


SADDLE HILLS COUNTY

	<u>POLICY TITLE</u>	POLICY NO.	PAGE		
	<i><u>Weed Control on Drainage Ditches</u></i>	<i>AG11</i>	1		
		DEPARTMENT: <u>AGRICULTURE</u>			
COUNCIL RESOLUTION	DCS	DPW	CAO	CROSS REFERENCE	AMENDMENT DATE
NO.: 16.25.04.06 DATE: April 25, 2006					
<u>PURPOSE:</u>					
<p>To control restricted and noxious weeds along the Alberta Environment Drainage Ditches to help stop the spread of these weeds onto adjacent agricultural land.</p>					
<u>POLICY:</u>					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A handgun and boom sprayer mounted on a quad or truck will be used to do the drainage ditch spraying. 2. Backpack sprayers or wick applicators and or mechanical methods will be used where necessary. 3. Registered herbicides will be used for restricted and noxious weed control along the drainage ditches according to the service approval conditions from Alberta Environment or as outlined in the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act and regulation thereto. 4. The sprayer operator will carry the service approval with him/her while conducting the weed control operations on the drainage ditches. 					