

GOLDEN GROUNDSEL

Packera aurea

Also known as Golden Ragwort. Semi-evergreen basal foliage creates a nice ground cover, with attractive yellow daisy-like flowers shooting up in the spring.

Benefits for Wildlife

- Host plant for the Serpentine Webworm
- Provides cover for insects such as fireflies
- Flowers provide a nectar source for pollinators

Benefits for People

- Excellent groundcover that spreads through self-seeding
- Wabanaki used medicinally to treat a variety of ailments
- Deer resistant

Growing Information

Sunlight Sun to shade Soil Type Moist Height I-3'

Width I-2'

Flowering calendar May to September

Natural Habitat

• Meadows, bogs, low woodlands

