



Idaho Weed Control Association

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Dear Lloyd

The Idaho Weed Control Association Board of Directors met on Thursday, May 17. During that meeting, we had a report from a number of individuals who had been in attendance at the hearing related to the Yew species in Idaho earlier in the week. The committee was also provided the four options offered by ISDA staff that had been distributed at the meeting.

The board proposed and supported the following statement:

The Idaho Weed Control Association is opposed to listing the Yew species on the Noxious Weed List of Idaho.

We will wait to see the procedures going forward related to this matter.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick Erickson".

Rick Erickson, President

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