



Community Local Law 2015

Environmental Weeds

These plants have been documented as being invasive and hold the potential to negatively impact on the survival of indigenous plants and animals. Environmental weeds are not strictly prohibited plant species within Kingston; however, please consider the below list prior to planting or managing your respective garden. If any of the below species appear in your area, we would strongly encourage you to consider removing or replacing that species with a less invasive one.

Some species of environmental weed may also be designated as a 'Noxious Weed' by Agriculture Victoria (*Catchment and Land Protection Act 1994*), and therefore must be removed and their growth halted to prevent them from spreading. Please refer to the Agriculture Victoria website for more information.

Below is a list of species designated as 'Environmental Weeds' within the City of Kingston Municipality:

- African Daisy *Senecio pterophorus*
- Alligator Weed *Alternanthera philoxeroides*
- Angled Onion *Allium triquetrum*
- Apple of Sodom *Solanum linnaeanum*
- Artichoke Thistle *Cynara cardunculus*
- Athel Pine *Tamarix aphylla*
- Bathurst Burr *Xanthium spinosum*
- Bitou Bush *Chrysanthemoides monilifera ssp. rotundata*
- Black Knapweed *Centaurea nigra*
- Blackberry *Rubus fruticosus spp. agg.*
- Boneseed *Chrysanthemoides monilifera*
- Boxthorn *Lycium ferocissimum*
- Bridal creeper *Asparagus asparagoides*
- Cabomba *Cabomba caroliniana*
- Californian/Perennial Thistle *Cirsium arvense*
- Camel thorn *Alhagi maurorum*
- Cape Broom / Montpellier Broom *Genista monspessulana*
- Cape Ivy *Delairea odorata*
- Cape Tulip (one-leaf) *Homeria flaccida*

Cape Tulip (two leaf) *Homeria miniata*
Chilean needle grass *Nassella neesiana*
Desert Ash *Fraxinus rotundifolia* spp. *Rotundifolia*
English Broom *Cytisus scoparius*
English Ivy *Hedera helix*
Fennel *Foeniculum vulgare*
Flax Leaved Broom *Genista linifolia*
Furze/Gorse *Ulex europaeus*
Golden Thistle *Scolymus hispanicus*
Hawthorn *Crataegus monogyna*
Hemlock *Conium maculatum*
Hoary Cress *Cardaria draba*
Horehound *Marrubium vulgare*
Hymenachne *Hymenachne amplexicaulis*
Ivy-leafed Sida *Sida leprosa*
Lagarosiphon *Lagarosiphon major*
Lantana *Lantana camara*
Marijuana *Cannabis sativa*
Mesquite *Prosopis* spp.
Mimosa *Mimosa pigra*
Mirror Bush *Coprosma repens*
Nodding Thistle *Carduus nutans*
Pampas Lily-of-the-Valley *Salpichroa organifolia*
Parkinsonia *Parkinsonia aculeata*
Parthenium Weed *Parthenium hysterophorus*
Paterson's Curse *Echium plantagineum*
Perennial Ragweed *Ambrosia psilostachya*
Pond apple *Annona glabra*
Poverty Weed *Iva axillaris*
Prairie Ground-cherry *Physalis viscosa*
Prickly acacia *Acacia nilotica* ssp. *indica*
Ragwort *Senecio jacobaea*

Rubber vine *Cryptostegia grandiflora*
Saffron Thistle *Carthamus lanatus*
Sallow Wattle *Acacia longifolia*
Salvinia *Salvinia molesta*
Sand Rocket *Diplotaxis tenuifolia*
Scotch/Heraldic Thistle *Onopordum acanthium*
Serrated Tussock *Nasella trichotoma*
Silver-leaf Nightshade *Solanum elaeagnifolium*
Skeleton Weed *Chondrilla juncea*
Slender/Shore Thistles *Carduus pycnocephalus/tenuiflorus*
Spear Thistle *Cirsium vulgare*
Spiny Broom *Calycotome spinosa*
Spiny Rush *Juncus acutus*
St. John's Wort *Hypericum perforatum*
St. Peter's Wort *Hypericum tetrapterum*
Stinkwort *Dittrichia graveolens*
Sweet Briar *Rosa rubiginosa*
Sweet Pittosporum *Pittosporum undulatum*
Tangled Hypericum *Hypericum triquetrifolium*
Thorn-apple (common) *Datura stramonium*
Thorn-apple (longspine) *Datura ferox*
Thorn-apple (recurved) *Datura inoxia*
Topped Lavender *Lavandula stoechas*
Tree Lucerne *Chamaecytisus prolifer*
Tree-of-heaven *Ailanthus altissima*
Tutsan *Hypericum androsaemum*
Variegated Thistle *Silybum marianum*
Water Hyacinth *Eichhornia crassipes*
Wild Watsonia *Watsonia bulbifera/meriana*
Willows except weeping willows, pussy willow and sterile pussy willow
Salix spp. except *S. babylonica*, *S. X calodendron* and *S. X reichardtj*