

February 9, 2026

Ms. Samantha Kilpack
Director of Operations
Central Wasatch Commission
311 S. State St.
Salt Lake City, UT 84111

Re: Summit CWMA Application for 910 Ranch Weed Management - CWC Short-Term Grants

To the Central Wasatch Commission,

I am writing to express the Morgan County Weed Board's support for the collaborative noxious and invasive weed management efforts led by the Summit Cooperative Weed Management Area (CWMA), in partnership with Summit County, the Morgan Soil Conservation District and other local partners, as proposed in their 2026 Central Wasatch Commission Short-Term Projects Grant application.

The Morgan County Weed Board is mandated to implement the Utah Noxious Weed Act within Morgan County. Coordinated landscape-scale weed management that helps landowners meet their responsibilities under the Utah Noxious Weed Act and prevent spread across property boundaries directly aids the Morgan County Weed Board in meeting noxious weed management goals. In support, the Morgan County Weed Board will facilitate coordination with Morgan County residents within the project area to ensure areas at high risk for invasion of garlic mustard, Myrtle spurge, Phragmites and yellow starthistle are protected.

Our support reflects the Morgan County Weed Board's commitment to continued collaboration with Summit CWMA, Summit County, and local landowners to improve landscape-scale stewardship and protect shared resources in the Central Wasatch. We value this cooperative, cross-county approach and appreciate the opportunity to partner on this important initiative.

Sincerely,



Vaughn Nickerson
Morgan County Commission Vice-Chair