

Curry County Noxious Weed List—2022

Noxious weeds, for the purpose of the Curry County Weed Advisory Board, shall be designated “A”, “B”, and/or “T” as in the Oregon Department of Agriculture Weed Rating System.

1. “A” designated weed

A weed of known economic importance which occurs in the county in small enough infestations to make eradication/containment possible; or is not known to occur, but its presence in neighboring counties or California make future occurrences in Curry County seem imminent.

2. “B” designated weed

A weed of economic importance that is abundant in the county, but may have limited distribution in some watersheds.

3. “T” designated weed

A priority noxious weed designated by the Curry County Weed Advisory Board as a target weed species on which the Board will focus its efforts through integrated management.

(*These weeds are NOT listed on the Oregon Department of Agriculture’s Noxious Weed Control Classification System)

“A” Designated

Common Name		Scientific Name
Biddy-biddy	T	Acaena novae-zealandiae
Butterfly bush	T	Buddleia (Buddleja) davidii
Cape Ivy	T	Delairea odorata
Diffuse knapweed		Centaurea diffusa
Giant Knotweed		Polygonum sachalinense
Himalayan knotweed	T	Polygonum polystachyum
Leafy spurge		Euphorbia esula
Patterson’s curse		Echium plantagineum
Portuguese broom	T	Cytisus striatus
Purple loosestrife		Lythrum salicaria
Purple starthistle		Centaurea calcitrapa
Scotch thistle		Onopordum acanthium
Shiny Geranium	T	Geranium lucidum
Spanish broom	T	Spartium junceum
Spanish heath	T	Erica lusitanica
Spotted knapweed		Centaurea maculosa
Squarrose knapweed		Centaurea virgata
Wooly distaff thistle		Carthamus lanatus
Yellow starthistle	T	Centaurea solstitialis

“B” Designated

Common Name		Scientific Name
Bull Thistle		Cirsium vulgare
Canada Thistle		Cirsium arvense
*Cotoneaster		Cotoneaster franchetii, lacteus
English Ivy	T	Hedera helix
*European Beach Grass	T	Ammophila arenaria
*English holly		Liex aquifolium
French Broom	T	Cytisus monspessulanas
Gorse	T	Ulex europaeus
*Hedgehog dogtail	T	Cynosurus echinatus
Himalayan (Armenian) Blackberry	T	Rubus armeniacus
Italian Thistle		Carduus pycnocephalus
Jubatagrass	T	Cortaderia jubata, seloana
Japanese Knotweed	T	Polygonum cuspidatum
Meadow Knapweed		Centaurea moncktonii
Milk Thistle		Silybum marianum
Poison Hemlock		Conium maculatum
*Reed canarygrass	T	Phalaris arundinacea
Scotch Broom	T	Cytisus scoparius
Tansy Ragwort		Senecio jacobaea
*Yellow Bush lupine	T	Lupinus arboreus

“T” designated weeds

Under Consideration

*Mimosa (B) Silver Wattle	Acacia dealbata
*Red Valerian (Jupiter’s beard) (A)	Centranthus ruber
*Sweet clover (White) (A)	Melilotus alba
*Sweet Fennel (B)	Foeniculum vulgare
*Prickly Moses (A)	Acacia verticillata