



WEED ABATEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Members:

In February 2019, the Board approved a contract with CAPRA Environmental for the use of their goats for annual grazing. This is the same company who jumped in last year when the Association lost a long-time grazing vendor. Due to an unresolved issue between the City and the grazer, the grazing that was scheduled for June 2018 was delayed as the grazer decided not to continue working in Rocklin.

It seems the Association is put in another grazing dilemma! The vendor gave us a date but due to overwhelming growth, the goats were not eating as much per acre as anticipated. That is understandable, until it started to get later and later.

We are working with the Fire Department; they have kindly offered to assist the association with the grazer. In the meantime, with the recommendation of the Fire Department, we are starting to trim weeds in the Hillcrest area, starting on the uphill slopes first. In addition, trimming will start behind Pioneer Way. Weeds will be removed 100 feet from residential property lines.

We understand everyone is anxious to have weed abatement started. We are working as quickly as possible to begin eliminating weeds in high risk areas.

The Board of Directors appreciates your understanding.