

Table 4.

Monitor list of noxious weeds in 2005 (27 species)

Monitor List weeds are in a different category from Class A, B, and C weeds, with no legal demand for removal. These are weeds under investigation by the Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board. The state defines them as quoted here (WAC 16-750-025):

"The purpose of the monitor list is to gather more information on suspect weeds as well as monitor for occurrence or spread. Information collected may be used to justify future inclusion on the state noxious weed list. There is no regulatory aspect to this list. Reasons for plant inclusion on the monitor list include:

- (1) There is reason to believe the species is invasive or posed a potential threat to Washington.*
- (2) Additional information is needed on distribution, abundance, or biology.*
- (3) The species was once present in Washington and on the state noxious weed list. It is now being monitored for reoccurrence.*
- (4) There is need to verify existence (site investigation), verify identification, and/or obtain voucher specimen[s]."*

Adonis aestivalis	Pheasants-eye
Adonis annua	Blooddrops
Ambrosia tomentosa	Skeletonleaf Bursage
Carthamus lanatus	Distaff Thistle
Centaurea tricocephala	Knapweed, featherhead
Chaenorrhinum minus	Dwarf snapdragon
Crucianella angustifolia	Crosswort, narrowleaved
Eichhornia crassipes	Waterhyacinth
Eruca vesicaria	Garden rocket
Fatoua villosa	Mulberry weed
Galium pedemontanum	Bedstraw, foothills
Halogeton glomeratus	Halogeton
Herniaria cinerea	Rupturewort
Hibiscus trionum	Venice Mallow
Inula helenium	Inula
Lamium (Lamiastrum) galeobdolon	Yellow archangel
Nardus stricta	Matgrass
Peganum harmala	African rue peganum
Polygonum aubertii (P. baldschuanicum)	Silver lace vine
Potentilla argentea	silvery cinquefoil
Proboscidea louisianica	Unicorn-plant
Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum	Watercress
Rorippa sylvestris	Fieldcress, creeping
Typha angustifolia	Lesser cattail
Utricularia inflata	Swollen Bladderwort
Verbascum thapsus	Common Mullein
Verbena bonariensis	Tall verbena

Table 4 from: Zika, Peter. 2005. Existing Herbarium Documentation for Washington's Noxious Weeds. Report to the Washington Native Plant Society.