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## NOTICE OF WEED SPRAYING

Buffalo County will be spraying to control weeds in ditches and right-of-ways on county roads. You are responsible for weed control on your land adjacent to such ditches and on personal driveways.

If for some reason you do not wish for Buffalo County to spray the right-of-way adjoining your property and you are going to control the weeds in those areas, you must contact the Weed Board, Attn: Buffalo County Auditor, PO Box 146, Gann Valley, SD 57341 in writing on or before June 1, 2024. The landowner must control all noxious weeds along those ROW areas not sprayed by Buffalo County.

You as a landowner are still responsible for weed control even if you have an agreement with a renter that they shall control weeds. If a renter does not control the weeds the responsibility comes back to the landowner.

State law also requires each landowner control noxious weeds on your private property, including headlands. If you do not control such weeds the County Weed Board will initiate weed enforcement. If the landowner does not comply with the enforcement, the County Weed Board will contract for the weeds to be eradicated at your expense.