Weed Alert!
Perennial veldt grass

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*(Ehrharta calycina)*

**Mature Size**  Knee

**Description**
- Tussock-forming grass 12-28 in. tall
- Flat, green to reddish-purple-tinged leaves, 3-8 in long
- Leaves wrinkled along blade edge
- Seedhead 4-6 in. long
- Small projection where leaf meets stem has tiny hairs
- Reproduces by seed and vegetatively from underground rhizomes
- Spread by roads, human activities, wind, wildlife
- Native to southern Africa

**Bloom Period**  Mar - May

**Habitat**  Sandy soils, chaparral, coastal scrub, disturbed sites

**2-Minute Removal**  Dig

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