



Noxious Weed Control Board

- Chair:** Gene Little
- Vice-Chair:** Martin Casey
- Terms of Office:** 4 years for voting members. Terms end every two years with three expiring at one time and two the next. Members shall serve until their replacements are appointed.
- Members:** Six. Five voting members by section of the county. One non-voting member who shall be the Chief County Extension Agent or an extension agent appointed by the Chief County Extension Agent.
- Meetings:** Last Tuesday with July and December as exceptions.
- Staff Contact:** Rick Johnson, coordinator, Noxious Weed Control
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- Board Duties:** Administration of weed program including enforcement of noxious weed control laws
- Qualifications of Board members:** Residents of the section. At least four of the voting members shall be engaged in the primary production of agricultural products.
- Appoints by:** The Board of County Commissioners. New members of the Board shall be appointed at least 30 days prior to the expiration of any Board member's term of office. The appointment process requires publication of a notice of expiration of term, written application, including ten signatures of registered voters in the section, a hearing by the Noxious Weed Control Board, recommendation of most qualified candidates by the Noxious Weed Control Board, and the posting of the nominees in the Courthouse and in the section.
- Vacancies filled by:** BOCC appoints a qualified person to fill the unexpired term.
- Authority:** RCW 17.10.050
- Compensation:** None