

Grand County Noxious Weed Control Board By-Laws

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Article I. Name and authorization

This organization shall be called the Grand County Noxious Weed Control Board. The Grand County Noxious Weed Control Board is authorized by Utah Code Title 04 Chapter 4-17-4 of the Utah Noxious Weed Act and by Grand County Ordinance. The Grand County Noxious Weed Control Board (Weed Board) exercises authority and assumes responsibilities delegated to it under these authorities.

Article II. Meetings

Section 1. The regular meetings of the Weed Board shall typically be the first Monday of the following months: January, March, May, July, September, and November at 4:00 P.M. The meeting will be held at the Grand Center, 182 North 500 West, Meeting Room 4, Moab, Utah 84532. At the end of each calendar year, the Weed Board shall specify regular meeting dates and times.

Section 2. The Weed Board shall name officers at its first regular meeting each calendar year or as necessary at other time to fill vacant positions.

Section 3. A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of three members present either in person or through real-time telecommunications pursuant to Grand County Resolution #2944 which allows board members to participate by telephone, video-conference, or other applicable technology. If less than three Board Members are at the Anchor Location, roll call votes shall be used to track votes cast by all participating Members. In the event of failure of equipment, or other factor, which causes a lack of communication with a member causing lack of a quorum, no additional business may be conducted until a quorum can be reconstituted.

Section 4. Robert's Rule of Order, Newly Revised, shall govern the parliamentary procedure of the Weed Board unless otherwise specified in the Bylaws.

Section 5. All newly appointed Weed Board members shall be provided with a current copy of the Bylaws prior to the next regular meeting.

Section 6. Meetings shall comply with all requirements of state law including, but not limited to, the Utah Open and Public Meetings Act.

Article III. Members and Officers

Section 1. The Weed Board shall consist of five members appointed by the Grand County Council. One of these shall be a member of the Grand County Council and all members shall be residents of Grand County. Members appointed to fill mid-term vacancies shall serve until the end of the term of the member replaced as this is a partial term, that person shall be eligible to apply for a full, four-year term when the partial term is over.

Section 2. Officers shall include a chair and Vice-chair, both of whom shall be an appointed member of the Weed Board.

Section 3. The chair shall preside at all meetings, appoint all committees, and authorize calls for all meetings.

Section 4. In the absence of the Chair, the Vice-chair shall exercise the Chair's functions, and may, upon the request of the Chair, take over any duties that he or she is unable to perform.

Article IV. Committees

The chair may appoint special committees for the Study and investigation of special problems or task. Weed Board members and individuals with special skills or interest from other governments agencies and the may serve on committees so long as a weed Board member acts as chair of each committee.

Article V. Amendments

The Weed Board at the beginning of each calendar year will review the Bylaws. Amendments will be recommended to the County Council for approval.

GRAND COUNTY COUNCIL


Mary McGann, Chair

ATTEST


Quinn Hall, Clerk/Auditor