



### Resident Herbicide Subsidy Program

The program provides assistance to residents to identify, attack and prevent invasive restricted matter under their control.

The *Biosecurity Act 2014* states landholders have a General Biosecurity Obligation (GBO) to manage restricted and prohibited matters (pest weeds).

Invasive weed infestation and spread cause environmental and economic impacts to the region by loss in productive horticultural and pastoral land and often cause toxicity and even death in livestock.

### How to access the Herbicide Subsidy Program

To access a suitable herbicide at a 50 per cent subsidised rate, contact Council's Pest Management Team and an officer will complete a Property Pest Management Plan on site with you.

Once you have treated the weeds and the visible signs are evident, contact the Pest Management Officer to finalise the processing of your herbicide receipt.

The subsidy will be processed as a credit against the brought forward balance on the property's Council rates.





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LOCKYER VALLEY REGIONAL COUNCIL





## Identify. Attack. Prevent. It's everyone's responsibility

Help is available from Council



Property Pest Management Plan



Herbicide Subsidy



Loan Spray Equipment







## Applicable weeds under the Subsidy Program Giant Rat's Tail Grass Fireweed Parthenium Weed **Groundsel Bush Annual Ragweed** Mother of Millions African Boxthorn Harrisia Cactus Salvinia Water Hyacinth Water Lettuce

### Other Council Services

Council has spray equipment available for loan by landholders to assist in the treatment of pest weeds on their property.

An application and small bond is required.



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