

WANTED



Wineberry

Rubus phoenicolasius

Description: has silvery underleaves, a fruit core that remains on the stem when the ripe fruit is picked, and thorns. It is differentiated from other raspberry species by the fine red hairs that grow densely on its stems (and flowers) causing a reddish hue to the plant. Wineberry fruit is vibrantly red when ripe and it has three leaflets per leaf rather than five.

Wanted for: creating spiny, impenetrable thickets that reduce an area's value for wildlife habitat and recreational value. Replacing native vegetation, including native edible berry shrubs.

10 Most Wanted Invasive Plants in Van Cortlandt Park.
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