**PACIFIC COUNTY**

**NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL BOARD**

Public Hearing & Special Meeting

5:00 P.M. Tuesday, February 12, 2019

1216 W. Robert Bush Drive, South Bend, WA 98586

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order: Public Hearing.
2. 2019 Pacific County Noxious Weed List.
	1. Public Comment.
	2. Changes to the State Weed List which will affect Pacific County:
		1. Brazilian elodea (*Egeria densa)* designated for control in P.C.
		2. Updates to scientific names
			1. Kochia: *Kochia scoparia* to *Bassia scoparia.*
			2. Leafy spurge: *Euphorbia* *esula* to *Euphorbia* *virgate.*
			3. Himalayan knotweed: *Polygonum polystachyum* to *Persicaria wallichii.*
			4. Tansy ragwort: *Senecio jacobaea* to *Jacobaea vulgaris.*
			5. Russian knapweed: *Acroptilon repens* to *Rhaponticum repens.*
	3. Proposed 2019 Pacific County noxious weed list contains all weeds listed by the Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board (Attachment A), and the following species which are classified as “County Select” weeds.
		1. Class B selects for 2019:
			1. Gorse (*Ulex europaeus*)
			2. Tansy ragwort (*Jacobaea vulgaris*)
			3. Scotch broom (*Cytisus scoparius*) (on public R.O.W.)
			4. Purple loosestrife (*Lythrum salicaria*)
			5. Policeman’s helmet (*Impatiens glandulifera*)
			6. Lesser celandine *(Ficaria verna*)
			7. Knotweed, (4) types: Japanese (*Polygonum* *cuspidatum)*, Himalayan *(Persicaria wallichii)*, Bohemian (*Polygonum x bohemicum)*, and Giant (*Polygonum sachalinense).*

\*Designation ONLY applies to knotweed within 200 feet of mean high-water mark along designated waterbodies, limited to: Willapa River, North Nemah River, Naselle River, Salmon Creek, Baker’s Bay, and Willapa Bay.

1. Close Public Hearing.
2. Call to Order: Noxious Weed Control Board Special Meeting.
3. Discussion: 2019 Noxious Weed List.
4. Adjournment.