

Lemhi County Cooperative Weed Management Area

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2012 Noxious Weed Cost Share Program

Introduction:

Invasive weeds should be a concern of all landowners and land managers because they are unsightly, crowd out and steal nutrients from desirable crops, reduce forage values for animals and can dramatically lower the value of your property. In an effort to help landowners in this battle against noxious weeds, the Lemhi CWMA has a project to assist with herbicide and biological purchases and mechanical weed control. To further assist landowners and encourage adjoining landowners to combine their efforts in weed control, the cost share program will pay a larger portion of the control costs for group applications.

In addition Idaho Code requires private landowners to control noxious weeds on their property; failure to do so may result in enforcement action taken by the county.

Pursuant to Section 22-2407. LANDOWNER AND CITIZEN DUTIES. (1) It shall be the duty and responsibility of all landowners to control noxious weeds on their land and property, in accordance with this chapter and with rules promulgated by the director.

(2) The cost of controlling noxious weeds shall be the obligation of the landowner.

General Information to Applicants:

1. Private landowners are eligible for reimbursement at the rate of 50% of herbicide costs with a maximum payment of \$150. Cultural or biological control costs will be paid at the rate of \$35/acre of weeds **pre-authorization required** to ensure need.
2. Groups of individual landowners are eligible for reimbursement at the rate of 60% of herbicide costs and \$170 per individual in the group.
3. Glyphosate (Roundup) will only be reimbursed at a rate of 25% up to \$50.00 unless prior approval has been received.
4. Backpack sprayers, ATV sprayers, horse sprayers, ATV seeder and hand operated seed spreaders are available as loaners in addition to gps units for accurate mapping.
5. Attach your receipts for herbicides or biological control agents purchased, plus a timesheet showing time spent spraying and type of equipment used (backpack sprayer, ATV, tractor sprayer, etc.). If you are having the work done by a commercial applicator, be sure to have the applicator itemize the labor and herbicide costs. Labor costs cannot be reimbursed.
6. Applicants could receive additional funding at the conclusion of the year if funds remain. This is however, unknown until final reporting is completed in December and no guarantee is made to the availability.
7. Bring your receipts and timesheet to the Weed Control office after the spraying or bio-control work has been completed. Applications will be reviewed by the County Weed Board and reimbursement made to qualifying persons. **Requests for reimbursement must be made by Oct 1st, 2012 in order to be considered!**
8. **Required items:**
 - a. **Receipt of your purchase**
 - b. **Applicator record provided by the ISDA on the back side of this form (completed)**

All pesticide applicators must comply with the Idaho Pesticide and Chemigation Law, Title 22, Chapter 34, Idaho Code

**Lemhi CWMA 2012
Individual Landowner Herbicide Application Record &
In-Kind Contribution Report**

Please fill out and return/mail to Lemhi CWMA 200 Fulton St. Suite 201, Salmon Idaho. 83467

Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____

Date	Hours	What Noxious Weed Treated	Equipment Used*	Location**	Herbicide name	Rate***	Amount of Herbicide used	Treatment Acres	Inventoried Acres

Total Hours _____

Signature _____

*For *Equipment*, list any of the following: ATV w/sprayer, pickup truck w/sprayer, backpack sprayer, transfer pump, trailer(s), saddle horse, tanker truck, gps unit or any work directly related to weed management.

**For *Location*, include gps coordinates, or legal description, or attach map.

***For *Rate*, list how many ounces of herbicide per gallon of water.