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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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LEGAL NOTICE FOR *SPARTINA* TREATMENT IN WESTERN WASHINGTON

The Washington state department of agriculture (WSDA) is hereby notifying the affected public that the herbicides imazapyr and glyphosate may be used to control invasive *Spartina* grass species between June 1 and November 30, 2024.

Licensed pesticide applicators operating under WSDA's NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) state waste discharge general permit may apply these products in the following locations: Grays Harbor, Hood Canal, Willapa Bay, Puget Sound, the north and west sides of the Olympic Peninsula, and the mouth of the Columbia River.

For more information, including locations of possible application sites or information on *Spartina*, contact WSDA *Spartina* control program, phone 1-800-443-6684, email pestprogram@agr.wa.gov, or website <https://agr.wa.gov/departments/insects-pests-and-weeds/weeds/spartina>; or write WSDA *Spartina* program, P.O. Box 42560, Olympia, WA 98504-2560.

The Washington state department of ecology number for reporting concerns about *Spartina* treatments is 360-407-6600.