

Noxious Weed Spray Programme 2007-2008

Property owners, recreational and other users of the riverbeds in New Zealand are advised that herbicide spraying by helicopter and ground spraying is to be carried out to control gorse, broom, briar rose and Old Man's Beard.

The work to be carried out will commence no earlier than 1 October 2007 and will continue intermittently as weather permits up until 30 June 2008, excluding the period from 20 December 2007 to 10 January 2008.

Location	Region	Ground spraying	Aerial spraying
Lake Maraetai Shoreline	Waikato		X
Rangitikei River	Rangitikei	X	X
Pohangina River	Manawatu	X	
Golden Bay including the Takaka River below the Gorge, Anatoki River, Waingaro River, Waitui Stream, Gorge Creek, Rameka Creek, Dry River, Wainui River, Lower Aorere River and Kaituna River.	Tasman	X	
Upper Buller River	Tasman	X	X
Takaka River Gorge	Tasman	X	
Upper Wairau River	Marlborough	X	
Awatere River from Molesworth Station downstream to Jordan Bridge	Marlborough	X	X
Upper Waihopai River	Marlborough	X	
Mid Clarence River from Cloudy Corner to Matai Flat	Kaikoura	X	X
Lower Clarence River between Matai Flat and State Highway 1	Kaikoura	X	X
Upper Kahutara River	Kaikoura	X	X
Lower Kahutara	Kaikoura		X
Charwell River adjacent Stonejug Farm	Kaikoura	X	X
Lower Buller River	West Coast		X
Maruia River	West Coast		X
Upper Grey River	West Coast		X
Pahau River	Canterbury	X	
Ashley/Whistler Rivers	Canterbury	X	
Leader River	Canterbury	X	
Okuku, Grey, Karetu, Makerikeri, Waipara Rivers	Canterbury		X
Upper Waiau River	Canterbury	X	X
Boyle River	Canterbury	X	X
Hurunui River N. and S. branch	Canterbury	X	
Clarence River	Canterbury	X	X
Glencoe River	Canterbury		X
Lower Waiau	Canterbury	X	
Mason River	Canterbury	X	
Seaward River	Canterbury		X

Lottery River	Canterbury	X	X
Whitewater Stream	Canterbury	X	
Porter River	Canterbury	X	
Poulter River	Canterbury		X
Rakaia River and tribs. Upstream of Glenarriffe	Canterbury	X	X
Rubicon River upstream of "Torby"	Canterbury	X	
Esk River	Canterbury		X
Upper Selwyn Gorge	Canterbury	X	
Upper Waimakariri River at Cora Lynn	Canterbury		X
Upper Wilberforce River	Canterbury		X
Harper River	Canterbury	X	
Swift River	Canterbury	X	
Ashburton River N & S. Branch	Canterbury	X	X
Thirteen Mile Bush Stream	Canterbury		X
Tengawai River	Canterbury		X
Maerewhenua River N.and S. Branch	Canterbury		X
Otaio River upstream of gorge	Canterbury		X
Rangitata River and tribs. Upstream of gorge	Canterbury	X	X
Forest creek	Canterbury	X	
Orari River	Canterbury	X	
Twizel River	Canterbury	X	
Boundary Stream (trib. Of Lake Tekapo)	Canterbury		X
Jollie River – First Stream	Canterbury	X	
Godley – McCauley River	Canterbury		X
Tekapo River	Canterbury	X	
Pukaki River	Canterbury	X	
Lake Pukaki E. and W. Shoreline	Canterbury	X	
Ohau River	Canterbury	X	
Ohau 'C' Crown land	Canterbury	X	
Lake Ohau Shoreline	Canterbury	X	
Lake Aviemore Shoreline	Canterbury	X	
Lake Benmore Foreshore	Canterbury	X	
Ahuriri River	Canterbury	X	X
Hakataramea River	Canterbury	X	
Hanmer River	Canterbury	X	
Kahutara River	Canterbury	X	X
Charwell River	Canterbury	X	X
Upper Opuha River	Canterbury	X	
Upper Waihi River	Canterbury	X	
Makarora River	Otago	X	X
Hunter River between the mouth of the Hunter River and Fergusson Hut	Otago		X
Lake Hawea Southern Shoreline	Otago	X	
Lake Hawea Western Shoreline	Otago	X	X
Von River from the gorge and the Old Mt Nicholas Homestead to the mouth	Otago	X	
Lochy River	Otago	X	
Lower Clutha between the Roxburgh Hydro Dam and Millers Flat township	Otago	X	
Nevis River below Nevis Crossing	Otago		X

Wainakarua River	Otago		X
Kakanui River	Otago		X
Kauru River	Otago		X
Lower Greestone River	Otago	X	
Kyeburn River	Otago	X	
Deep Stream	Otago		X
Rees / Ox Burn	Otago	X	
Dart River	Otago		X
Upukerora River between the pump house and the Milford Highway Bridge	Southland	X	
Whitestone River upstream of the Mararoa River confluence	Southland	X	X
Wairaki River around Mt Linton and Wairaki Stations	Southland		X
Upper Mararoa River between Mavora Lakes and Key Bridge	Southland		X
Aparima River from above the Mossburn Road Bridge to just below Dunrobin Station	Southland		X
Upper Mataura River from Cairnard Road Bridge to Fairlight	Southland	X	

Further information

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