

NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

FOR AMENDMENTS TO

"Rules Pertaining to the Administration and Enforcement of the Colorado Noxious Weed Act"

8 CCR 1206-2

Notice is hereby given pursuant to § 24-4-103 C.R.S. that the Department of Agriculture will hold a public rulemaking hearing:

DATE: Thursday, October 23, 2014

TIME: 2:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Colorado Department of Agriculture

Big Thompson Conference Room

305 Interlocken Parkway Broomfield, Colorado 80021

The purpose of this rulemaking is to make amendments to: (1) designate an additional plant species for inclusion on List A, and an additional plant species to inclusion to the Watch List; (2) revise figure numbering to add clarity to the rule; (3) Update management plans for seven species; (4) remove two plant species from List B, and move one plant species from List B to List C; and (5) correct non-substantive typographical errors and update internal citations to reflect new rules.

The statutory authority for these rules is §§ 35-5.5-108 and 115, C.R.S.

Any interested party may file written comment with the Commissioner's office prior to the hearing, or present at the aforementioned hearing written data, views or arguments. A copy of the proposed rule is available on the Department of Agriculture's website at www.colorado.gov/ag or may be obtained by calling 303-869-9002. The proposed rule shall be available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 305 Interlocken Parkway, Broomfield, Colorado during regular business hours.

