

Cass County Weed Control Board  
Cass County Weed Control Office  
1201 Main Ave W, West Fargo  
Monday, June 10, 2024

9:00 AM Meeting called to order.  
Roll call of the members  
Approve minutes of previous meeting  
Approve order of agenda

Agenda

1. Budget Report
  - a. Monthly Financial Statements Information/action
  - b. Approval of bills Information/action
  
2. New Business
  - a. 2025 Budget Information/action
  
  - b. Other
  
3. Monthly Progress Report Information
  
4. Upcoming events Information

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## **Weed Control Progress Report**

June 3rd, 2024

Period from May 14 to June 9, 2024,

submitted by Kyle Aasand

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### **New Business:**

**2025 Proposed Budget:** The 2025 proposed Weed Control Budget is to be submitted to the Finance Office by June 30, 2024. Inflation and supply issues are the great unknown for forecasting budget numbers concerning herbicide and contractor costs. The current mill levy is 1.2 mills. We will have a proposed budget for your consideration at the meeting.

*Action: Discussion and approval of budget and mill levy.*

### **Monthly Report:**

**NDSU Noxious Weed Research Specialist Update:** Mr. Wolf is on the selection committee for the NDSU Noxious Research Specialist position. Several candidates have been interviewed and screened for on campus interviews. On campus interviews are scheduled for the weeks of May 27-31, and June 3-7, 2024.

**Seasonal field aid position hired.** Justin Smith has been hired as the seasonal field aid position and started as of May 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Weed Spraying** Staff applied herbicide in the swimming beach area and along the fishing docks at the County Campgrounds at Brewer Lak. No other spraying activities have been conducted due to wind, rain, and high temperatures. Staff are scouting the countryside for Leafy spurge and other weed infestations.

The season's supply of herbicides have been delivered to the contractors Walker's Lawncare and J&J Spraying. They are ready to spray when conditions are favorable.

**Upcoming Events:**

Cass Co Weed Board meeting	June 10, West Fargo
NDWCA Board Meeting	June 25, Mandan
Cass Co Weed Board meeting	July 8, West Fargo
Northern Plains Weed Management Symposium	August 20-22, Washburn