

Gentiana andrewsii

BOTTLE GENTIAN CLOSED BOTTLE GENTIAN (Gentian Family)

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



Leaves slender-pointed. Blue-violet flowers 1-1½" long; flowers closed, with the fringes between the flower lobes slightly longer than the lobes, which are visible at the tip of the closed flower. At the Peacock/Woodworth Prairie, blooms about the 2nd week of September through the 1st week of October, and is about 1½' (45 cm) high.

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