The 2014 County Weed Report Form may be submitted by filling the form out online, printing a copy, and mailing it to:

Rich Riding, Weed Specialist

Utah Department of Agriculture and Food

350 N. Redwood Road

PO Box 146500

Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6500

Please call (801) 602-1961 with any questions. **If you can’t get a hold of him at this number, good luck**. ☺

**State of Utah**

**Department of Agriculture & Food**

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**Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-6500**

TO: County Weed Supervisors

FROM: Rich Riding

DATE: December 18, 2014

SUBJECT: Annual Progress Reports of County Weed Control Programs

The Noxious Weed law provides that each county is to submit an annual progress report to the Commissioner of Agriculture and Food by **January 15** of each year summarizing the activities of the previous calendar year.

The annual progress report is a tool that can be used by the county weed board to:

1. Evaluate the effectiveness and progress of the County Weed Control program.
2. Evaluate the weed control efforts of other governmental agencies and private land owners.
3. Develop new plans and strategies for upgrading next year's weed control programs.

A weed board meeting should be held, suggested for November or December, for the purpose of filling out the progress report.

Who should attend this meeting:

* 1. All members of the county weed board
  2. County Commissioners assigned to the county weed program
  3. County Weed Supervisor
  4. District Agricultural Inspector
  5. U.S.U. Extension Agent

Please be prompt in filling out the report and returning it to the Department of Agriculture and Food no later than January 15, 2015. The completed report should be returned to:

RICH RIDING

WEED SPECIALIST

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD

350 N REDWOOD ROAD

BOX 146500

SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84114-6500

**ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT OF COUNTY NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL PROGRAM**

1. County  Year 

2. Name of person who filled out this report:

Name: 

Address: 

3. County Commissioner in charge of Weed Control:

Name: 

Address: 

4. Members of County Weed Board:

Chairman Address

 

Member Name Address

 

 

 

 

 

 

5. County Weed Supervisor:

Name: 

Address: 

Office Phone: 

Cell Phone: 

6. County Spray Operators (other than Weed Supervisor):

Name Address

 

 

 

 

 

 

 

 

7. Number of Weed Board Meetings held during the year: 

8. Weeds declared Noxious by the County:

(NOT STATE NOXIOUS WEEDS) Active Control Program:

 YES  NO

 YES  NO

 YES  NO

 YES  NO

 YES  NO

9. County Weed Control Budget: Past Year: $  Next Year: $ 

10. Check the Noxious Weeds listed below that are found in the county. Please indicate if the county has an active Control Program directed at these weeds. Indicate the progress of the control of these weeds by using:

FOUND IN COUNTY ACTIVE CONTROL PROGRAM INFESTATION

A. Bermuda grass YES  NO  Choose an item.

(Not Noxious in Washington County)

B. Bindweed (Morning –Glory) YES  NO  Choose an item.

C. Board-leaved Peppergrass YES  NO  Choose an item.

(Tall whitetop)

D. Canada Thistle YES  NO  Choose an item.

E. Dyers Woad YES  NO  Choose an item.

F. Johnsongrass YES  NO  Choose an item.

G. Leafy Spurge YES  NO  Choose an item.

H. Musk Thistle YES  NO  Choose an item.

I. Quackgrass YES  NO  Choose an item.

J. Russian Knapweed YES  NO  Choose an item.

K. Scotch Thistle YES  NO  Choose an item.

L. Whitetop YES  NO  Choose an item.

M. Squarrose Knapweed YES  NO  Choose an item.

N. Diffuse Knapweed YES  NO  Choose an item.

O. Yellow Star-thistle YES  NO  Choose an item.

P. Medusahead Rye YES  NO  Choose an item.

Q. Spotted Knapweed YES  NO  Choose an item.

R. Purple Loosestrife YES  NO  Choose an item.

11. Does the county spray crop ground for farmers? YES  NO

12. Does the county do spraying on other private property? YES  NO

a. Noxious weeds only  b. Any type of weed  c. Any location

d. Other Explain: 

13. How many official individual Notices to Control Noxious Weeds were sent to private landowners during the past year by the WeedBoard/Supervisor? Number: 

14. Indicate what progress was made during the previous year in controlling noxious weeds in the

following areas of concern:

Poor Fair Good Excellent

A. County Roads

B. Farmlands

C. State Highways

D. Cities

E. Railroads

F. Federal Lands

G. State Lands

H. Contaminated Article

(hay, soil, machinery, livestock, etc.)

I. Waterways

15. NEW AND INVADING WEEDS: Please fill in the information as completely and accurately as possible. If you are not sure of the correct information please use NS (Not Sure) in the blanks.

NEW & INVADING WEEDS FOUND IN COUNTY NO. PATCHES ACRES INFESTED

A. Black henbane YES  NO   

B. Dalmation toadflax YES  NO   

C. Goatsrue YES  NO   

D. Jointed goatgrass YES  NO   

E. Water hemlock YES  NO   

F. Poison hemlock YES  NO   

G. Yellow nutsedge YES  NO   

H. Wild proso millet YES  NO   

I. Yellow toadflax YES  NO   

J. Silverleaf nightshade YES  NO   

K. Velvetleaf YES  NO   

L. St John’s Wort YES  NO   

M. Camelthorn YES  NO   

N. Purple starthistle YES  NO   

16. What are the most critical noxious weed control problems in your county?



17. What SPECIFIC weed control measures are being planned for the coming year?



18. Please describe any situations or circumstances that you think the Department of Agriculture should be aware of concerning noxious weeds in your county. Indicate areas where you would like assistance from the Department in solving problems in your county weed program.

