COMMON NAME:

WESTERN SNEEZEWEED

SCIENTIFIC NAME:

HELENIUM HOOPESII

ALSO CALLED: ORANGE SNEEZEWEED AND MOUNTAIN HELENIUM

FLOWER COLOR: YELLOW-ORANGE LEAVES: LONG NARROW SILVER-GREEN

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: SINGLY AT END OF BRANCHES

NORMAL SIZE: 16" TO 30"

FLOWERING TIME: JUNE TO SEPTEMBER NORMAL ELEVATION: 7000' TO 11,000' HABITATION: LOW MOIST MEADOWS

ABUNDANCE: RARE

NOTABLE DETAILS: LARGE SUNFLOWER-LIKE FLOWERS WITH LONG NARROW SILVER-GREEN LEAVES

SPECIAL INTEREST: FOUND IN THE CITY OF GREER. IT IS POISONOUS AND GIVEN TO PRODUCE STRONGLY ALLERGIC POLLEN.