

# 2023 COUNTY OF STETTLER VEGETATION CONTROL PLAN

As legislated under the Alberta Weed Control Act, the County of Stettler Agricultural Service Board will be conducting roadside vegetation control for invasive species in the north third of the County (north of Township 400, to the County of Camrose border and west of Range Road 164 to Buffalo Lake and the Red Deer River).

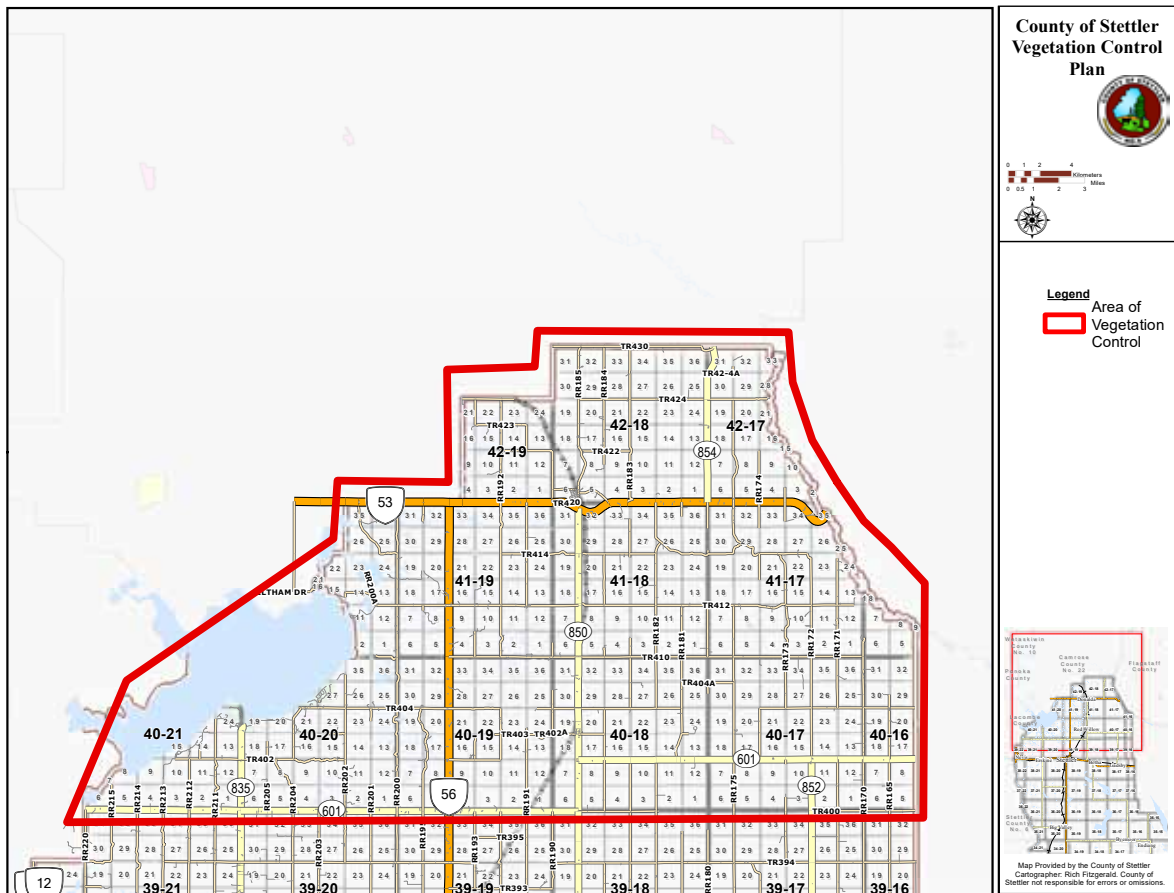
Adhering to Industrial Vegetation Management Association of Alberta standards, we will carry out the program for these reasons:

- Ease of snow removal in the winter.
- Reduce the risk of hitting wildlife by increasing the visibility and sightline.
- The roots of trees and shrubs do damage to roads. By removing them, the road will last longer.

- After heavy rainfall, the road will dry faster with less vegetation in the ditch to hold moisture.
- Control and destroy prohibited and noxious weeds.

If you would prefer to control weeds and brush, using methods that differ from the County's program, you are required to fill out a spray exemption form annually. The deadline of acceptance of these forms is May 5, 2023, 4:00 pm.

Our program states there is to be not any vegetation control performed within 30 meters of your yard. For any questions regarding this program, or to fill out a Spray Exemption Form please call the Manager of Agricultural Services at 403-742-4441.



Fill out a Spray Exemption Form before May 5 if you reside in the above highlighted area and prefer to control weeds and brush yourself.