

Please read carefully for 2020 changes! Feel free to call with questions.



**Eagle County Conservation District
Eagle County Vegetation Management
2020 Noxious Weed Cost Share Program**



- On site visit required by Eagle County Vegetation Management. To schedule call 970-328-3553 or visit <https://www.eaglecounty.us/weeds/>
- If using a Commercial Pesticide Applicator an Application Record is required in addition to any invoice and must include the Commercial Applicator License number.
- Invoice, paid receipt and/or canceled check required before reimbursement is made.
- We **MUST** have number of acres and names of weeds treated. Only Colorado State Department of Agriculture approved treatments will be reimbursed. For more information please visit: <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/agconservation/noxious-weed-species>
- You must be a landowner or land manager of taxable land in Eagle County.
- If doing the work yourself, cost share funds are limited to 50% of the total labor costs for mechanical treatments at an hourly rate of \$28.02, with a maximum of \$75 per landowner OR 50% of the total costs, with a maximum of \$500 per landowner for all other treatment methods.
- If using hired contractors, cost share funds are limited to 50% of the total costs, with a maximum of \$500 per landowner.
- Labor duration for mechanical treatment methods will be approximated during the required on site visit by Eagle County Vegetation Management.
- All applications must be filled out completely and correctly. They are subject to Noxious Weed Cost Share Program Policies and review by the Eagle County Conservation District Board and Eagle County Vegetation Management.

I hereby certify that I have read and agree to the above conditions:

Landowner / Landmanager signature: _____ Date: _____

Read and fill out the entire application; incomplete or late applications may not be processed.

Deadline for spring treatments: July 15, 2020 Deadline for fall treatments: November 6, 2020

Cost share may include the following CO Dept of Agriculture Noxious weeds:

- **State of Colorado List A species:** African rue (*Peganum harmala*), Bohemian knotweed (*Fallopia x bohemicum*), Camelthorn (*Alhagi maurorum*), Common crupina (*Crupina vulgaris*), Cypress spurge (*Euphorbia cyparissias*), Dyer's woad (*Isatis tinctoria*), Elongated mustard (*Brassica elongata*), Flowering rush (*Butomus umbellatus*), Giant knotweed (*Fallopia sachalinensis*), Giant reed (*Arundo donax*), Giant salvinia (*Salvinia molesta*), Hairy willow-herb (*Epilobium hirsutum*), Hydrilla (*Hydrilla verticillata*), Japanese knotweed (*Fallopia japonica*), Meadow knapweed (*Centaurea x moncktonii*), Mediterranean sage (*Salvia aethiopis*), Medusahead (*Taeniatherum caput-medusae*), Myrtle spurge (*Euphorbia myrsinites*), Orange hawkweed (*Hieracium aurantiacum*), Parrotfeather (*Myriophyllum aquaticum*), Purple loosestrife (*Lythrum salicaria*), Rush skeletonweed (*Chondrilla juncea*), Squarrose knapweed (*Centaurea virgata*), Tansy ragwort (*Senecio jacobaea*), Yellow starthistle (*Centaurea solstitialis*)
- **State of Colorado List B species:** Absinth wormwood (*Artemisia absinthium*), Black henbane (*Hyoscyamus niger*), Bouncingbet (*Saponaria officinalis*), Bull thistle (*Cirsium vulgare*), Canada thistle (*Cirsium arvense*), Chinese clematis (*Clematis orientalis*), Common tansy (*Tanacetum vulgare*), Common teasel (*Dipsacus fullonum*), Cutleaf teasel (*Dipsacus laciniatus*), Dalmatian toadflax, broad-leaved (*Linaria dalmatica*), Dalmatian toadflax, narrow-leaved (*Linaria genistifolia*), Dame's rocket (*Hesperis matronalis*), Diffuse knapweed (*Centaurea diffusa*), Eurasian watermilfoil (*Myriophyllum spicatum*), Hoary cress (*Cardaria draba*), Houndstongue (*Cynoglossum officinale*), Jointed goatgrass (*Aegilops cylindrica*), Leafy spurge (*Euphorbia esula*), Mayweed chamomile (*Anthemis cotula*), Moth mullein (*Verbascum blattaria*), Musk thistle (*Carduus nutans*), Oxeye daisy (*Leucanthemum vulgare*), Perennial pepperweed (*Lepidium latifolium*), Plumeless thistle (*Carduus acanthoides*), Russian knapweed (*Rhaponticum repens*), Russian-olive (*Elaeagnus angustifolia*), Salt cedar (*Tamarix ramosissima*), Salt cedar (*T. chinensis*), Scentless chamomile (*Tripleurospermum inodorum*), Scotch thistle (*Onopordum acanthium*), Scotch thistle (*O. tauricum*), Spotted knapweed (*Centaurea stoebe* L. ssp. *micranthos*), Spotted x diffuse knapweed hybrid (*Centaurea x psammogena*), Sulfur cinquefoil (*Potentilla recta*), Wild caraway (*Carum carvi*), Yellow nutsedge (*Cyperus esculentus*), Yellow toadflax (*Linaria vulgaris*), Yellow x Dalmatian toadflax hybrid (*Linaria vulgaris* x *L. dalmatica*)
- **State of Colorado List C species:** Bulbous bluegrass (*Poa bulbosa*), Chicory (*Cichorium intybus*), Common burdock (*Arctium minus*), Common mullein (*Verbascum thapsus*), Common St. Johnswort (*Hypericum perforatum*), Downy brome / cheatgrass (*Bromus tectorum*), Field bindweed (*Convolvulus arvensis*), Halogeton (*Halogeton glomeratus*), Johnsongrass (*Sorghum halepense*), Perennial sowthistle (*Sonchus arvensis*), Poison hemlock (*Conium maculatum*), Puncturevine (*Tribulus terrestris*), Quackgrass (*Elymus repens*), Redstem filaree (*Erodium cicutarium*), Velvetleaf (*Abutilon theophrasti*), Wild proso millet (*Panicum miliaceum*)

For Advice, Information, Herbicide and Reseeding Supplies:

Eagle County Vegetation Management: (970) 328-3553

Eagle County Conservation District: (970) 343-0333

Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) 970-945-5494

CSU Extension Office in Eagle County 970-328-8633

Read and fill out the entire application; incomplete or late applications may not be processed.

Deadline for spring treatments: July 15, 2020 Deadline for fall treatments: November 6, 2020

2020 Eagle County / Conservation Districts' Noxious Weed Cost Share Application
For anyone owning or operating taxable land in Eagle County.

Return to:

Eagle County Vegetation Management
email: doug.riggins@eaglecounty.us
drop-off: 3289 Cooley Mesa Rd. Building A
Gypsum, CO 81637
mail: PO Box 850
Eagle, CO 81631

Eagle County Conservation District
email: eaglecountycd@gmail.com
mail: Attn: Noxious Weed Cost Share Program
P.O. Box 360
Eagle, CO 81631

Land location (legal description & address):

Landowner: _____	Landmanager: _____
Mail address: _____	Mail address: _____
City: _____ Zip: _____	City: _____ Zip: _____
Phone Number: _____	Phone Number: _____
Send Correspondence to: _____	Direct questions to: _____

MUST BE SIGNED BY LAND OWNER OR MANAGER
Release and Indemnity Agreement for Weed Cost Share Program

All participating landowners in the Eagle County / Conservation Districts' Weed Cost Share Program must sign this release.

1. The undersigned wishes to participate in the Weed Cost Share Program, as described in the Weed Management Plan attached to this Application, for the purpose of controlling the weeds specified on the project area map included in the Weed Management Plan and for the protection of property throughout Eagle County.
2. The undersigned is a volunteer Weed Cost Share Program participant, is over 18 years of age, and owns or manages the land to which the Weed Management Plan will be applied.
3. The undersigned acknowledges that control of weeds through the use of herbicides and mechanical and other methods can be dangerous or hazardous activities. The undersigned also acknowledges that there may be hazards not immediately apparent in the use of herbicide, mechanical and other methods of weed control. The undersigned, therefore, certifies that he/she will strictly adhere to herbicide label restrictions if he/she applies a herbicide, rather than obtaining application services, and will exercise caution in the use of all other methods of weed control.
4. The undersigned, aware of these factors, undertakes activities in the Weed Cost Share Program at his/her own risk and releases the Board of Commissioners of Eagle County, the Eagle County Vegetation Management Department, the Natural Resources Conservation Service, and Eagle County Conservation District, their employees and agents and all members thereof, in their personal and official capacities, from any liability whatsoever resulting from any injury to the undersigned or the undersigned's real and personal property due to or related to the undersigned's participation in the Weed Cost Share Program. This release applies whether dangers or hazards are, or are not, apparent to the undersigned.
5. Further, the undersigned agrees to fully defend and indemnify the entities and individuals, named in Paragraph 4, from any claim or lawsuit or loss by any third parties resulting from the undersigned's participation in the Weed Cost Share Program, including application of herbicides to the undersigned's land.
6. Nothing in this Release and Indemnity Agreement shall be construed as or is intended to be a waiver of governmental immunity under Colorado law.

Signature of Land Owner/Manager: _____ **Date** _____

You must turn in receipts by the due dates to receive payment.

Read and fill out the entire application; incomplete or late applications may not be processed.

Deadline for spring treatments: July 15, 2020 Deadline for fall treatments: November 6, 2020

Weed Management Plan

Indicate when you plan to treat noxious weeds, and which method(s) of treatment you will use.

- Spring treatment (Deadline: July 15, 2020)
- Fall treatment (Deadline: November 6, 2020)
- Both Spring & Fall treatment (Deadline: November 6, 2020)
(IF treating in spring and fall and would like to get reimbursed for both you MUST check this box)

A. HERBICIDES:

Total number of acres treated:

LANDOWNER APPLIED:

(List product name, rate applied, and timing of application)

COMMERCIAL APPLICATOR:

(List name of company, address, phone #, and Commercial Applicators License #)

B. MECHANICAL

Total number of acres treated:

Describe method(s) (mowing, cutting, pulling, etc.)

Read and fill out the entire application; incomplete or late applications may not be processed.

Deadline for spring treatments: July 15, 2020 Deadline for fall treatments: November 6, 2020

C. BIOLOGICAL TREATMENT

Total number of acres treated:

Describe method(s)

D. RE-VEGETATION:

*(Reseeding is **strongly** recommended to prevent future weed infestations and erosion.)*

Total number of acres treated:

Describe what you plan to reseed with and when:

Amount Spent (total cost of treatments): \$ _____

Amount Requested for Reimbursement: \$ _____

List other costs involved with noxious weed control:

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this is a true and accurate accounting of the costs I incurred in the treatment of the noxious weeds as listed in this cost share application. I understand that reimbursements are limited to 50% of the total labor costs for mechanical treatments at an hourly rate of \$28.02, with a maximum of \$75 per application OR 50% of the total costs, with a maximum of \$500 per application for all other treatment methods. I understand that my application must include total property acres, infested acres, and acres treated, in addition to a detailed map showing the property location, weed infestation location(s), weed treatment location(s), and weed species details such as densities, abundance, or habitat. I understand that Eagle County Vegetation Management will map my property free-of-charge and this map can be included with my application. I understand that it is my duty as the landowner or land manager to properly fill out and sign this application, NOT the responsibility of my hired contractor. I understand that if the application and all required supporting documentation is not received by the applicable deadline, reimbursement will be denied. I have signed the "Release and Indemnity Agreement for Weed Cost Share Program" on page 3 of the application.

Signature of Land Owner/Manager: _____ Date: _____

You must turn in receipts by the due dates to receive payment.