

# Weed and Brush Control Agreement



This Weed and Brush Control Agreement is for developing a proactive management plan with the help of Agricultural Service Board Staff to reduce weeds and brush in the County's right-of-way (ROW).

## Part 1: Landowner Information

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Locations for Weed and Brush Control Agreement (Legal land locations)

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## Part 2: Acknowledgement

I acknowledge my duty to maintain the portion of the roadside right-of-way that lies between the boundary of my property and the center line of the road, free from all encroaching brush, noxious and prohibited noxious weeds.

I understand that if any encroaching brush, noxious or prohibited noxious weeds persist within the County of St. Paul No. 19 right-of-way and are determined by the Agricultural Fieldman or his designate to be unacceptable, then the owner/occupant of the adjacent "Weed and Brush Control" area will have until the

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to control the right-of-way or the County will assume nothing will be done and will control the right-of-way. It will be up the landowner to contact the County to arrange for other means. **(Call Keith at 780-645-0154 or Warren at 780-646-0120)** Failing which, the County of St. Paul No. 19 may take whatever steps it deems appropriate to control those weeds, which may include herbicide application.

I understand that the County of St. Paul No. 19 right-of-ways shall not be used as a non-pesticide buffer zone. Yards and environmentally sensitive areas will not be sprayed. Spraying will follow the Environmental code of practices for pesticides

"Weed and Brush Control" signs must be posted on all of corners of the property on or before May 1st by the owner or occupant to ensure the property is not sprayed. These signs can be picked up at the County of St. Paul Public Works Shop from the ASB Office. If no signs are posted, the land may be sprayed.

This Agreement must be signed every year on or before May 1st to ensure no spraying is done on the right-of-way by the property.

**Part 3: Ownership**

I own the land indicated in this agreement **YES NO**

Does the landowner know about this agreement **YES NO**

Landowners Name and Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner contacted by ASB Staff **YES NO**

If the land is not owned what is your interest in the land

- Rental/Lease
- Family
- Other-please indicate \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 4: Weed Control**

Weeds will grow in the ROW. Some of these will be regulated and some can hamper the line of sight of motorists. What will you do to manage these weeds?

- Mow
- Hand Pick
- Other- please indicate \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 5: Brush Control**

Brush will grow in the ROW. What will you do to control Brush so that the ROW is kept clear of brush?

- Mow
- Chainsaw
- Other-please indicate \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 6: Area for Agreement**

- Total area indicated on page 1
- Acreage on land indicated on page 1
- Other-please indicate \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 7: Declaration**

I declare that I understand the rules in the weed and brush control agreement and will maintain my ROW weed and brush free

Landowner: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Landowner: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Agriculture Service Board Staff: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_