



M. D. OF GREENVIEW NO. 16
POLICY & PROCEDURES MANUAL

Section:
AGRICULTURE

POLICY NUMBER: AG 14

POLICY TITLE: PRIVATE LAND HERBICIDE APPLICATIONS

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Date Adopted by Council / Motion Number:

12.06.357

PURPOSE:

The Municipal District of Greenview recognizes that fence lines and property lines frequently present an obstacle to landowners and municipal roadside spray operators for full herbicide spray coverage, leaving a narrow strip of land at the property line and adjacent to the road right-of-way upon which no weed control is conducted, providing a host area for weed infestations. The Municipal District further recognizes that it is in the best interest of all, to provide weed control on small weed infestations on private property to pro-actively prevent the spread of Noxious and Prohibited Noxious weeds.

POLICY:

1. Roadside vegetation management spray operators will reduce the width of spray applications to avoid the potential for inadvertent harm to a growing crop, which may be susceptible or sensitive to the herbicide(s) used for weed control in municipal road ditches.
2. To prevent Noxious and/or Prohibited Noxious weed infestations in fence line/headland areas and to prevent the spread of weeds into adjacent lands, the Municipal District of Greenview Agricultural Services will offer a Fence Line Spray Program and a Private Land Spray Program.
3. Agricultural Services is hereby authorized to enter into agreements with landowners, under which the Municipal District may provide herbicide applications to control designated weeds on private lands, at no charge to the landowner.
4. The maximum application area is two (2) acres per quarter section in the current calendar year.
5. Such arrangements under Section 3 of this Policy will only be permitted if the registered landowner requests the herbicide application for weed control, signs a waiver permitting entry onto private land, *and* the landowner agrees to save harmless and indemnify the Municipal District of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.
6. Such arrangements under Section 3 of this Policy will only be permitted if the provision of said service does not negatively impact the roadside vegetation management programs of the Municipal District, and will be conducted at the discretion of the Manager of Agricultural Services.
7. Attached "Schedule A" and "Schedule B" contain the Spray Request application and Herbicide Release Form and these documents will be considered part of this policy.

(Original signed copy on file)
REEVE

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER



**MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES**

FENCE LINE SPRAY REQUEST

Schedule A

Date: _____

RELEASE FOR HERBICIDE APPLICATION

I hereby grant permission for the M.D. of Greenview Agricultural Services to apply residual herbicide within the property listed below, for the control of noxious weeds and/or brush along the perimeter of the property, including the fence line and headlands, and into adjacent road right-of-way. I understand that herbicide applications will be conducted during late summer and early fall, only if time and weather conditions permit. This signed request will include permission for the M.D. of Greenview to enter my property for the purpose of performing such related weed control work.

I understand that:

_____ *Lontrel 360*® is a slightly residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to two years and may affect the growth of crops such as peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Lontrel 360**. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

_____ *Milestone*® is a residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to three years and may affect the growth of crops such as canola, peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Milestone**. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

_____ *Tordon 101*® is a residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to five years and may affect the growth of crops such as canola, peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Tordon** 101. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

The Area(s) I wish to have sprayed is/are on: _____
Quarter Section Township Range Meridian

Property access from: _____ , _____ Adjacent Crops: _____
Range Road Township Road i.e. pasture, hayland, cereals, oilseeds, etc.

Problem weed(s): _____

Additional notes: _____

Landowner Name (Print)

Date

Signature of Landowner

Mailing Address

M.D. of Greenview Approval

Telephone # Postal Code

Note: Registered landowners will be contacted by telephone in advance of planned application. It is expected that landowners will be available to assist spray application personnel in locating weed concerns and accessing entrance to the property.



**MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF GREENVIEW
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES**

**PRIVATE LAND SPRAY REQUEST
SCHEDULE B**

Date: _____

RELEASE FOR HERBICIDE APPLICATION

I hereby grant permission for the M.D. of Greenview Agricultural Services to apply residual herbicide within the listed property below, for the control of noxious weeds to a maximum area of two acres. Herbicide applications will be conducted as time permits, with the knowledge that priority is always given to the municipal road right-of-way program. This signed request will include permission for the M.D. of Greenview to enter my property for the purpose of performing such related weed control work.

I understand that:

_____ *Lontrel 360*® is a slightly residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to two years and may affect the growth of crops such as peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Lontrel 360*®. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

_____ *Milestone*® is a residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to three years and may affect the growth of crops such as canola, peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Milestone*®. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

_____ *Tordon 101*® is a residual herbicide with low toxicity, which may persist in the soil for up to five years and may affect the growth of crops such as canola, peas, beans, potatoes, all legumes, and other broadleaf crops. I hereby declare that I understand the residual effects of *Tordon 101*®. I agree to save harmless and indemnify the M.D. of Greenview, its employees and agents, from and against all actions, suits, claims and demands arising in any manner whatsoever from activities associated with said herbicide application.

The Area(s) I wish to have sprayed is/are on: _____
Quarter Section Township Range Meridan

Property access from: _____, _____ Adjacent Crops: _____
Range Road Township Road i.e. pasture, hayland, cereals, oilseeds, etc.

Problem weed(s): _____

Additional notes: _____

Landowner Name (Print)

Date

Signature of Landowner

Mailing Address

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