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Apocynaceae
Asclepias curassavica L.
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Asclepias curassavica L.

Determined by: K. Weichman 30 Jan 2003

Common name: Scarlet Milkweed, Bloodflower

Native to: Tropical America

Description: Red sepals, yellow petals

Habitat: Disturbed vacant lot Soil: Organic w/sand

Abundance: Occasional

Locality: SW Melbourne near Meadowlane School

N28° 3.906' W80° 40.229'

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