Wellington Mint-Bush

A shrub with purple flowers.

Scientific name:

Prostanthera galbraithiae.

Status:

Vulnerable.

Fun fact:

The Wellington mint-bush needs fire to help it grow. But if fires happen too often they can't release their seeds.

A fire every 15 years gives them the best chance to grow.

Where are they found?

It's only found in two places - the Holey Plains State Park near Sale and the Dutson Downs property we manage.



How are we helping?

We've fenced off the areas it grows to protect them from pests and manage the weeds.

We've planted over 200 seedlings to give their numbers a helping hand.

We're working with experts on surveys, planned burns and research projects to learn more about them.





