

HOW TO REPORT NOXIOUS WEEDS

NEVADA'S EARLY DETECTION AND RAPID RESPONSE PLAN

Plants on Nevada's Early Detection Rapid Response (EDRR) list are noxious weeds limited in distribution throughout the state and known to be harmful to Nevada's ecosystems and agriculture production. Reporting these species is a critical first step in Nevada's EDRR strategy.

HOW TO REPORT NEVADA'S NOXIOUS WEED EDRR SPECIES

Nevada's EDRR species list is located at the end of this document. Information about specific species can be found on the NDA's <u>noxious weed website</u>. Another useful tool for identifying and reporting EDRR species is the EDDMapS <u>phone app</u> which can be used in the field to review and collect information on noxious weeds.

Photographs play an important role when identifying EDRR species. Photos can be submitted to Nevada's noxious weed team at noxiousweeds@agri.nv.gov or through the EDDMapS phone app or website at eddmaps.org.

Information to include when submitting a photograph:

- Who is making the report? Contact information is helpful if follow-up is needed.
- What species is being reported? It is fine to guess the species if unknown.
- **Description of the infestation:** Is it a single plant or is it a dense infestation?

A minimum of one (1) photo showing the entire plant is needed for identification purposes. Pictures of the flower/seed head along with photos of the leaves, stem and root system are also useful. Other helpful photos may include the size of the infestation and images showing the location of the species being reported.

HELPFUL FOR IDENTIFICATION



Photos that include details of the flower, leaf and stem are easier to identify.

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NOT AS USEFUL FOR IDENTIFICATION



Photos without up-close details are more difficult to identify.



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African rue - Peganum harmala

Austrian fieldcress - Rorippa austriaca

Austrian peaweed - Sphaerophysa salsula

Barbed goatgrass - Aegilops tricuncialis

Buffelgrass - Pennisetum ciliare

Camelthorn - Alhagi psedualhagi

Carolina horse nettle - Solanum carolinense

Common crupina - Crupina vulgaris

Curly leaf pondweed - Potamogeton crispus

Desert knapweed - Volutaria tubuliflora

Dyer's woad - Isatis tinctoria

Eurasian water-milfoil - Myriophyllum spicatum

Flowering rush - Butomus umbellatus

Giant salvinia - Salvinia molesta

Goats rue - Galega officinalis

Green fountain grass - Pennisetum setaceum

Houndstongue - Cynoglossum officinale

Hydrilla - Hydrilla verticillate

Iberian starthistle - Centaurea iberica

Jointed goatgrass - Aegilops cylindrica

Klamath weed / St. John's Wort - Hypericum peforatum

Leafy spurge - Euphorbia esula

Malta starthistle - Centaurea melitensis

Mediterranean sage - Salvia aethiopis

Medusahead - Taeniatherum caput-medusae

Purple loosestrife - Lythtum salicaria

Purple starthistle - Centaurea calcitrapa

Rush skeletonweed - Chondrilla juncea

Squarrose knapweed - Centaurea virgata

Sulfur cinquefoil - Potentilla recta

Syrian bean caper - Zygophyllum fabago

Ventenata - Ventenata dubia

White horse nettle/silverleaf nightshade - Solanum elaeagnifolium

Yellow starthistle - Centaurea solstitialis

Yellow toadflax - Linaria vulgaris