## McDaniel's Cushion Creeping Phlox



DROUGHT TOLERANT! Carpets hillside in blossoms. Good for erosion control on embankments.

## Phlox subulata 'McDaniel's Cushion'

- <u>Use:</u> An RHS award-winning fragrant edger, it is also lovely when allowed to drape over a low stone wall or cascade down a slope. Deer resistant. Attracts butterflies, hummingbirds and pollinator bees to the garden. Drought and salt tolerant once established. Plant a carpet of color! Beautiful masses of flowers topping creeping stems make an attractive ground cover or accent in a rock garden.
- <u>Exposure/Soil</u>: Sun– part sun, very easy to please. Provide well-drained, moist soil, but not soggy. Use a slow release fertilizer.
  Superb in borders, beds, and open woodland gardens.
- **Growth:** Moderate grower to 3-6 in. tall, 1-1.5 ft. wide
- *Hardiness: Zone* 3-9, Perennial
- Foliage: Evergreen. Small trailing leaves.
  - <u>Flower:</u> Pour on the brilliant rose-pink color in late winter –early summer with a shower of flowers. We find that a very light shearing of flowers after they finish blooming can help with even more reblooming and creates fuller plants.