

# Sportsmen...

## Love the Outdoors? Prove It!

As a sportsperson, you should be aware of the impacts of noxious weeds. These non-native invaders are silently encroaching on Wyoming's native habitat. Although some are pretty to look at they are truly a **"Wolf in Sheep's clothing"**. These noxious weed species have aggressive characteristics that limit native plants ability to compete with them for resources all plants need...water, sunlight, and space.

Help defend Wyoming's Natural Resources by:

- ✓ **Fight Five!** Learn to identify 5 noxious weeds.
- ✓ **Prevent noxious weeds from spreading!** Don't be part of the problem. Ensure your property is noxious weed free. Avoid spreading any weeds you encounter by removing weed seeds from equipment, pets, and livestock before entering/leaving an area. Don't drive ATV's or vehicles through weed infestations.
- ✓ **Feed** weed free forage several days before you enter the backcountry.
- ✓ **Report** any noxious weeds or other suspicious looking plants that you may find to Park County Weed and Pest Control District 307-754-4521, nearest agency office, or private landowner.

## Park County Wyoming is home to millions of acres of public land!

Only with your help will we be able to successfully control or eliminate these noxious invaders. Sportsmen (and women) can play an important role in the **early detection** of new invaders or infestations of known invaders to new areas. This allows Weed and Pest personnel to initiate a **rapid response** assault on the invader.

For more information about these invasive species, to obtain free educational materials, or to schedule an on-site identification seminar, please contact Park County Weed and Pest Control District at 307-754-4521 or find us on the web at

[www.parkcountyweeds.org](http://www.parkcountyweeds.org)

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