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Recommended Backyard Prairie Restoration Resources

Weed Management

[“Full Circle: Control noxious weeds, Grow healthy plant communities, and Support bees and other pollinators”](#)

Booklet. Produced by the Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board. Provides information on integrated weed management and restoring pollinator habitat.

[“Invasive Weeds of Eastern Washington”](#)

Manual. Produced by WSU Extension. A comprehensive guide to invasive plants in Eastern Washington, including full-color photos, descriptions, range maps, and an index by name and flower color.

[“Noxious Weeds that Harm Washington State: Eastern Washington Field Guide”](#)

Field Guide. Produced by Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board. A quick guide to common noxious weeds in Eastern Washington with information on weed identification, impact, and how to control.

[“Weed Management Handbook”](#)

Online Handbook. Produced by Oregon State University. This handbook is designed as a quick and ready reference for weed control practices and herbicides used in various cropping systems and sites in Idaho, Oregon, and Washington.

[Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board](#)

Website. Produced by the Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board. The Noxious Weed Control Board advises the Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA) about noxious weed control in Washington State.

[WSU Whitman County Extension Weed Index](#)

Online Index. Produced by WSU Extension. A collection of webpages on weeds and control methods within Whitman County, WA.

Native Plants

[Database of Palouse Forbs for Landscaping](#)

Database. Produced by the Palouse Prairie Foundation. A database of Palouse native forbs ideal for landscaping, with filters for species' preferred planting conditions.





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[“Forb Seedling Identification Guide for the Inland Northwest”](#)

Identification Guide. Produced by USDA-NRCS Washington. A guide including photos and information on native, introduced, invasive, and noxious species as young seedlings.

[“Idaho Native Plant Society, White Pine Chapter: Climate-friendly Gardening with Native Plants; Dr. Bertie Weddell”](#)

Video. Produced by IPNS White Pine Chapter. Presentation by Dr. Bertie Weddell with tips and tricks for climate-friendly gardening on the Palouse.

[“Landscaping with Native Plants in the Inland Northwest”](#)

Guide. Produced by WSU Extension. A comprehensive guide on landscaping with native plants with tips on planning and implementing a native landscape.

[Database of Palouse Prairie Native Plants](#)

Database. Produced by the Palouse Prairie Foundation. A searchable database of Palouse Prairie native plant species. An exhaustive resource that includes propagation techniques, planting requirements, germination temperatures, known insect issues, general comments, etc.

[“Native Plants of Eastern Washington”](#)

Brochure. Produced by the Washington Native Plant Society, Columbia Basin Chapter. The brochure contains general information on native plants and a list of plants in the area.

[“Native Plants in the Landscape; Kathy Hutton”](#)

Video. Produced by Palouse Conservation District. Part of the PCD Conservation Talk Series, this presentation focuses on native plants in the Palouse landscape.

[“Native Pollinator Plants for the Palouse”](#)

List. Produced by USDA-NRCS Pullman Plant Materials Center. List of native pollinator plants, with related care information for each species including bloom color, moisture requirements, light requirements, whether or not they are butterfly host plants, etc.

[“Palouse Prairie Field Guide: An Introductory Guide to Native Plants, Agricultural Crops and Invasive Weeds for the Curious”](#)

Field Guide. Produced by Dave M. Skinner, Jacie W. Jensen and Gerry Queener. Identification photos and information on plants found in the Palouse Prairie.

[“Palouse Prairie Restoration”](#)

PDF. Produced by USDA-NRCS Pullman Plant Materials Center. Information on prairie restoration in the region and doing it yourself.





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[Palouse Prairie Native Plants](#)

Website. Produced by the Palouse Clearwater Environmental Institute. Guide to Palouse Prairie plants. Highlights plants sold at the PCEI nursery.

[“Plants for Pollinators in the Inland Northwest”](#)

Technical Note. Produced by USDA-NRCS Washington. Covers best plants for pollinators in the Inland Northwest.

[Rare Plant Conservation](#)

Website. Produced by the Nez Perce Tribe – Wildlife Division. Covers Nez Perce history and relations with native plants in the area and efforts to conserve Palouse Prairie.

[“Seed Characteristics of Some Native Species”](#)

List. Produced by USDA-NRCS Pullman Plant Materials Center. List of seed characteristics in native plant species.

[“The Palouse Prairie, A Vanishing Indigenous Peoples Garden”](#)

Journal Article. Produced by Cleve Davis, featured in the Journal of Native Sciences. Includes information on Palouse Prairie rarity and history of Indigenous people’s use and meaning of Palouse prairie plants.

[“The Threatened Spalding’s Catchfly of the Palouse Prairie”](#)

Video. Produced by the Palouse Conservation District. Part of the PCD Conservation Talk Series, this presentation focuses on the federally-threatened plant species, Spalding’s Catchfly.

[Native Plants of North America](#)

Website. Produced by the Wildflower Center. List of native plant species commercially available in North America by state or province.

[Washington Native Plant Society Landscaping Resources](#)

Website. Produced by the Washington Native Plant Society. Resources on landscaping with native plants in Washington.

[WSU Hortsense](#)

Website. Produced by WSU Extension. Home gardener fact sheets for managing plant problems with Integrated Pest Management (IPM), including cultural controls and Washington-registered pesticides.

