

UNION COUNTY WEED CONTROL DEPARTMENT

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COST SHARE APPLICATION

\$500 LIMIT

(JULY 1 *thru* JUNE 30 each year)

APPLICANT NAME _____

(Please state who you want the check written to)

MAILING ADDRESS _____

TREATMENT ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

TARGETED WEEDS: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

ESTIMATED ACRES _____ ESTIMATED COST _____

LANDOWNER CONTRIBUTION \$ _____

REQUESTED COST SHARE FROM UNION COUNTY \$ _____

DESCRIBE LOCATION OF TREATMENT AREA _____

DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE COMPLETED _____

LONG TERM GOALS _____

STATE PLANS FOR REVEGETATION _____

ARE YOU RECEIVING SUPPORT FROM OTHER SOURCES FOR THIS PROJECT?

YES _____ NO _____

IF YES, STATE SOURCE AND AMOUNT OF FUNDING _____

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

The Union County Weed Board encourages all landowners to use integrated management techniques when treating noxious weeds. To help with this, many different treatment types will be eligible for reimbursement:

1. Selective herbicide application
2. Reseeding
3. Contract manual removal
4. Purchase of bio-control insects
5. Targeted grazing (goats)

Other approved management strategies will also be considered for reimbursement programs. **Landowner labor is not reimbursable**, but can be used as cost share for reimbursement of herbicides or other products. Under Oregon state guidelines, landowner labor is calculated for cost share match at \$28.54 per hour. This means that 17.5 hours of your time treating noxious weeds is all that is needed for the \$500 in county reimbursement for herbicides, etc.

To qualify, please call, email, or fill out and submit this application. We will then contact you to schedule a meeting where we can work together to create a management plan tailored to your weed control needs.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Treatment plan needs to be preapproved in coordination with County Weed Supervisor to ensure expenditures are appropriate for the project and therefore eligible for reimbursement.
2. Landowner must provide: receipts, invoice, or other evidence indicating the amount of herbicides applied/ work done and cost of the project. Pesticide application records and area marked on a map will be provided by weed supervisor if landowner wishes to do the work themselves.
3. Maximum \$500 reimbursement per landowner per fiscal year is available
4. Signing this document authorizes Union County Weed Control Staff to access the property to conduct pretreatment noxious weed inventory, and a post treatment inspection. This information helps us: map weeds for our GIS database, verify work, and ensure that the chosen weeds treatment methods are working effectively for you. Access may include ATV, vehicle, or on foot.

Please check out our website below for weed info, forms, licensed herbicide contractor's contact info, and much more!

www.unioncountyweedcontrol.org