## Carolina Wild Petunia



**Description:** native perennial; seeds visible through winter and borne on hooked projections; in growing season, plant is food for larvae of the **Common Buckeye** butterfly; petunia-like flowers are blue or violet

Family: Acanthaceae Scientific name: Ruellia caroliniensis

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