COYOTE MINT
Monardella villosa

Also called Coyote Mountain Balm this is a fragrant plant that produces white, pink or purple flowers in the summer. It attracts butterflies if grown in the sun and is deer resistant.

This mint can be used for tea. It was used by native people for medicinal purposes. It smells good to most humans and may detract herbivores.

BIODIVERSITY VALUE
7 California Lepidopera host on this plant

BUTTERFLIES/MOTHS
Pale Swallowtail, Western Tiger Swallowtail, Monarch

BIRDS
Orioles, Vireos, Wood Warblers, Anna’s and Allen’s Hummingbirds, Cedar Waxwings, White-crowned and Golden-crowned and Song Sparrows, Northern Mockingbirds and California Thrasher

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