persimmon  
Mexican Buckeye (*Ungnadia speciosa*)  
Lime Prickly Ash (*Zanthoxylum fagara*)

**Shrubs**

American Beautyberry  
Chile Pequin  
Carolina Wolfberry (*Lycium carolinianum*)  
Flame Acanthus (*Anisacanthus wrightii*)

Turk's Cap  
Buttonbush  
Eastern Coral Bean (*Erythrina herbacea*)

**Grasses**

Eastern Gamagrass (*Tripsacum dactyloides*)  
Little Bluestem (*Schizachyrium scoparium*)  
Brownseed paspalum (*Paspalum plicatulum*)  
Gulf Muhly (*Muhlenbergia capillaris*)  
Longspike tridens (*Tidens strictus*)  
Marshhay cordgrass (*Spartina patens*)  
Indiangrass (*Sorghastrum nutans*)  
Purple lovegrass (*Eragrostis spectabilis*)  
Arrowfeather threeawn (*Aristida purpurescens*)

Switchgrass (*Panicum virgatum*)  
Florida paspalum (*Paspalum floridanum*)  
Longtom (*Paspalum lividum*)  
Saltgrass (*Distichlis spicata*)  
Gulf cordgrass (*Spartina spartinae*)  
Smooth cordgrass (*Spartina alterniflora*)  
Seashore dropseed (*Sporobolus virginicus*)  
Pineywoods dropseed (*Sporobolus junceus*)  
Sugarcane plumegrass (*Saccharum giganteum*)

**Herbaceous**

Gaillardia  
Salvia coccinea  
Gulf Coast Penstemon  
Black-eyed Susan  
Milkweed  
Ruellia  
Pavonia

Prairie Verbena  
Coneflower  
Goldenrod  
Ironweed  
Gaura  
Mistflower  
Spiderwort