

Annual Weed Abatement Program -Declaration of Public Nuisance and Public Hearing Schedule

Community Development April 1, 2025

## Background

- Each year, the City conducts a Weed Abatement Program to address fire hazards and public nuisances on vacant private properties.
- The City Council declares a public nuisance at its first April meeting.
- A Public Hearing is scheduled for May 6, 2025, to allow property owners to raise objections.
- 134 vacant parcels were identified through research and field inspections as requiring abatement.





## **PROGRAM TIMELINE**

- Mid-April 2025: Property Posting & Notification
- Affected properties will be posted with a Notice to Destroy Weeds and Remove Rubbish and Refuse.
- Letters will be mailed to property owners informing them of the May 6, 2025 Public Hearing and abatement process.





## **Recommended Action**

- Adopt Resolution No. 2025-19 declaring identified weeds and rubbish a public nuisance.
- Approve abatement measures and set a Public Hearing on May 6, 2025.
- No fiscal impact to the City (abatement costs are recovered through property tax assessments).





## **Questions?**

