

Hawkesbury River County Council

Noxious Weed List

Weed Control Order 30 Feb 2014

Common Name	Botanical Name	Class	Legal Requirements
African boxthorn	<i>Lycium ferocissimum</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed
African feather grass	<i>Cenchrus macrourus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
African olive	<i>Olea europaea</i> subspecies <i>cuspidata</i> (syn. <i>Olea europaea</i> subspecies <i>africana</i>)	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed
African turnip weed	<i>Sisymbrium runcinatum</i> and <i>S. thellungii</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW.
Alligator weed	<i>Alternanthera philoxeroides</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Anchored water hyacinth	<i>Eichhornia azurea</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Annual ragweed	<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Arrowhead	<i>Sagittaria calycina</i> variety <i>calycina</i> (syn. <i>Sagittaria montevidensis</i> subspecies <i>calycina</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Artichoke thistle	<i>Cynara cardunculus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW.
Asparagus	<i>Asparagus species except A. aethiopicus, A. africanus, A. asparagoides, A. declinatus, A. falcatus, A. macowanii var. zuluensis, A. officinalis, A. plumosus, A. racemosus and A. virgatus</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Asparagus fern	<i>Asparagus virgatus</i> (syn. <i>Protasparagus virgatus</i>)	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant
Athel tree / Athel pine	<i>Tamarix aphylla</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW.
Bear-skin fescue	<i>Festuca gautieri</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Bitou bush	<i>Chrysanthemoides monilifera</i> subspecies <i>rotundata</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant

Black knapweed	<i>Centaurea xmoncktonii</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Black willow	<i>Salix nigra</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Blackberry	<i>Rubus fruticosus aggregate species except cultivars: Black satin; Chehalem; Chester Thornless; Dirksen Thornless; Loch Ness; Murrindindi; Silvan; Smoothstem; Thornfree</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Boneseed	<i>Chrysanthemoides monilifera</i> subspecies <i>monilifera</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Bridal creeper	<i>Asparagus asparagoides</i> (syn. <i>Myrsiphyllum asparagoides</i> , <i>Asparagus medeoloides</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Bridal veil creeper	<i>Asparagus declinatus</i> (syn. <i>Asparagus crispus</i> , <i>Myrsiphyllum declinatum</i>)	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Broad-leaf pepper tree	<i>Schinus terebinthifolius</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant
Broomrapes	<i>Orobanche</i> species except the native <i>O. cernua</i> variety <i>australiana</i> and <i>O. minor</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Burr ragweed	<i>Ambrosia confertiflora</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Cabomba	All <i>Cabomba</i> species except <i>C. furcata</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Cat's claw creeper	<i>Dolichandra unguis-cati</i> (syn. <i>Macfadyena unguis-cati</i>)	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Cayenne snakeweed	<i>Stachytarpheta cayennensis</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Chilean needle grass	<i>Nassella neesiana</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Chinese celtis	<i>Celtis sinensis</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed
Chinese violet	<i>Asystasia gangetica</i> subspecies <i>micrantha</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Climbing asparagus fern	<i>Asparagus africanus</i> (syn. <i>Protasparagus africanus</i>)	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant

Climbing asparagus fern	<i>Asparagus plumosus</i> (syn. <i>Protasparagus plumosus</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Clockweed	<i>Oenothera curtiflora</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Coolatai grass	<i>Hyparrhenia hirta</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Corn sowthistle	<i>Sonchus arvensis</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Dodder	All <i>Cuscuta</i> species except the native species <i>C. australis</i> , <i>C. tasmanica</i> and <i>C. victoriana</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Espartillo	<i>Amelichloa brachychaeta</i> ; <i>A. caudata</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Eurasian water milfoil	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Fine-bristled burr grass	<i>Cenchrus brownii</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Fireweed	<i>Senecio madagascariensis</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Flax-leaf broom	<i>Genista linifolia</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Fountain grass	<i>Cenchrus setaceus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Frogbit / Spongeplant	<i>Limnobium laevigatum</i> and <i>L. spongia</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Gallon's curse	<i>Cenchrus biflorus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Gamba grass	<i>Andropogon gayanus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Giant Parramatta grass	<i>Sporobolus fertilis</i> (syn. <i>Sporobolus indicus</i> variety <i>major</i>)	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Giant reed / Elephant grass	<i>Arundo donax</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Glaucous star thistle	<i>Carthamus glaucus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Golden dodder	<i>Cuscuta campestris</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Golden thistle	<i>Scolymus hispanicus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Gorse	<i>Ulex europaeus</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed

Green cestrum	<i>Cestrum parqui</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed. Whole of NSW
Grey sallow	<i>Salix cinerea</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Ground asparagus	<i>Asparagus aethiopicus</i> (syn. <i>Protasparagus aethiopicus</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Groundsel bush	<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Harrisia cactus	<i>Harrisia</i> species	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Hawkweed	<i>Hieracium</i> species	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Heteranthera / Kidneyleaf mud plantain	<i>Heteranthera reniformis</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Honey locust	<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the
Horsetail	<i>Equisetum</i> species	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Hydrocotyl / Water pennywort	<i>Hydrocotyle ranunculoides</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Hygrophila	<i>Hygrophila costata</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant
Hymenachne	<i>Hymenachne amplexicaulis</i> and hybrids	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Karoo thorn	<i>Vachellia karroo</i> (syn. <i>Acacia karroo</i>)	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Kochia	<i>Bassia scoparia</i> (syn. <i>Kochia scoparia</i>) except <i>B. scoparia</i> subspecies <i>trichophylla</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Koster's curse / Clidemia	<i>Clidemia hirta</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Kudzu	<i>Pueraria lobata</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant
Lagarosiphon	<i>Lagarosiphon major</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Lantana	<i>Lantana</i> species	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Leafy elodea / Dense waterweed / Egeria	<i>Egeria densa</i> (syn. <i>Elodea densa</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Lippia	<i>Phyla canescens</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed except incidentally in hay or lucerne. Whole of NSW
Long-leaf willow primrose	<i>Ludwigia longifolia</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed. Whole of NSW

Ludwigia	<i>Ludwigia peruviana</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Mexican feather grass	<i>Nassella tenuissima</i> (syn. <i>Stipa tenuissima</i>)	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Mexican poppy	<i>Argemone mexicana</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Miconia	<i>Miconia</i> species	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Mikania vine	<i>Mikania micrantha</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant . Whole of NSW
Mimosa	<i>Mimosa pigra</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Ming (Pom pom/Zig zag) asparagus fern	<i>Asparagus macowanii</i> var. <i>zuluensis</i> (syn. <i>A. retrofractus</i>)	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant.
Montpellier broom / Cape broom	<i>Genista monspessulana</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Mossman River grass	<i>Cenchrus echinatus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Mother-of-millions	<i>Bryophyllum daigremontianum</i> (syn. <i>Kalanchoe daigremontiana</i>); <i>B. delagoense</i> (syn. <i>K. delagoense</i> , <i>B. tubiflorum</i> , <i>K. tubiflora</i>); <i>B. xhoughtonii</i> (syn. <i>K. xhoughtonii</i> , <i>B. daigremontianum</i> x <i>B. delagoense</i> , <i>B. daigremontianum</i> x <i>B. tubiflorum</i> , <i>K. remontiana tubiflora</i>); <i>B. pinnatum</i> (syn. <i>K. pinnata</i> , <i>B. calycinum</i>); <i>B. proliferum</i> (syn. <i>K. prolifera</i>)	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Pampas grass	<i>Cortaderia</i> species	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Paper mulberry	<i>Broussonetia papyrifera</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant
Parthenium weed	<i>Parthenium hysterophorus</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Paterson's curse, Vipers bugloss, Italian bugloss	<i>Echium plantagineum</i> , <i>E. vulgare</i> and <i>E. italicum</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Pond apple	<i>Annona glabra</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Prickly acacia	<i>Vachellia nilotica</i> (syn. <i>Acacia nilotica</i>)	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Prickly pear	<i>Cylindropuntiaspecies</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously. Whole of NSW

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Privet (Broad-leaf)	<i>Ligustrum lucidum</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Privet (Narrow-leaf / Chinese)	<i>Ligustrum sinense</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread
Red rice	<i>Oryza rufipogon</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Rhizomatous bamboo	<i>Phyllostachys</i> species	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed
Rhus tree	<i>Toxicodendron succedaneum</i> (syn. <i>Toxicodendron succedanea</i> , <i>Rhus succedanea</i>)	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Rubbervine	<i>Cryptostegia grandiflora</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Sagittaria	<i>Sagittaria platyphylla</i> (syn. <i>Sagittaria graminea</i> variety <i>platyphylla</i>)	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Salvinia	<i>Salvinia molesta</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Scotch broom / English broom	<i>Cytisus scoparius</i> subspecies <i>scoparius</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Senegal tea plant	<i>Gymnocoronis spilanthoides</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Serrated tussock	<i>Nassella trichotoma</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Siam weed	<i>Chromolaena odorata</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Sicklethorn	<i>Asparagus falcatus</i>	2	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant.
Silver-leaf nightshade	<i>Solanum elaeagnifolium</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Smooth-stemmed turnip	<i>Brassica barrelieri</i> subspecies <i>oxyrrhina</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Soldier thistle	<i>Picnomon acarna</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Spotted knapweed	<i>Centaurea stoebe</i> subspecies <i>australis</i> (syn. <i>Centaurea maculosa</i>)	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW

St. John's wort	<i>Hypericum perforatum</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed
Texas blueweed	<i>Helianthus ciliaris</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW
Tropical soda apple	<i>Solanum viarum</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Tussock paspalum	<i>Paspalum quadrifarium</i>	4	The growth of the plant must be managed in a manner that continuously inhibits the ability of the plant to spread and the plant must not be sold,
Water caltrop	<i>Trapa species</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Water hyacinth	<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Water lettuce	<i>Pistia stratiotes</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Water soldier	<i>Stratiotes aloides</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Willows	<i>Salix</i> species except <i>S. babylonica</i> , <i>S. xreichardtii</i> , <i>S. xcalodendron</i> , <i>S. cinerea</i> and <i>S. nigra</i>	4	The plant must not be sold, propagated or knowingly distributed. Whole of NSW
Witchweed	<i>Striga</i> species except the native <i>Striga parviflora</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Yellow bells	<i>Tecoma stans</i>	3	The plant must be continuously suppressed and destroyed
Yellow burrhead	<i>Limnocharis flava</i>	1	The plant must be eradicated from the land and that land must be kept free of the plant. Whole of NSW
Yellow nutgrass	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>	5	The requirements in the Noxious Weeds Act 1993 for a notifiable weed must be complied with. Whole of NSW