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https://agr.mt.gov/NoxiousWeedTrustFund
The Montana Noxious Weed Trust Fund (NWTF) Grant Program was established by the 1985 Montana Legislature to provide funding for the noxious weed research projects, state and community education/development projects, and local cooperative - landowner cost share. Applicants may apply for funding up to $75,000 per project. Additional information can be found in the Grant Guidelines or use the menu above for information on Applying, Instructions, Funding History, and the Advisory Council.

If you would like to learn more about this grant program, please print and distribute the 2018 brochure.

Apply for a Grant

News and Training

- July Business Meeting for Noxious Weed Management Advisory Council
  Time: July 28, 2021 16:00 AM Mountain Time (US and Canada)
  Locations: 2nd Floor of the Phillipsburg Courthouse 220 N. Sansome Street
  Meeting will be available through Zoom and for more information contact Greta Dige at 444-7882 or great.dige@mt.gov Agenda

- Grant Training: Learn the new grant software and how to improve your trust fund applications. There will be two in-person training sessions as well as virtual opportunities held late September through December. Locations and dates TBD.

Important Dates

- November 1, 2021 - Applications due for FY22 Emergency Funding
- November 30, 2021 - Status Reports due for open Noxious Weed Trust Fund Grants / Final Status Reports due for FY21 Special County/Reservation $7,500 Grants
- January 6, 2022 - Applications due for FY22 Noxious Weed Trust Fund Grants (Including FY21 $7,500 Special County/Reservation Grants)
Noxious Weed Trust Fund: General Files and Resources

General Files

- Grant Guidelines
- Application for Noxious Weed Management Advisory Council Appointment
- Noxious Weed Trust Fund Important Dates & Information
- Noxious Weed Trust Fund Brochure
- Montana Noxious Weed Management Plan (Updated 2017)
- State Herbicide Worksheet Price List
- Montana Department of Agriculture Noxious Weed Program 2019 Summary
- User Guide for EDDMapS Pro (Updated 2020)

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Events
No events are currently scheduled.

Ask A Question

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Noxious Weed Trust Fund Grant Instructions

WEBGRANTS

- WebGrants: Registration Instructions
- WebGrants: General Grantee Instructions

Apply for a Grant

Application Information

Instructions:
- Development, Education, and Research Application
- Local Cooperatives (New and Continuing)
  - Instructions for Herbicide, Revegetation, and Budget Forms
  - Environmental Assessment Instructions
- Emergency Weed Grant Application
- Special County/Reservation Application

Forms and Files:
- Grant Participant Weed Management Plans
- Grant Cooperator Interest Form
- Current Year State Bic/Agricultural Chemicals
- Pesticide Potential Risk Information
- Supplemental EA Form-Continuing Grants

Application Evaluation Criteria

- NWTF Evaluation Criteria: Development Projects
- NWTF Evaluation Criteria: Education Projects
- NWTF Evaluation Criteria: Research Projects
- NWTF Evaluation Criteria: Local Cooperative Projects
Environmental Assessments (EA’s)

New local cooperative projects require completion of an environmental assessment for the project area. Continuing local cooperatives that have added new herbicides, and/or expanded the project area or that have been inactive for 5 or more years are also required to complete an EA regarding the new information using the Supplemental EA Form for Continuing Grants.

Instructions:

- Environmental Assessment (EA) Resources
- Final Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement: Noxious Weed Trust Fund Grant Program
- Environmental Assessment - Soils, Ground & Surface Water

Resources: Use the following to complete the corresponding sections of the assessment.

- Historical and Archaeological Sites: Contact the Montana Historical Society
- Soils, and Ground and Surface Water:
  - Soils: Web Soil Survey site
  - Surface Water Maps: Use any legible map source such as google earth, Montana Geographic Information Clearinghouse, paper topographical maps, etc. to obtain the following required information to complete the surface water section of the assessment.
    - Use the Pesticide Potential Risk Information document to complete the Potential Risk section.
- Environmental Summary Report: Use the Montana Natural Heritage Program Map Viewer to obtain the following required information to complete the General Vegetation and Wildlife Habitat and TES Species section of the assessment.

Tutorials and Training:

Grant Writing Tutorials

- Grant Writing Tutorial: Soils and Groundwater Environmental Assessments
- Grant Writing Tutorials: General Vegetation, Fish and Wildlife Habitat, Threatened and Endangered Species, Air Quality and Historical and Archaeological Sites Environmental Assessments
- mt.gov 101 (WebGrants Overview)
- WebGrants Grant Application Forms Instructions

Grant Writing Workshop Files:

- NWTF Grant Program Information - See the overview tab above
- mt.gov (WebGrants) Information
- Grant Application Forms- Instructions
- EA Info (Veg, Fish, TES, Air, Historic, Soils & Groundwater)
- EDDMapS West
- Training videos
  - Grant Forms
  - Environmental Assessments
Active Grant Project/ Post Award Instructions

Claims:
- The Noxious Weed Trust Fund (NWTF) is a reimbursable grant program.
- Claims are submitted for incurred expenses online at mt.gov.
- Receipts, invoices, spray records, and document spreadsheets are required for each claim as applicable.
- Claim Instructions
- Claim Spreadsheet Template

Status Reports/Performance Plans:
- Development, Education, and Research Status Report Instructions
- Local Cooperative (New and Continuing) Status Report Instructions
- Special County/Reservation Status Report Instructions

Extensions and Revisions Instructions:
- Contract Extension Request
- Budget Revision Request for Development, Education, and Research Grants
- Budget Revision Request for Local Cooperatives
- Budget Negotiation for Special County/Reservation Grants
MG&L (WebGrants) Registration

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* = required field

Use the drop down to select Department of Agriculture for Noxious Weed Trust Fund Grants.
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# Funding Opportunities

## Current Funding Opportunities

All currently posted opportunities appear below. The Application Deadline indicates the due date for the application submission. You will be unable to submit your application after this date.

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Resources

- MWCA Annual Meeting
- Spring & Fall Weed Coordinator Trainings
- New Coordinator Training
- MT Dept. of Agriculture
Questions?