# Nuisance Weed Control



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### **Policy Purpose**

To bring awareness to the County of Grande Prairie No. 1 residents that the County will not enforce the control of nuisance weeds not regulated by the Weed Control Act within the County of Grande Prairie No.1.

#### **Policy Statement**

Due to spatial and economic complexity of controlling such weeds, the County of Grande Prairie No. 1 has chosen not to develop an enforcement program for nuisance weeds as it is outside the scope of the Weed Control Act (2008).

#### **Definitions**

"Nuisance Weeds" are dandelions, or any plant not regulated by the Weed Control Act of 2008.

#### **Policy Guidelines**

1. Nuisance weeds that are widespread across the province and are no longer classified under the Weed Control Act (2008). They are found on nearly all land, and while they do cause some economic losses, controlling their future spread is virtually impossible since they already occupy every area to which they are biologically suited.

#### **Attachments**

N/A

#### References

Legal Authorities	Weed Control Act (2008)
Related Plans, Bylaws, Policies, Etc.	Policy B1 – Policy Development
Other	N/A





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