



Kitsap County

Noxious Weed Control Program

Q1 Regular Meeting
Thursday, January 30, 2025

Agenda

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. PUBLIC COMMENT
3. PUBLIC HEARING – adoption of 2025 noxious weed list
4. PROGRAM UPDATES
5. GENERAL BUSINESS
6. ADJOURNMENT

Call to Order

- *Quorum*
- *Agenda Review*
- *Conflicts of Interest*



Public Comment

General Comments for the Board



Please keep comments under two minutes.

Public Hearing

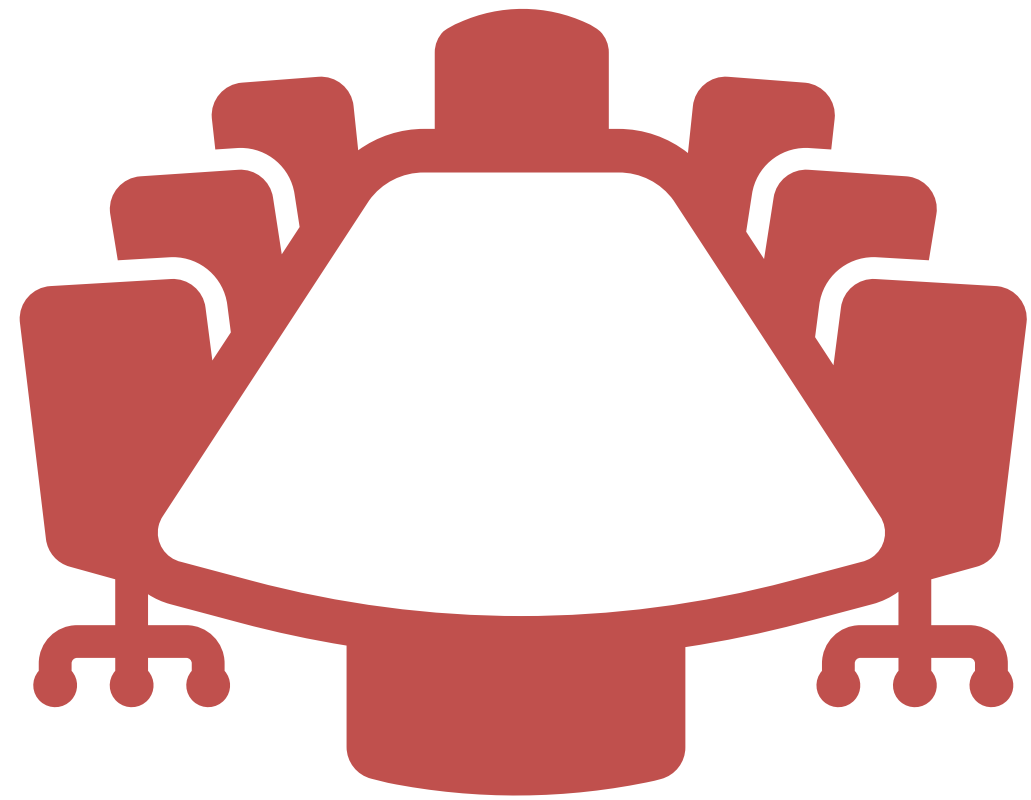
On the adoption of the 2025 Kitsap County Noxious Weed List



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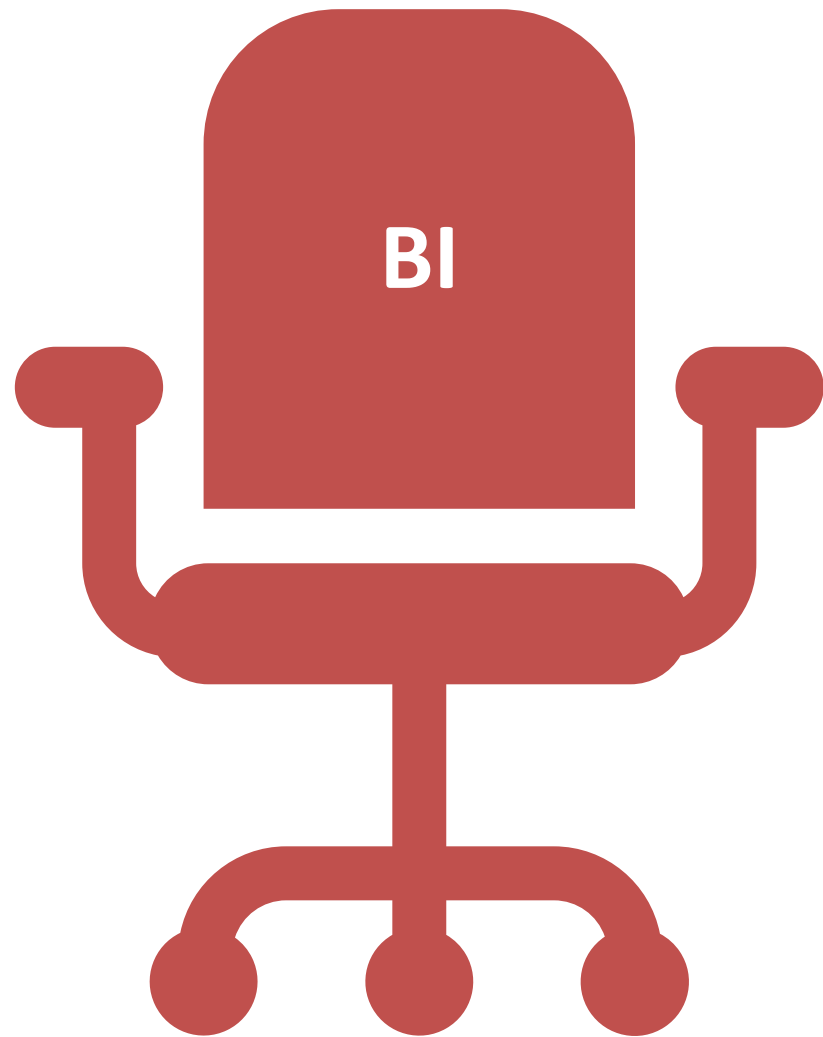
Program Updates



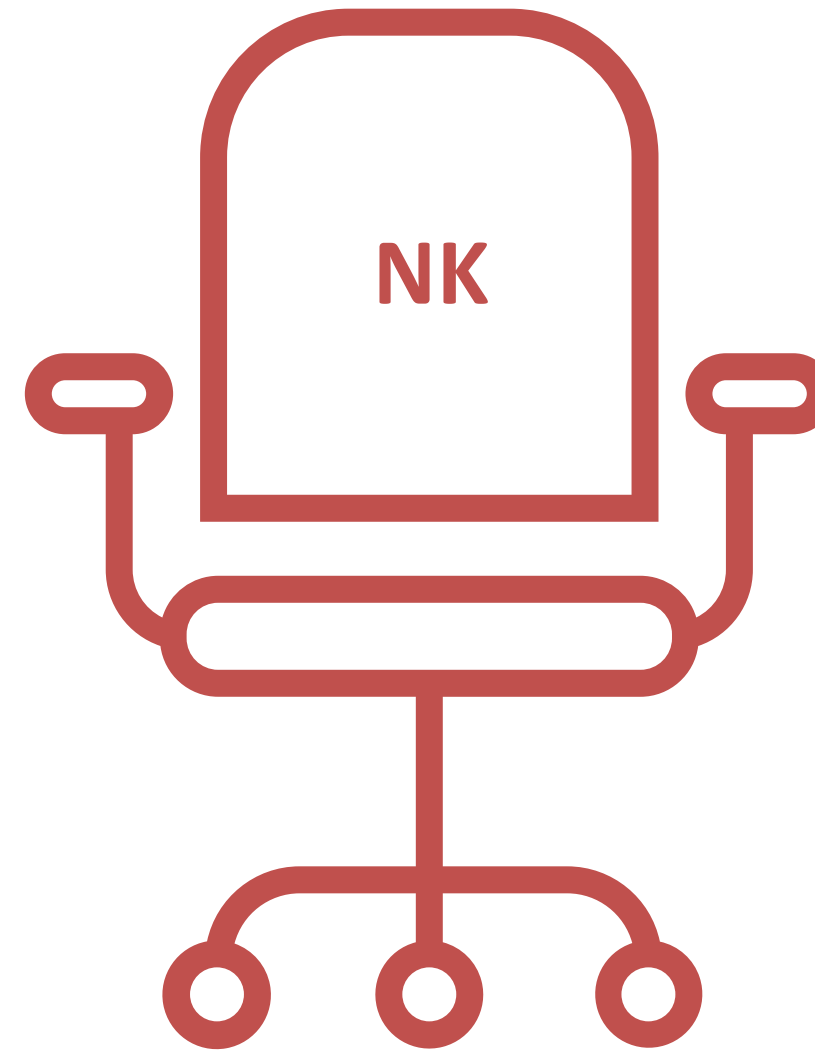
Board Positions

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Bainbridge Island – Filled
To be appointed Feb. 10



North Kitsap – Open
Seeking candidates in agriculture production



Interagency Collaboration



**Washington State
Department of Transportation**

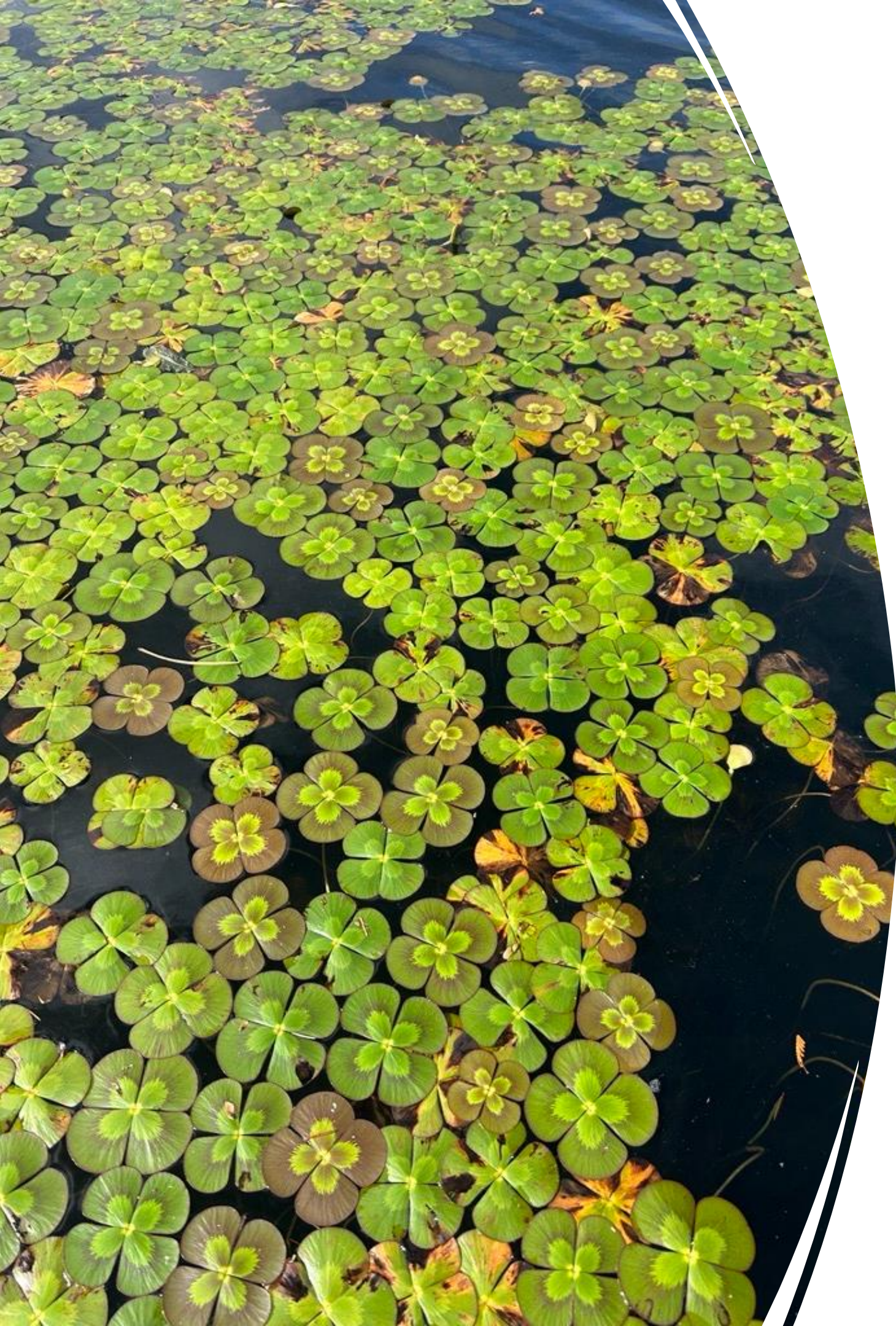


On-Call Contractors for County Departments



Status Update





Lake William-Symington

Australian Water Clover (*Marsilea mutica*)

Kitsap County Noxious Weed Control: **Long Lake Workshop**

Late March 2025

Exact location and date are to be announced.

The workshop will include updates on the latest aquatic invasive species treatment and best management practices for lakefront vegetation control.

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To learn more about our program, access resources, or report noxious weeds, please visit our webpage.

www.kcowa.us/noxiousweeds



On-Call Contractors for Private Landowners



Status Update



General Business



Approve previous meeting minutes:

November 21, 2024





Kitsap County 2025 Noxious Weed List

State Weed List Updates

Class A addition:

Round leaf bittersweet,
Celastrus orbiculatus



State Weed List Updates

Class A addition:

Marsh thistle,
Cirsium palustre



State Weed List Updates

Class B un-designation:

Shiny geranium,
Geranium lucidum

In Pierce County east of the
Narrows Bridge



Kitsap County 2025 Weed List Update

Addition of Class As:

Round leaf bittersweet, *Celastrus orbiculatus*

Marsh thistle, *Cirsium palustre*

Proposals for Local Control

Class B

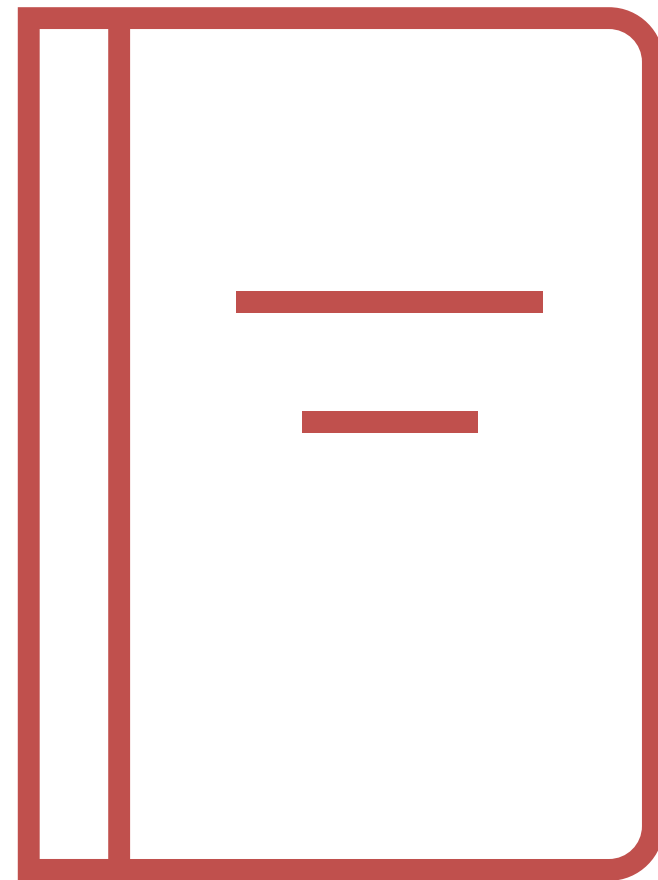
- Butterfly bush (*Buddleja davidii*)
- Itadori knotweed (*Fallopia japonica*)
- Bohemian knotweed (*Fallopia x bohemica*)
- Tansy ragwort (*Jacobaea vulgaris*)
- Yellow archangel (*Lamium galeobdolon*)

Class C

- Italian arum (*Arum italicum*)
- Reed canary grass (*Phalaris arundinacea*)

Proposals for Weeds of Concern List

- Sycamore maple (*Acer pseudoplatanus*)
- Franchet cotoneaster (*Cotoneaster franchetii*)
- Bullate cotoneaster (*Cotoneaster rehderi*)
- Sweetscented bedstraw (*Galium odoratum*)
- European privet (*Ligustrum vulgare*)
- Australian water clover (*Marsilea mutica*)
- Spotted ladythumb (*Persicaria maculosa*)
- Thundercloud plum (*Prunus cerasifera*)
- Portuguese laurel (*Prunus lusitanica*)
- Scarlet firethorn (*Pyracantha coccinea*)
- English oak (*Quercus robur*)
- Wayfaring tree (*Viburnum lantana*)
- Vinca (*Vinca minor*, *Vinca major*)



IPM Policy Adoption



2025 Target Species

Proposed Target Species for 2025

Class A

- Garlic mustard (*Alliaria petiolata*)
- Giant hogweed (*Heracleum mantegazzianum*)

Class B

- Knapweed species (*Centaurea* spp)
- Poison hemlock (*Conium maculatum*)
- Itadori knotweed (*Fallopia japonica*) and other invasive knotweeds (*Fallopia x bohemica*, *Fallopia sachalinensis*)
- Shiny geranium (*Geranium lucidum*)
- Tansy ragwort (*Jacobaea vulgaris*)
- Yellow archangel (*Lamium galeobdolon*)

Class C

- Italian arum (*Arum italicum*)



Disposal Program



Monitoring Plan 2025



Adjournment

Thank you for coming!