

Erechtites hieracifolia

FIREWEED PILEWORT BURNWEED (Composite Family)

in the **Peacock Prairie** at the **James Woodworth Prairie Preserve**



Greenish-white flowers in heads $\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{3}{4}$ " long, swollen at the base and with a brush-like tip. A coarse, weedy plant with a smooth or hairy, grooved stem and shallowly or deeply toothed, lance-shaped or oblong leaves. 1-8' (31-243 cm) high.

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