Common Name	Muhly, Gulf Coast
Botanical Name	Muhlenbergia capillaris
Other Names	Hair-awn Muhly, Hairy-awn Muhly, Hair Grass, Pink Muhly
Description	Grass with an airy, multi-branched seed head. Blooms look like a purple haze in the fall. Good general garden plant.
Plant Type	Perennial
Plant Size	2.5' tall x 2 - 3' wide
Light Requirements	Full sun, part shade
Water Requirements	Low to Medium
Soil Requirements	Native soil type: Sandy, sandy loam, clay, rocky.
Evergreen or Deciduous	Deciduous
Native Status	TX Native
Pollinators	None
Care Notes	Trim dead foliage back within a few inches of the ground in late winter before new growth begins to emerge in spring.
Texas Superstar	No

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