Anise Hyssop

- * Scientific Name: Agastache foeniculum
- * Family: Mint (Lamiaceae)
- * Type: Perennial Edible Herb
- * Native range: Northern N. America
- * Sun: Full sun to part shade
- * Blooms: June to September
- * Attracts: Honey bees, Hummingbirds, Butterflies, Bumblebees, Native bees, Wasps, & Hover flies among others.
- * Cultivated: Alamance County

Notes: The soft, anise-scented leaves are used as a seasoning, as a tea, in potpourri, and can be crumbled in salad. The anisescented foliage also deter some leafchewing insect species. This is great choice as a companion plant in gardens. Flowers are a great nectar and pollen source. Pollen pellets are yellowish-green





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