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Myrtle Spurge *Euphorbia myrsinites* **Mgmt Goal: Eradication**

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| <p><u>IDENTIFICATION</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tap-rooted Perennial; reproduces by seed and plant fragments • Trailing stems with fleshy blue-green alternate leaves. • Escaped Ornamental | <p><u>CHEMICAL CONTROL</u></p> <p>CALIBRATE YOUR EQUIPMENT EVERY YEAR ALWAYS ADD NON-IONIC SURFACTANT ALWAYS FOLLOW THE HERBICIDE LABEL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rangestar (dicamba + 2, 4-D) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 4 to 6 pints per acre • Vanquish (dicamba) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 4 pts per acre ◦ For use with low volume application: 6 fl.oz. per gallon water not to exceed 10 gallons total solution per acre per year. |
| <p><u>IMPACTS</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milky latex sap causes sever skin/eye irritation, even blindness, if contact • Cattle, horse, and elk grazing greatly reduced in infestations • Reduces/eliminates wild-life forage & habitat | <p><u>MECHANICAL CONTROL</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommended for small/new infestations only • Dig when soil is moist. Try to remove all root. • Protect eyes, mouth, and skin from milky sap. • Always cut and carefully bag seed-heads. |