

## 2023 June *Guess that Plant*



*Potentilla argentea* L., Silver Cinquefoil

June's *Guess that Plant* was silver cinquefoil, *Potentilla argentea*. This is a non native cinquefoil introduced from Europe, Asia Minor and Siberia. *Potentilla* is a herbaceous genus in the Rose family, Rosaceae. Mary Hough (1983) indicates the species is common within the Delaware Valley, and less so on the Coastal strip. Our *Guess that Plant* species occupies dry roadsides and disturbed soils throughout the State. This species is a low growing, highly branched member of a large genus of native and introduced species.

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