

Eragrostis elliottii



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Elliott's Lovegrass

Poaceae (Gramineae)

Plant Specifics

Size: 1-3 ft tall by 1-2 ft wide

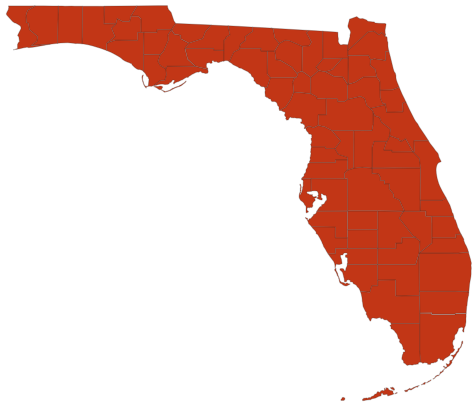
Life Span: Short-lived perennial

Fruit Color: Green

Phenology: Winter dormant. Forms dense clumps. Blooms in fall.

Habitats: Flatwoods, sandhill, wet prairie, cutthroat seeps, dry hammocks, disturbed sites.

Natural Range in Florida



USDA Zones

Suitable to grow in:



Landscaping

Recommended Uses: Wildflower garden. Mass plantings.

Light: ☀ Full Sun

Moisture Tolerance: Usually moist, occasional inundation ----- to Not wet but not extremely dry

Salt Water Flooding Tolerance: Not salt tolerant of inundation by salty or brackish water.

Salt Spray Tolerance: High. Can tolerate significant and ongoing amounts of salty wind and salt spray without injury.

Soil/Substrate: Loam, Sand

Wildlife



Small birds and other wildlife consume the seed.

Larval host for zabulon skipper (*Poanes zabulon*).

