

Herbicide application may only be undertaken after approval has been obtained from your Parks Program Officer or Council Weeds Officer. Also refer to the relevant Safe Work Method Statement.

One form to be filled out for each site. Forms to be completed within 48 hours of treatment and returned to Port Stephens Council for entry into the Weeds Register. Email to weeds@portstephens.nsw.gov.au or post to Weeds Officer, Port Stephens Council, PO Box 42, Raymond Terrace NSW 2324.

Site/Reserve name:					
Suburb:		Date:			
Name of committee:					
Volunteer name:			Volunteer signature:		
Start time:	Finish time:	No. of volunteers:	Total hours worked:		
Personal Protective Equipment (please tick):					
<input type="checkbox"/> Elbow length impermeable gloves		<input type="checkbox"/> Full face shield (mixing)		<input type="checkbox"/> Washable broad brim hat	
<input type="checkbox"/> Impervious footwear		<input type="checkbox"/> Safety goggles (spraying)		<input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen	
<input type="checkbox"/> Long pants/shirt or overalls		<input type="checkbox"/> Impervious apron (mixing)		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Weather Observations (please tick appropriate boxes): (There are a number of online options for local weather observations – Search e.g. 'weather observation' and your 'suburb name'. WillyWeather is one option.)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Rain		<input type="checkbox"/> Overcast		<input type="checkbox"/> Clear sky	
<input type="checkbox"/> Light rain		<input type="checkbox"/> Partly cloudy			
Wind speed: _____ Direction: _____ Temperature: _____ Humidity: _____ (Herbicide spraying should only be undertaken with no wind or slight wind. PTO for wind speed clarification.)					
Herbicide / Additives Used:					
<input type="checkbox"/> Roudup Biactive (or equivalent)		<input type="checkbox"/> Herbi Dye			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pulse Penetrant/Wetting Agent		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____			
Treatment method (please tick and fill in appropriate boxes):					
Plant Species	Primary weeding (foliage spray) m ²	Secondary weeding (cut/scrape & paint) m ²	Application Rates	Quantity Used	Hours worked
<i>Eg Kikuyu</i>	Yes – 100m ²		100:1	Less than 20L	1.5hrs

Comments:

Mud Map – please draw a simple diagram of the area and section/s treated:

WIND SPEED INDICATION

The following information has been taken from **Beaufort scale** to help you indicate Wind Speed on the previous page. On the Beaufort scale, wind speeds are divided into 12 categories, each of which describes the physical effect of the wind.

When recording Wind Speed on the previous page, you should only be recording **NONE** or **SLIGHT**, as spraying is not to be done in stronger winds.

NONE

0: calm (< 1 km/h, < 1 knot) - Smoke rises vertically.

SLIGHT

1: light air (1-5 km/h, 1-3 knots) - Wind direction shown by smoke-drift, but not by wind vanes.

2: light breeze (6-11 km/h, 4-6 knots) - Wind felt on face; leaves rustle; ordinary vanes moved by wind.

MODERATE

3: gentle breeze (12-19 km/h, 7-10 knots) - Leaves, twigs in constant motion; wind extends light flag.

4: moderate breeze (20-28 km/h, 11-16 knots) – Raises dust and loose paper; small branches are moved.

5: fresh breeze (29-38 km/h, 17-21 knots) - Small trees in leaf begin to sway; crested wavelets form on inland waters.