### Town of Nasewaupee Ordinance ORDINANCE #

An Ordinance Regulating Noxious Weeds

The Town Board of the Town of Nasewaupee, Door County, Wisconsin, does ordain as follows:

- 1. AUTHORITY. This Ordinance is adopted pursuant to authority granted in Wis. Stats. §66.0407 and Wis. Stats. §60.22 (3).
- 2. PURPOSE. This Ordinance codifies the requirement for property owners to destroy noxious and invasive weeds upon their property in the Town of Nasewaupee and provides the Town enforcement authority to require such action.

#### 5.2 Noxious Weeds

#### 5.2.010. ADOPTION OF STATUTE.

Wis. Stats. §66.0407 as hereafter amended is adopted by reference.

#### 5.2.020. NOXIOUS WEEDS DEFINED.

In addition to those weeds defined by Wis. Stats. §66.0407, as amended, the town specifically includes the following which are defined as noxious weeds: Canada thistle, phragmites, . . . .

#### **5.2.030. ENFORCEMENT.**

The Town Board or Town Chairman shall enforce this section. If any person fails to comply with the provisions of Wis. Stats. §66.0407, as amended and as adopted by the Town of Nasewaupee, the town may, after five (5) days written notice to the owner, cause the premises to be mowed or sprayed and shall report the cost thereof to the Town Clerk. This cost shall be entered on the tax roll as a special charge for services under Wis. Stats. §66.0627.

#### **5.2.040. PENALTIES.**

Any person owning, occupying or controlling land in the Town of Nasewaupee who fails to destroy all noxious weeds as required herein shall forfeit not less than \$50 nor more than \$200. Each day that a violation exists is considered a separate violation. In addition, the court may impose upon each person violating this section an assessment for court costs and all costs and fees, including reasonable attorney fees, incurred by the Town in enforcement of this section.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be effective after the date of its passage and publication as required by law.

Adopted this	day of	2013.
		TOWN BOARD:
		By:Chairman
Attest:		Steven Sullivan, Town Chairman
Brenda Olsen, Town Clerk		
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## Town of Nasewaupee Ordinance ORDINANCE # \_\_\_ 202 1-23

# An Ordinance Amending Town of Nasewaupee Municipal Code AMENDMENT OF REGULATION OF NOXIOUS WEEDS

The Town Board of Supervisors of the Town of Nasewaupee, Door County, Wisconsin, do ordain as follows:

- 1. AUTHORITY/PURPOSE. This Ordinance is based upon authority granted by Wis. Stats. Sections 66.0407 and 60.22(3). The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the Municipal Code of the Town of Nasewaupee to revise the definition of noxious and invasive weeds and requiring property owners to destroy noxious and invasive weeds upon their property in the Town of Nasewaupee consistent with the health, safety and welfare of the public.
- 2. AMENDMENT. The Municipal Code for the Town of Nasewaupee, Door County, Wisconsin, is hereby amended as follows:
  - A. Section 5.2.020 is hereby amended as follows:
  - 5.2.020. NOXIOUS WEEDS DEFINED.

In addition to those weeds defined by Wis. Stats. §66.0407, as amended, the town specifically includes the following which are defined as noxious weeds: Canada thistle, phragmites, **Japanese Knotweed**, **Wild Parsnip**, **Common/Cut-leaved Teasel**. . . .

3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect on the day following its publication.

Adopted this 18th day of February 2021.

TOWN BOARD

Steve Sullivan, Town Chairman

, Town Clerk

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