



**JEFFERSON COUNTY NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL BOARD MEETING  
November 15<sup>th</sup> 2012**

**Coordinator's Report, mid-August to mid-November, 2012**

**County Roads:**

- Spent approximately 64 hours pulling tansy ragwort and knapweeds on county roads.
- Worked with Laura Lewis and Monte Reinders (county engineer) to formulate a Management Plan for weed control on county roads
- Prepared and submitted a report of County Road work

**Other Weed Pulls:**

- Participated in a Spurge Laurel pulling day at Fort Worden on August 30th
- Pulled spotted knapweed and sulfur cinquefoil in Port Townsend

**Knotweed:**

- Coordinated and attended a Knotweed Workshop in Chimacum on August 28<sup>th</sup>
- Sprayed knotweed near the Duckabush River and on Tarboo Creek, Snow Creek and Spencer Creek
- Assisted Hood Canal Salmon Recovery Group (who are funding work on the Dosewallips and Big Quilcene Rivers) with record-keeping.
- Continued working with the Quinault Indian Nation--soliciting landowner agreements for knotweed survey and control.

**Watershed Stewardship Resource Center:**

- Began work on Best Management Practices documents for 20 noxious weeds.
- Attended 2 meetings regarding Buffer Workshops and prepared a presentation on Weed Control in Buffers

**General Outreach:**

- Continued preparing a monthly newsletter and sending it out to the ListServe.
- Continued to update the website—redid all our Fact Sheets, with no specific herbicide mentioned, and uploaded them.

**Other:**

- Spent some time working with Laura Lewis to download ArcGIS 10.1 onto my new computer, and updating the weed map
- Created a shape file for pits and quarries in the county
- Prepared maps for the Forest Service and Knotweed annual reports
- Attended a county training in responding to Public Records Act requests.