



**West Multnomah Early Detection and Rapid Response (EDRR) Treatment
Species List (Updated October 2024)**

Species the EDRR Program is Actively Targeting for Treatment

Scientific name	Common name	Treatment Areas
<i>Alliaria petiolata</i>	garlic mustard	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County (in collaboration with other partners)
<i>Brachypodium sylvaticum</i>	false brome	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Centaurea calcitrapa</i> & <i>C. solstitialis</i>	purple & yellow starthistle	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Daphne laureola</i>	spurge laurel	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Euphorbia oblongata</i>	oblong spurge	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Galega officinalis</i>	goatsrue	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Heracleum mantegazzianum</i>	giant hogweed	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County (in collaboration with other partners))
<i>Hieracium aurantiacum</i>	orange hawkweed	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Impatiens glandulifera</i> , <i>Impatiens balfourii</i>	policemen's helmet, Balfour's balsam	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Ludwigia peploides</i> and <i>L. hexapetala</i>	aquatic/water primrose	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County (in collaboration with other partners)
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	purple loosestrife	In priority Tualatin tributaries, and inside Sauvie Island levees and Scappoose Bay
<i>Phragmites australis</i> var. <i>australis</i>	common reed	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County (in collaboration with partners) Currently treating along the Multnomah Channel & Linnton
<i>Phytolacca americana</i>	pokeweed	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Polygonum</i> spp. (<i>P. cuspidatum</i> , <i>P. polystachyum</i> , <i>P. sachalinense</i> , and hybrids)	Japanese, Himalayan, giant, and hybrid knotweeds	In riparian zones in targeted watersheds (Tryon, McCarthy, Balch, Rock, Crabapple and Miller), as well as Sauvie Island
<i>Pueraria lobata</i>	kudzu	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Silybum marianum</i>	milk thistle	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County
<i>Ulex europaeus</i>	gorse	Wherever found in unincorporated Multnomah County

The following species we are currently monitoring locations and treatments for species to assess viable control options and extent*

Scientific name	Common name	Limited Treatments or Reporting
<i>Amorpha fruticosa</i>	indigo bush	Sauvie Island - Discontinued treatment after survey showed abundant extent. Monitoring on Sturgeon Lake, with select treatments in conjunction with Dairy Creek reconnection work.
<i>Anthriscus sylvestris</i>	wild chervil	Monitoring populations near Forest Park and in Abbey Creek; Conducting limited control.
<i>Arum italicum</i>	Italian arum	Abundantly found in landscaped areas and been observed infesting natural areas - many agencies finding difficulty in controlling this species. Select areas flagged for treatment, including conservation project areas.
<i>Carex pendula</i>	Drooping sedge	Mapping and monitoring populations across District. Priority for control in Tualatin Basin.
<i>Celastrus orbiculatus</i>	Oriental bittersweet	Monitor any locations where it is found, possibly treat
<i>Centaruea stoebe, Centaruea x moncktonii & C. diffusa</i>	Spotted, meadow and diffuse knapweeds	Monitoring populations of spotted knapweed (NW Front Ave) and diffuse knapweed (Sauvie Island). Meadow knapweed more of a priority.
<i>Egeria densa</i>	Brazilian elodea	Monitoring population inside the levee system on Sauvie Island.
<i>Iris pseudacorus</i>	yellow flag iris	Monitoring in Tualatin Drainage in unincorporated Multnomah County.
<i>Linaria dalmatica & L. vulgaris</i>	dalmatian & yellow toadflax	Monitoring populations on Sauvie Island and NW Front Ave.
<i>Petasites japonicus</i>	butterbur	Treating patches in Willamette watershed on edge of Forest Park. Monitoring other patches.
<i>Ranunculus ficaria</i>	lesser celandine	Abundantly found in landscaped areas and have been observed infesting natural areas. Considered EDRR on Sauvie Island.
<i>Silene vulgaris</i>	Bladder campion	Monitor any locations where it is found, possibly treat

*monitoring may include surveys, mapping, treatment and/or anecdotal observations.

The species and locations selected for treatment and monitoring are a result of state and local designations, observations and annual analysis of infestations by 4 County Cooperative Weed Management Area partner organizations.