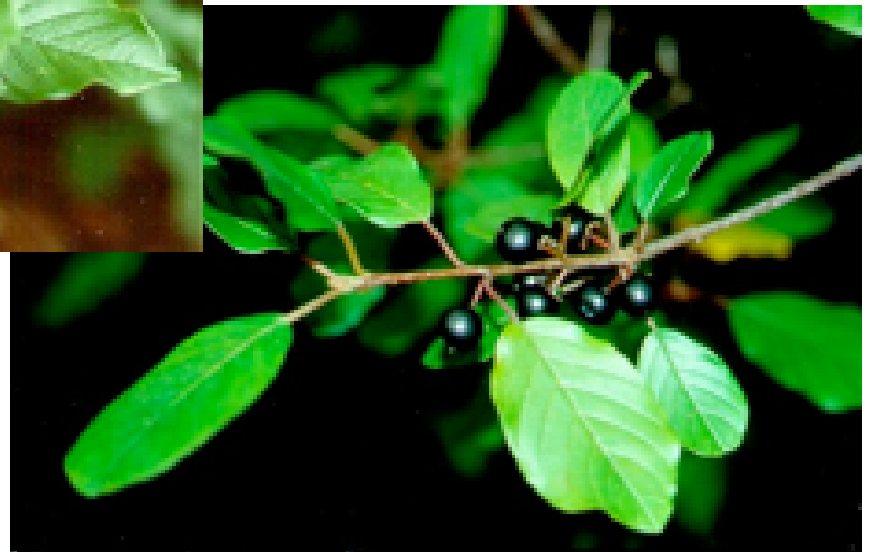


# TANZI TRACT "Bully" #1

**Glossy buckthorn (*Rhamnus frangula*)**



**Flowers and young berry**



**Mature berries are black**



**Bark, with distinctive white spots**

These plants were introduced in the neighborhood as bird food about 30 years ago (as if our native plants weren't good enough for birds). Scientists have since found their seeds lack the fats needed for migrating birds. Further, these plants lack insect predators or diseases to control their spread, so they crowd out native species, and diminish biodiversity.