Epilobium septentrionale 'select mattole'

Humboldt County Fuchsia Select Mattole

PERENNIAL HERB

Low growing clumps, 6"-12" high, 2'-3' wide. Sends erect or trailing, gray-hairy stems from woody base; leaves opposite, ovate, gray-green. Flowers red-orange, tubular, to 1 1/2" long, summer, July - September.

Native Habitat: Endemic to Cascades in California from Santa Rosa to the Oregon border, from 60' to 6000' elevation, on dry, sandy or rocky ledges, including serpentine slopes.

The 'Select Mattole' variety was selected along the Mattole River.

Full to partial sun near coast; partial shade inland.

Tolerant of wide variety of soils and drainage; slightly acidic soils. Tolerates freezing. Low water use, 1x/month in summer

RARE - CNPS List 4.3

Limited distribution or uncommon in California; less than 20% of occurences threatened;





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