

"NATIVE FLORA OF THE WAITAKERE RANGE"Additions &c.R.O. Gardner

To my species list (1982) add two recent finds of Ewen Cameron (specimens in AKU):

Epilobium pubens
Myriophyllum triphyllum (M. elatinoides,

two from E.D. Hatch (specimens in AK):

Chenopodium glaucum subsp. ambiguum
Tetraria capillaris,

and from A.E. Esler:

Rhagodia triandra.

Grammitis billardieri, Scirpus sulcatus var. distigmatus and Rytidosperma clavatum require confirmation from specimens.

There are some weedy native species which might be expected to be in the Waitakeres (perhaps as new arrivals), e.g., Bidens pilosa, Dichelachne micrantha, Gnaphalium sphaericum, Hydrocotyle americana, Juncus pallidus, Microtis parviflora. Hibiscus trionum is probably adventive to Waitakeres, not being recorded by Cheeseman (T.N.Z.I. 4: 270-284 1872).

REFERENCE R.O. Gardner 1982. "Native Vascular Flora of the Waitakere Range". Auckland Botanical Society.

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