

# Swamp Rose

## *Rosa palustris*



**Flowers:** Pink; bloom June-July



**Fruit:** Pink, pea-sized rose hips



**Autumn Leaves:** Red



<b>Mature height</b>	3-6 feet
<b>Spread</b>	3-6 feet
<b>Growth rate</b>	Moderate (13-24 inches per year)
<b>Light</b>	Full/partial sun (prefer full sun)
<b>Soil</b>	Wet, acidic; tolerates occasional flooding
<b>Hardiness Zone</b>	4 to 9
<b>Wildlife</b>	Great for pollinators and songbirds
<b>Fun Fact</b>	The flowers are fragrant. The fruit is edible (tart). Usually an indicator of healthy wetland.