

**PROJECT APPLICATION**  
**APPLICANT NAME**

(Remove all blue text prior to submission, applications should not exceed 2 pages – Arial 12 point font)

**I. Project Overview (FAC 7272.5)**

Project Goals and Objectives (check all that apply):

- Increase the profitability and value of crop land and rangeland
- Decrease the costs of roadside, park, and waterway maintenance
- Reduce the fire hazard and fire control costs in the state
- Protect the biodiversity of native ecosystems
- Maintain the recreational and aesthetic value of open space, recreational, and public areas
- Increase water supply and flow

Project Activities (check all that apply):

- Operation of programs by the county agricultural commissioner for control of noxious weeds along county roads and other local government owned property
- Matching funds for control of noxious weeds on city owned streets, parks, rights-of-way, and other public areas
- Disseminating biological control agents by the county agricultural commissioner for the long-term control of yellow starthistle or other noxious weeds
- Abatement of noxious weed infestations on land vital to the success of the program

**II. Project Plan**

**Weed Species to be Controlled:** Include weed species and why they were selected

**Methodology:** Include early detection survey, mapping, reporting, outreach, etc., describe how any control/mapping will be performed. Also include the status of any permits or CEQA documents.

**Location(s):** Location maps should be included. Location must be inside the state of California.

**Weed Removal/Control Techniques(s):** Describe weed removal methods. Identify all control methods and include a list of herbicides that will be used. Describe any potential challenges that applicant foresees to project implementation and provide plans to avoid or overcome them.

**III. Reporting**

Grant recipients will be required to submit a mid-year report to CDFA documenting a visual representation of the project's progress on October 15, 2023, and October 15, 2024.

Final project reports are required 30 days after project completion, no later than July 31, 2025. Final project reports should include detailed information on project results and include photos of field work showing progress (before/after photos).