Weeds of Sweetwater Creek – Recognition and Management

Wild Tobacco Tree (Solanum mauritianicum) origin South America

Description: Reaching four metres in height, with large felty grey leaves and pink or blue flowers June to November, followed by clusters of dull yellow round fruit.



Habit: Invasive, seeds spread by birds. Can be seen throughout the Reserve in more open areas.

Treatment: Hand pull small plants, cut and paint stumps of larger with Roundup. Bag all parts.