



NOTICE

PROPERTY OWNERS DESTROY NOXIOUS WEEDS

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in possession of land, in accordance with the Weed Control Act, R.S.O. 1990 Chapter W.5, Sections 3, 16 and 23 that unless noxious weeds growing on their lands within the Municipality of the City of Port Colborne are destroyed by the date of **JUNE 1, 2017** and throughout the season, the Municipality may enter upon the said lands and have the weed destroyed.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the expenses incurred by the Municipality shall be deemed to be taxes and shall be added to the Tax Collector's Roll against the respective parcels concerned and collected in the same manner and with the same priorities as municipal taxes.

NOXIOUS WEEDS

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| 1. Barberry, common | 13. Knapweed spp. |
| 2. Bedstraw, smooth | 14. Kudzu |
| 3. Buckthorn, European | 15. Parsnip, wild |
| 4. Chervil, wild | 16. Poison-hemlock |
| 5. Coltsfoot | 17. Poison-ivy |
| 6. Crupina, common | 18. Ragweed spp. |
| 7. Cupgrass, woolly | 19. Ragwort, tansy |
| 8. Dodder spp. | 20. Sow-thistle spp. |
| 9. Dog- strangling vine | 21. Spurge, cypress |
| 10. Dog-strangling vine, black | 22. Spurge, leafy |
| 11. Goatgrass, jointed | 23. Thistle, bull |
| 12. Hogweed, giant | 24. Thistle, Canada |
| | 25. Tussock, serrated |

PLEASE NOTE

DANDELIONS AND GOLDENROD ARE NOT CONSIDERED NOXIOUS WEEDS

IN URBAN AREAS

Sections 3, 13, 16, 18 and 23 of the Weed Control Act do not apply to noxious weeds or weed seeds that are far enough away from any land used for agricultural or horticultural purposes as they do not interfere with that use.

However, The City of Port Colborne By-law No. 6329/09/16, which also regulates grasses/weeds, which applies to all properties within the City and are therefore requested to be in compliance with the Lot Maintenance By-law by June 1st and throughout the season until October 31st.

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