

East Umatilla County Chemical Control District

Due to sensitive nature crops in the East Umatilla County, Oregon area, this notice is a reminder that East Umatilla County has chemical application restrictions as follows.

Protected Area (committee must be notified within 48 hours of any hormone type application)

- All hormone-type herbicides are prohibited at all times, except that:
- Amine and sodium salts 2-4D, & MCP may be applied: October 1 through May 1.
- Amine and sodium salts, low volatile formulations in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins, and other herbicide groups with different modes of action may be applied: October 1 through May 1.
- Low volatile esters may be applied for brush control: November 1 through February 1.
- The active ingredient Picloram (Tordon) may not be applied at any time in the protected area.

Methods of application allowed:

- Backpack or hand sprayers.
- Boom-type when nozzles direct spray at right angles to the boom with no more than 25 lbs. of pressure per square inch.

Two-mile Perimeter of Protected Area

- Inside radius of two miles boom-type equipment only: October 1 through March 25, except Barrett Station area as described.
- Outside radius of two miles: Low volatile esters may be applied by helicopter or ground equipment: October 1 through April 1.
- Outside radius of five miles: Low volatile esters may be applied by fixed-wing aircraft: October 1 through April 1.

Primary Restricted Area (permits must be obtained if applied by aircraft)

- Hormone-type herbicides prohibited at all times, except that:
- Amine and sodium salt forms 2-4D & MCP may be applied during the entire year.
- Amine and sodium salts, low volatile formulations in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins, and other herbicide groups with different modes of action may be applied during the entire year.
- Low volatile esters may be applied for brush control: November 1 through March 1.

Methods of application allowed:

- Backpack or hand sprayers.
- Boom-type when nozzles direct spray at right angles to the boom with no more than 50 lbs. of pressure per square inch.

Protected Area and Primary Restricted Areas

- Oil type carriers prohibited at all times, except: For brush control after November 1 or before March 1. Oil type emulsifiers and oil type adjuvants may be used when not in excess of one pint per acre.
- Hormone-type herbicides may not be applied when wind velocity exceeds five miles per hour, unless the application is conducted greater than 5-miles from the outer edge of the Protected area.

Secondary Restricted Area

- High volatile ester formulations of 2,4-D, and MCP may not be used during the entire year.
- Hormone-type herbicides in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins may not be applied when wind velocity exceeds ten miles per hour

See Oregon Administrative Rules 603-057-0301 through 0320 online: <https://oda.fyi/OAR603-057>

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