

Sacramento County Weed Management Area Invasive and Noxious Plant Reduction (INPR) at Effie Yeaw Nature Center

Project Summary:

The Nature Area surrounding Effie Yeaw Nature Center is a highly visited area of the American River Parkway, located in Carmichael, California. A two-acre weed removal and restoration focus area bordering the Nature Center was chosen because of its high visibility to visitors. The weed removal is also located at the base of a bluff occupied by private residences. Weed removal in this area will improve habitat for local wildlife and increase the Nature Center's ability to educate the public about natural environments. It also reduced the amount of wildfire fuel that threatens the Effie Yeaw Nature Center and the private residences on top of the bluff.

Project Goals:

- Recruit, train and supervise a team of volunteers able to identify and remove weeds from the Effie Yeaw Nature Study Area, including Himalayan blackberry, yellow starthistle, Canada thistle, pokeweed, and poison hemlock.
- Enhance wildlife habitat in weed removal areas by restoring weeded areas with desirable native plants.

Location:

Effie Yeaw Nature Center in the American River Parkway

Project Funding:

State WMA funds

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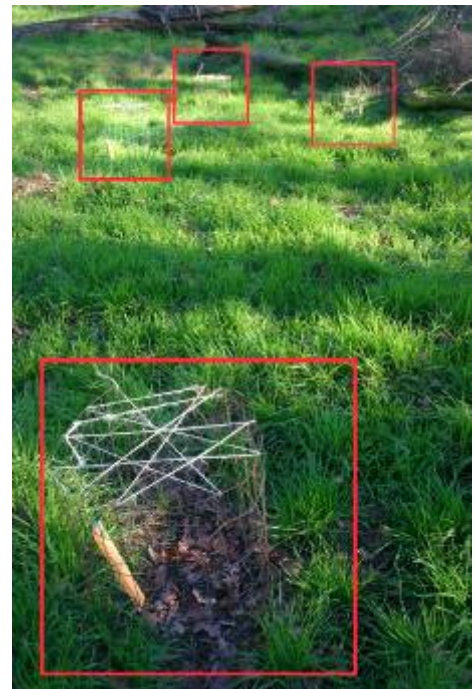
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Weed Removal at Effie Yeaw Nature Center



Effie Yeaw Nature Center After Weed Removal



Effie Yeaw Nature Center New Plants in Weed Removal Area