

Private Property Weed Eradication Enforcement RFB Madison County, IA

LEGAL BASIS

Iowa Code 317.6 authorizes county entry onto private land to destroy weeds after notice. Iowa Code 317.21 authorizes recovery of costs from landowners. (Cited in sources.)

SCOPE OF SERVICES

The Contractor shall provide on-call weed eradication on private properties in violation of Iowa Code Chapter 317. Work includes hand cutting, mowing, and spot herbicide spraying targeting noxious weeds defined under Iowa Code 317.1A.

METHODS

- Hand Cutting/Brush Removal
- Mowing for seed suppression
- Spot herbicide application compliant with IDALS licensing standards (IAC 21-45.22).

REPORTING

Daily logs including parcel, GPS, method, herbicide details, weather, and timing. Weekly summary to Weed Commissioner.

QUALIFICATIONS

Contractor must have IDALS Commercial Applicator Certification (Core + Category 6) and Company License.

UNIT PRICES

- Hand Cutting / Brush Removal: \$/hour per crew
- Mowing: \$/acre or \$/hour
- Spot-Spray Herbicide: \$/acre treated
- Herbicide Materials: cost plus markup
- Mobilization: \$ per order

PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

- 90% weed reduction within 30–45 days
- Zero off-target damage
- Accurate logs required

OVERSIGHT

Work directed by County Weed Commissioner.