Weed identification and control support for landholders affected by 2022 high flow events

Landholders experiencing outbreaks of weeds as a result of high flow events can access free advisory services to help identify species and find out how to best manage them. Free loan equipment, herbicides and control services may also be available for landholders with outbreaks of priority weed species on their properties.

The Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board's district officers provide support to landholders, shack owners and primary producers by helping to identify potential weed species and provide advice about available control options. Landholders are encouraged to be on the lookout for emerging weeds, including unfamiliar weed species which may have travelled down river via flood waters.

Support to help landowners identify and control weeds

District officers from the Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board are able to provide a free advisory service to help landholders identify weeds and find the best control strategies.

Many weed species are declared and prohibited from movement on public roads. Landholders are encouraged to drop into their local landscape office with relevant images of suspect weeds but should not transport weed samples, even for the purposes of identification.

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Resources to help landholders identify weeds can also be found on the Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board website, and best-practise control options can be found on the PIRSA website.

Weed management equipment and services for the control of priority species

Through our Weed Warriors of our Waterways project, the Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board is able to loan equipment and provide herbicides without cost to landholders to control priority weed species. Landholders may also be eligible to have weed incursions controlled by a district officer or contractor without charge.

District officers are required to formally identify weeds as a priority weed species, and can then work with landholders to determine the most effective plan. To find out more about these services, contact your local landscape office and ask to speak to a district officer.

Priority weed species include:



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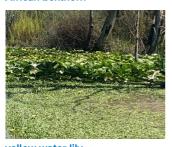
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African boxthorn



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yellow water lily



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Scan the QR code or visit <u>landscape.sa.gov.au/mr</u> to find out more about the services available to help landholders fighting weed incursions.

To find out more about weed identification or to seek advice and support from a district officer, contact your local landscape office.

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