

Soapstone Prairie Natural Area Late May Plants



Western wallflower

Erysimum cspp. (Mustard family) native
These are among the showier of the yellow plants.



Mountain bladderpod

Lesquerella montana (Mustard family) native
This plant is usually found on granitic soils. It grows relatively close to the ground with small 4-petaled flowers and pods that turn up.. These are abundant along the



Prairie Golden banner

Thermopsis rhombifolia
(Pea family) native
This plant is larger than some of the others and is relatively abundant early.

Narrow-leaf puccoon

Lithospermum incisum (Borage family) native. Not too common and easily overlooked. Five petals



Whisk broom parsley

Harbouria trachypleura
(Parsley family)
native
Not edible



Nuttall's Viola

(Viola family) native
Delicate single flowers
Not abundant