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Subject: Collaboration on Noxious Weed Control

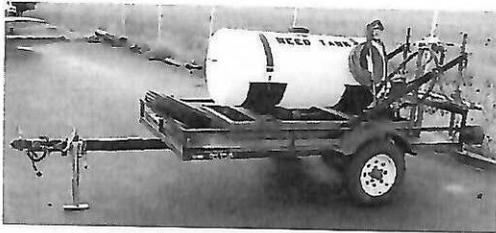
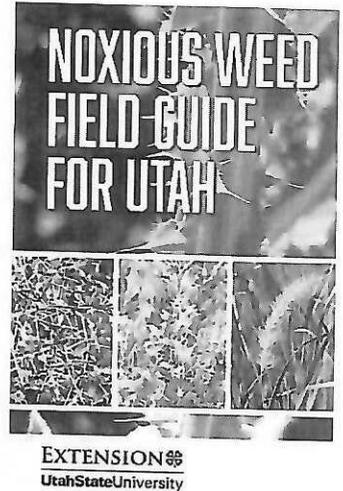
Dear Community Leadership Council,

I hope this message finds you well. We would like to reach out to request your assistance in providing your citizens with information regarding noxious weed control. It is our desire, that this letter, or other efforts of your choosing, is shared. We have directly reached out to larger landowners in the County and the US Forest Service.

Dear Local Landowner,

Collective cooperative efforts are a vital link in management and control of noxious weeds within our community and throughout the State of Utah. Management of noxious weeds would not be feasible without coordination and cooperation from local agencies and landowners. Many methods can be used to control noxious weeds including biological (bugs), mechanical, cultural (planting competitive plants), chemical, and grazing.

I would like to invite you to take action on any noxious weeds on your property. Helpful information can be found on the Wasatch County Public Works website at <https://www.wasatchcounty.gov/noxious-weed-control>. There you have access to the Wasatch County Weed Plan, Utah Noxious Weed Field Guide (colored photos and descriptions), and EDDMaps (an app that lets you map noxious weeds as well as identify them). Additional resources Wasatch County provides includes a chemical give out program and equipment rentals (backpack or trailer sprayer). If you are interested in these programs, please go the above website or the Weed Control Department for more information and eligibility. The Weed Control Department office is located at 1891 West 3000 South, Heber City. The phone number is (435) 654-1661. Want to make more of an impact? Public land agencies and communities have volunteer opportunities. Contact specific agencies and communities for more information.



Please reach out if you have any questions. Thank you for your continued dedication and efforts to control noxious weeds in our beautiful valley.

Sincerely,

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Board Chair

Wasatch County Weed Board