



GLEN INNES SEVERN COUNCIL

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Management Plan for Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs (*Xanthium* species)

Declaration: Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs are classified as a Class 4 Noxious Weeds in the Glen Innes Severn Council Area, under the Noxious Weed Act 1993. Declaration of this weed is for a **5-year** period

Starting 1-3-2006 and **Finishing** 1-3-2011.

Why Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs are Class 4 Noxious Weeds:

- They are strong competitors in pasture and summer crops.
- Burrs become entangled in wool and can pose additional cost on wool production.
- Seeds and seedlings can be poisonous to stock

Class 4 noxious weeds control objectives:

- They must be managed in such a way as to 'minimise the negative impact of the weed on the economy, community or the environment of New South Wales'.
- The growth and spread of the plant must be controlled according to the measures specified in this Management Plan published by the Glen Innes Severn Council

REQUIREMENTS & CONTROL MEASURES

The Glen Innes Severn Council will control Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs growing on all land for which it has responsibility under the *Noxious Weed Act 1993*, using herbicides registered for the control of Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs.

Owners/Occupiers of land are obligated and required to actively control Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs to prevent it from spreading, and its numbers and distribution must be reduced.

Owners/Occupiers of infested land are obligated and required to control Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs using all or any of the following methods:

- Chemical-** Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs is to be treated effectively with a herbicide registered for their control, in the manner specified on the label.
- Mechanical-** Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs maybe removed by cultivation.
- Burning-** Bathurst/Nogoora & Californian Burrs maybe strategically burned if there is enough combustible fuel to sustain a hot fire.

For any **further assistance** with this weed contact council's Noxious Weeds Officer at the Church Street Office, phone 67302358 or mobile 0427669871.