Viola sororia
COMMON BLUE VIOLET (Violet Family)

The blue (occasionally white) flowers have 5 nearly equal petals, the lower one usually larger than the rest and spurred at the base; flower stalks soft-hairy or downy; lower (spurred) petal smooth-ish on the inside. Basal leaves only, leaves somewhat pointed and long-staked, the stalks distinctly longer than the leaf blades; the leaf stalks and the undersurfaces of the leaves are more hairy that those of the Northern Blue Violet. At the Peacock/Woodworth Prairie, blooms from the 3rd week in April through the 4th week in May.