Coffeeberry
*Frangula californica*

**Plant Type:** Shrub

**Flower Color:** Yellow

**Flowering Time:** April to July

**Height:** 8-10 feet

**Width:** 4-8 feet

**Exposure:** Sun-light shade

**Water Req.:** Occasional - once a month or so, depending on temperatures and wind.

**Habitat Value:** Birds

**Comments and Maintenance:**
Coffeeberry is an excellent foliage plant with showy fruit. Its branches take on a beautiful reddish color and it has beautiful deep green lustrous leaves, responds well to pruning. This makes it an excellent choice for an informal hedge or to create a screen. The small yellow flowers are not showy but attract a range of pollinators. Berries are attractive (but not edible for Photograph: Darlene LaMont