

New England Weeds Authority Walcha Council

Pesticide Notification Plan 2021/2022 Season

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

Council Area: Walcha Council

Month	Weeds Treated	Areas Treated	Herbicide Used
July/August 2021	Narrow & Broad Leaf Privet	Urban Roads and Parks	Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX'
September 2021	Total Grass Control Bindyi and Broad Leafs	Rural/State Roads Roadside Furniture Urban and Rural Parks and Sporting Fields	Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900' Apparent 'Ravage'
October 2021	Total Grass Control Bindyi and Broad Leafs Nodding Thistle Saffron Thistle Paterson's Curse	Roadside Furniture Rural/State/Urban Roads Cemeteries Urban Fence lines Paved Streets Blair's Gully Urban and Rural Parks and Sporting Fields Rural/Urban Roads	Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900' OR Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Apparent 'Ravage' Dow Agrosiences 'Grazon Extra'
November 2021	Nodding Thistle St Johns Wort Vipers Bugloss Total Grass Control Eucalypt and Wattle Suckers	Rural/Urban Roads Roadside Furniture Rural /State/Urban Roads Rural/State Roads Road verges and drains	Dow Agrosiences 'Grazon Extra' OR Dow Agrosiences 'Starane Advanced' Apparent 'Shatter' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wilt 700' or 'Kombo 900' Apparent 'Bow Saw 600' Sinochem 'RoundUp UltraMAX' Alphakem 'Wetter 1000' OR

			Dow Agrosiences ' <i>Grazon Extra</i> '
December 2021	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> '
January 2022	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> '
February 2022	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> '
March 2022	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> '
April 2022	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> '

	African Lovegrass Coolatai Grass	Rural Roads	Alphakem ' <i>Wetter 1000</i> ' Sinochem ' <i>RoundUp UltraMAX</i> '
May 2022	Blackberry & Sweet Briar 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> '

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.

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