PLANT FACT SHEET

Lagotis glauca subsp. minor (Willd.) Hulten.

GENUS *Lagotis* **FAMILY** Plantaginaceae

COMMON NAMES Weasel snout

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are mixed with other leaves. They are eaten with meat.

DESCRIPTION

A herb that keeps growing from year to year. It has a deep taproot. The leaves at the base form a ring. They are simple and without hairs. The leaves are oval to oval or sword shaped. They are rounded teeth along the edge. The leaves are 2-12 cm long and dark green and leathery. It has a single flowering stem with a cylinder shaped cluster of flowers. The flowering stem is 10-15 cm long. The leaves on the stem do not have leaf stalks. The flowers are light blue. They have a pleasant smell.

HABITAT

It is a cold temperate plant. It grows in moist places and near ponds.

NOTES

Previously in the Scrophulariaceae.

REFERENCES

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