

# Uintah County Weed Department

## Rules and Regulations

### Attachment A

### Fee Schedule for 2011

The following programs are available for the exclusive benefit and use of those who possess or control land in Uintah County. Please refer to the *Uintah County Weed Control Rules and Regulations* for important information pertaining to this Fee Schedule.

A copy of this fee schedule is available at the Uintah County Weed Department at 364 South 1500 East, Vernal or on the Weed Department's web site at [www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html](http://www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html)

### Noxious Weed Control Spray Service Fees

Individuals, businesses, or government entities that own or control land in Uintah County may contract with the Weed Department for noxious weed control according to the following fee schedule:

#### BASIC FEES

- **Spray Unit Fee:** \$100.00 per hour
- (A spray unit consists of a maximum of: Two employees, one truck w/spray unit, one trailer, and one ATV w/spray unit.)
- **Herbicide Costs:** Current years bid price (prices vary per herbicide)

#### DISCOUNTS

- **Private landowners:** 50% off the total cost of spray unit and chemicals.
- **Canal companies:** 50% off the total cost of spray unit and chemicals.
- **Federal, State, Tribal agencies:** 25% off the total cost of spray unit and chemicals.
- **County Government entities:** Cost of chemicals only.
- A minimum labor fee of \$50 plus 50% of "Herbicide Cost" shall be charged to all site visits where herbicides are applied.

### Retail Herbicide Cost-Share Program

Private landowners and canal companies, who possess or control land in Uintah County, Utah, may qualify for a reimbursement of 50% of the cost of herbicides purchased for private, non-commercial weed control. Government entities and commercial applicators are not eligible for this program. To be eligible for reimbursement, participants must:

- Possess or control at least five acres of land in Uintah County (canal companies are exempt)
- Purchase qualifying herbicides from any licensed herbicide vendor;
- Turn in a copy of their herbicide purchase receipts to the Weed Department. Receipts may be turned in to the Weed Department during normal business hours, Monday through Thursday, 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Reimbursement checks will be processed at the end of each month. Receipts turned in after the last Monday of each month may be included in the following months reimbursements.

**Private landowners:** 50% of the herbicide cost up to a maximum of \$300.00 annually.

**Private Canal Companies:** 50% of the herbicide cost up to a maximum of \$1,000.00 annually.

**Qualifying herbicides:** Only certain herbicides qualify for reimbursement under this program. A list of qualifying herbicides is available at the Uintah County Weed Department at 364 South 1500 East, Vernal or on the County web site at <http://www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html>

To avoid competition with private businesses, the Weed Department does not sale any herbicide. **EXCEPTION:** Plateau herbicide may only be obtained through licensed government agents.

Herbicides purchased through this program may not be used by Weed Department personnel to perform contracted labor. All reimbursement requests are subject to funding for this program and shall be subject to review by the Weed Supervisor.

### **Spray Unit Cost-Share Program**

Uintah County citizens possessing or controlling property in Uintah County, Utah, may purchase any spray unit with a capacity of 3 gallons or larger and receive a 25% rebate up to \$100 from the Weed Department. Limit one rebate per household every 3 years. All rebates are subject to funding for this program. Simply complete the form and attach a copy of the sales receipt for the spray unit purchase and turn it in to the Weed Department by November 30<sup>th</sup>.

A *Herbicide Spray unit Cost-Share Form* is available at the Uintah County Weed Department at 364 South 1500 East, Vernal or on the County web site at <http://www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html>

### **Herbicide Spray Equipment Rental Program**

Any adult citizen of Uintah County may rent available spray equipment from the Weed Department to spray herbicides on weeds within the County. Rental equipment may not be used to spray any substance other than EPA approved herbicide and associated surfactant's. Rental equipment may not be used for commercial herbicide applications. A rental agreement, deposit, and daily fee may be required to rent spray equipment. Rental agreements are available at [www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html](http://www.uintahweeds.org/programs.html) or at the Weed Department.

#### **AVAILABLE EQUIPMENT**

- 24 gallon saddle tank ATV spray unit
- 50 gallon skid mount spray unit

**Maximum rental period:** Seven (7) consecutive days

**Deposit:** \$100 by personal check only. May be partially or fully refundable.

**Daily Fee:** None

**Late Fee:** \$10 per day. Friday/Saturday/Sunday & holidays counts as one day.

**Damage Fee:** Forfeiture of part or all of deposit