



WEED BOARD MEETING

**117 South Main Street, Monticello, Utah 84535. Commission Chambers
July 10, 2025 at 7:00 AM**

AGENDA

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- [1.](#) Consideration and Approval of Weed Board Minutes from June 5th, 2025

CITIZEN COMMENTS

2. There will be a three minute time limit for each person wishing to comment.

BUSINESS/ACTION

3. Update on Noxious Weed Control Efforts on CRP Program Properties----Erin Petit. USDA
4. Update on San Juan County noxious weed enforcement efforts----Frank Smith

WEED SUPERVISORS REPORT

- [5.](#) Consideration and Approval of July Weed Supervisors Report

NEXT MEETING

6. Next Scheduled Weed Board 08/07/25

ADJOURN

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Weed Board
Meeting Minutes
June 5th, 2025

1) Call To Order

Blake Peterson began the meeting of the San Juan County Weed Board at 7:10 am on May 8th, 2025.

2) Roll Call

The following people were present: Blake Peterson,, Dennis Gines, Cade Lewis, Kyle Fullmer, Todd Adair, Lori Maughan, Jens Nielson, Zack Johnson and Frank Smith.

3) Approval of Agenda

Dennis Gines made a motion to approve the agenda. Blake Peterson seconded the motion, and the motion was approved by all board members present.

4) Approval of Minutes

Dennis Gines made a motion to approve the minutes. Cade Lewis seconded the motion, and the motion was approved by all board members present.

5) Citizens Comments

Kyle Fullmer reported that he has a sprayer and will be working with Panayiotis Katelaris in the future.

6) Business/Action

7) Weed Supervisors Report

Frank reported that he submitted 2 grant applications to the UDAF ISM grant program and only the San Juan River grant was funded frank reported that the weed crew has sprayed multiple county properties. He reported excellent results for bindweed spraying in the county property directly North of the fairgrounds. He reported good results of spray efforts at Monticello airport late last season. Frank reported that he has a list of initial control letter recipients.

8) Next Meeting

9) Adjourn

Dennis Gines made a motion to adjourn and Blake Peterson seconded and the board adjourned with approval from all members present.

Weed Department Report
Weed Board Meeting

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Item 5.

- Next week I will be attending the Utah Weed Supervisors Association yearly meeting in St. George. Part of the training includes new info on bindweed control and recent studies conducted by USU Logan, In addition we will have training on noxious weed species that look like non-noxious species. This includes Hounds tongue of which we have a small infestation at the golf course and can definitely be hard to tell apart from species growing with it.
- I plan to put a half page notice in the San Juan Record about weed control responsibility. This will include scannable qr code links to the Utah weed act and the list of noxious weeds and other relevant information.
- We will be sending a flyer in all tax notices about the weed control law in Utah and a property owners legal responsibility. This will include qr links to relevant information about the Utah weed act and means of control.
- San Juan county has a deal with Blanding city to mow around their airport and we then follow up with spraying of the mowed area. My goal is to work out a deal with the city of Monticello to provide the same service. Knowing Monticello has a smaller budget than Blanding we would be willing to provide the labor if they can cover the cost of the herbicide. As we have seen a late season treatment for a few seasons would get a handle on there significant weed issue.
- I have began research on a tamarisk beetle release next year and a grant to cover the cost of the project. The beetles are especially effective as they can fly across the river and also benefit the reservation side of the river.