

IDAPA 02.06.09 Rules Governing Invasive Species and Noxious Weeds  
Minutes of May 12, 2023, 9:50 am  
Meeting held via Microsoft Teams Conference

Host/Facilitators: Lloyd Knight – Idaho State Department of Agriculture  
Nicholas Zurfluh- ISDA, Invasive Species  
Jeremy Varley – ISDA, Noxious Weeds  
Andrea Thompson – Idaho State Department of Agriculture  
Chanel Tewalt – Idaho State Department of Agriculture

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Alan Martinson- Latah County Weed Superintendent, Idaho Noxious Weed  
Control Assn, Idaho Assn of Noxious Weed Control Superintendents  
Bonnie Davis- Washington County Weed Superintendent  
Cathy Ford- Idaho Transportation Department  
Chase Youngdahl- Bonner County Weed Superintendent & Idaho Assn. of  
Noxious Weed Control Superintendents  
Jason Lansey- Idaho Department of Lands  
Johnathan Oppenheimer- Idaho Conservation League  
Joshua Uriarte- Idaho Office of Species Conservation  
Kali Sherrill- Twin Falls County Weed Superintendent  
Liz Hatter- Food NW and Far West Agribusiness Assoc.  
Kelly Aberasturi- Owyhee County Weed Superintendent  
Paxti Larrocea Phillips- Idaho Noxious Weed Control Association  
Paul Arrington- Idaho Water Users Association  
Jennifer Skeldon- State Biologist NRCS  
Michael Stephenson- Idaho Power  
Mitch Whitmill- Jefferson County Weed Superintendent  
Bryce Fowler- Fremont County Weed Superintendent

Department Staff: Dallas Burkhalter – Deputy Attorney General  
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Abbie Broersma- ISDA, Invasive Species, SE Tech 3  
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Llyod Knight opened meeting at 9:49 am and outlined the rulemaking process and meeting expectations.

Nicholas Zurfluh reviewed:

- Subchapter A. Invasive Species. Updated link for Wildland Firefighter website. Update to the Invasive Species list.

Jeremy Varley reviewed:

- Subchapter B. Noxious Weeds. Cogon grass permanently be added to Invasive list. Removal of Buffalobur.
  - Mr. Oppenheimer expressed a question regarding adding Japanese U to the Invasive list.
  - Mr. Knight followed stated that over lots of discussion the Japanese U does not follow under noxious weed law.
  - Mrs. Tewalt provided intel about access to the written analysis of rule making effort that can be found on the website.
  - Mr. Youngdahl states that Idaho Association of Noxious Weed superintendent supports cod on grass.
- Subchapter C. No changes.

No other comments were offered by stakeholders.

Mr. Knight advised comments being accepted through June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Meeting adjourned at 10:32 am.