Plant Health and Pest Prevention Services 1220 N Street, Sacramento, California 95814

INTEGRATED PEST CONTROL ADVISORY No. 02-2021

Subject: Noxious Weed Grant Funding Increase and Extension

The Integrated Pest Control Branch has a unique opportunity to increase funding of existing county weed grants using General Fund.

In order to receive these funds, you must meet the following criteria:

- 1) Your county has submitted a proposal for the CDFA Noxious Weed Grant with a start date of January 15, 2021.
- 2) Your county agrees to double the funding of your existing agreement AND extend the agreement date to June 30, 2023.
- 3) You RSVP to this opportunity via email with the following:
 - a. Email addressed to CDFA.PHPPS_IPCB_Invoices@cdfa.ca.gov
 - b. Cc your email to <u>David.Kratville@cdfa.ca.gov</u>
 - c. Subject line: 2021 Noxious Weed Increase Message that includes: Your county's name and confirmation that they are interested in the increased funding.

In order to distribute these funds in a timely fashion, CDFA will utilize your existing scope and budget categories for the increase. Most counties will only need to submit an email confirming that they would like to participate in this opportunity. There may be some changes necessary to receive the additional funds if your county purchased equipment over \$5,000 in existing agreements.

There will be two opportunities to ask questions about this opportunity.

- A conference call on Thursday, April 22, 2021 at 9:00 am
 - o Call in 1-888-793-8939 passcode 8017579

You must submit your response by Friday, April 23, 2021 in order to be considered for this funding. David can also be reached at (916) 201-2588 for any questions regarding this advisory.