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County Council acknowledges that County staff must act upon Notices to Remedy Weed Problem (weed notices) that are not complied with.

In situations where an occupant or owner of land fails to comply with a weed notice, the County will:

- 1. hire a private contractor to carry out the actions required under the weed notice, or;
- complete the work with its own equipment and manpower if a private contractor is unable, as deemed by the County Agricultural Fieldman or his designate, to complete the work in a timely fashion. The rates charged for County equipment and manpower are as follows:

Quad and operator\$ 60.00 per hour (plus mileage)1-ton and operator\$ 100.00 per hour (plus mileage)Slide in sprayer and operator\$ 60.00 per hour (plus mileage)Backpack and operator\$ 50.00 per hour (plus mileage)

The equipment and manpower rates noted above will be charged from the time the equipment leaves the County shop until the time it returns.

Mileage will be charged out as per the kilometre rate as established by Council from time to time.

In accordance with the Weed Control Act, all expensed incurred by the County in carrying out the actions required under the weed notice will be charged to the owner of the land of which the work was carried out.

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