

# New England Weeds Authority Walcha Council

## Pesticide Notification Plan 2020/2021 Season

**Purpose of Herbicide Use:  
Control of Priority Weeds/Roadside Maintenance Programs**

### Council Area: **Walcha**

Month	Weeds Treated	Areas Treated	Herbicide Used
<b>July/August 2020</b>	Narrow & Broad Leaf Privet	Urban Roads and Parks	Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX'
<b>September 2020</b>	Total Grass Control	Rural/State Roads Roadside Furniture	Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900'
	Bindyi and Broad Leafs	Urban and Rural Parks and Sporting Fields	Apparent 'Ravage'
<b>October 2020</b>	Total Grass Control	Roadside Furniture Rural/State/Urban Roads Cemeteries Urban Fence lines Paved Streets Blair's Gully	Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900' OR Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX'
	Bindyi and Broad Leafs	Urban and Rural Parks and Sporting Fields	Apparent 'Ravage'
	Nodding Thistle Saffron Thistle Paterson's Curse	Rural/Urban Roads	Dow Agrosiences 'Grazon Extra'
<b>November 2020</b>	Nodding Thistle St Johns Wort Vipers Bugloss	Rural/Urban Roads	Dow Agrosiences 'Grazon Extra' OR Dow Agrosiences 'Starane Advanced'
	Total Grass Control	Roadside Furniture Rural /State/Urban Roads	Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900'
	Eucalypt and Wattle Suckers	Rural/State Roads Road verges and drains	Apparent 'Bow Saw 600' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wetter 1000' OR Dow Agrosiences 'Grazon

			<i>Extra</i>
<b>December 2020</b>	St Johns Wort Blackberry Sweet Briar Vipers Bugloss Nodding Thistle Environmental Weeds	Rural Roads Aerodrome	Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Starane Advanced</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '
	St Johns Wort	Urban Areas	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Starane Advanced</i> '
<b>January 2021</b>	St Johns Wort Blackberry Sweet Briar Vipers Bugloss Environmental Weeds	Rural Roads	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '
	African Lovegrass Coolatai Grass	Rural Roads	Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> '
	St Johns Wort	Urban Areas	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Starane Advanced</i> '
<b>February 2021</b>	Blackberry Sweet Briar St Johns Wort Nodding Thistle Environmental Weeds	Rural Roads	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '
	African Lovegrass Coolatai Grass	Rural Roads	Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> '
<b>March 2021</b>	Blackberry & Sweet Briar Environmental Weeds	Rural Roads Water Supply Reservoirs & Treatment Facilities	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '
<b>April 2021</b>	Blackberry & Sweet Briar Environmental Weeds	Urban Areas Commons, Villages Rural Roads	Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> ' OR Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> ' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> '

	African Lovegrass Coolatai Grass	Rural Roads	Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX'
<b>May 2021</b>	Blackberry & Sweet Briar Environmental Weeds	Rural Roads	Apparent ' <i>Bow Saw 600</i> ' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' OR Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '

The weed species controlled in this plan are part of the New England Weeds Authority's program to prevent the spread of Priority Weeds and undesirable vegetation within the Walcha Council area and to maintain the roads and urban areas within a managed framework.

## Definitions

**Total Grass Control:** Carried out around guideposts, guard rails and signage to prevent long grass interfering with furniture visibility. On RMS roads this work is carried out as per RMS standards.

**Eucalypt and Wattle Suckers control:** Carried out along road verges, drainage lines and general service areas to prevent visibility interference for road users. Small tree re growth is targeted to maintain these areas in their current condition.

**Environmental Weeds:** Species such as Privet, Cotoneaster, Firethorn and Hawthorn are treated as part of the roadside maintenance program. These plants produce prolific amounts of small berries that are spread by birds and foxes and have the potential to form dense roadside stands if left unchecked.

## Contacts

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