

Identification and treatment can be conducted through Fremont County Weed Management or a recommended partnering agency. Please see Fremont County Weed Control's booklet, "Guideline for Weed Management Plans" for more details such as herbicide rates and specifics about weed control methods.

Fremont County Weed Management is operated by Qualified Licensed Applicators under the Department of Agriculture. Any management or treatment involving chemical treatment should be carried out as indicated on the label. The label is the law. Any information on management planning or about receiving cost share that is available to the public, can be discussed with the department to confirm eligibility.

*These weed species receive priority for cost share funding.

Other Required Action:

The area proposed for planning is known to contain noxious weed species, specifically diffuse knapweed and Canada thistle, which are categorized as List B species. State regulations require these species to be at least contained, with efforts made to eradicate them when possible.

Regular monitoring for noxious weeds will be conducted along the transportation routes used for the project. Soil and materials removed from the site will be inspected for weed species, and any that are found will be properly removed and disposed of. Early detection is crucial to managing infestations and ensuring the site remains healthy.

Machinery used on site will be checked and cleaned as needed to prevent the movement and spread of weed seeds. Heavy traffic and soil disturbances can encourage the growth of new plant species, whether desirable or undesirable. It will be assessed and incorporated with native plant species into reclamation areas as necessary.

Chemical treatments for noxious weeds found on site will be applied as needed by licensed pesticide applicators, taking into account the surrounding plant species and habitat. Should any 'List A' species or large populations of 'List B' species be observed, additional assessments will be conducted.

Fremont County Weed Management can be used as a resource for further information or help in controlling noxious weeds present. (719-276-7317)

Applicant Signature

Owner/Manager Signature

Date

Date

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March 25, 2025

Date



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Integrated Weed Management Plan

Project/Owner Name: Colorado Quarries DATE 3/25/2025

Address (or location of property): Hardship Lodge (W 1987 027)

List of Noxious Weeds and Control Plan:

Noxious Weeds Present Control Measures:

Reference "Guideline for Weed Management Plans April 2015"

State Law requires all landowners to manage noxious weed on their property. The following weeds under Colorado Noxious Weed Act, if present, are considered a threat to the economic and environmental value of our state lands. These listed under the Noxious Weed Act shall be managed under the provisions of this article. The following species under this act have been identified in this county and should be managed in the appropriate manner as mandated throughout the term of the permit and thereafter.

"List A" species - These are rare noxious weed species that are subject to eradication upon confirmed identification during any interval of reclamation to the site. Such List A species confirmed in Fremont County may include, but are not limited to:

*Myrtle Spurge, *Japanese Knotweed, *Giant Reed, *Elongated Mustard, *Cypress Spurge

"List B" species - These are noxious weed species distributed throughout the State of Colorado and are subject to eradication, containment, or suppression in order to halt continued spread. Species identified within Fremont County may include, but are not limited to:

Absinth Wormwood, Black Henbane, Bouncingbet, *Bull Thistle, *Canada Thistle, Common Teasel, *Dalmatian Toadflax, Dame's Rocket, *Diffuse Knapweed, Eurasian Watermilfoil, *Hoary Cress, *Houdstongue, Hybrid Knapweed, Hybrid Toadflax, Jointed Goatgrass, *Leafy Spurge, *Musk Thistle, Oxeye Daisy, Perennial Pepperweed, *Russian Knapweed, Russian-olive, *Salt Cedar, Scentless Chamomile, Scotch Thistle, *Spotted Knapweed, *Yellow Toadflax.

"List C" species - Are well-established noxious weed species and are widespread throughout the State for which control is only recommended. Common species in Fremont County include, but are not limited to:

Chicory, Common Burdock, Common Mullein, Downy Brome, Field Bindweed, Halogeton, Johnsongrass, Perennial Sowthistle, Poison Hemlock, Puncturevine, Redstem Filaree, Siberian Elm, Tree of Heaven