SUBJECT: Road Signs			
Background:	Requested Action:		
East Umatilla Chemical Control District has requested the placement of signs at various locations on County Roads. The signs would warn drivers of the protected area of the East Umatilla Chemical Control District, and reference a website for further information on the district and its use restrictions. By State and County law, the Board has the authority to approve the placement of the signs on County Roads. The cost of the signs and the installation would be paid by the District.	Adopt Order No. RD2024-04		
ATTACHMENTS: Letter; Proposed Sign; Proposed	Order		

Checkoffs: () Dept. Heard (copy)	To be notified of Meeting:		
() Human Resources (copy)(X) Legal (copy)() (Other - List:)	Tom Fellows Needed at Meeting:		

Scheduled for meeting on: May 1, 2024			
Action taken:			

AGENDA ITEM FOR ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING

FROM (DEPT/ DIVISION): County Counsel

() Discussion only (X) Action

April 16, 2024

RE: Signs

Dear: Public Works Director:

East Umatilla Chemical Control District is wanting to make more people aware of the following:

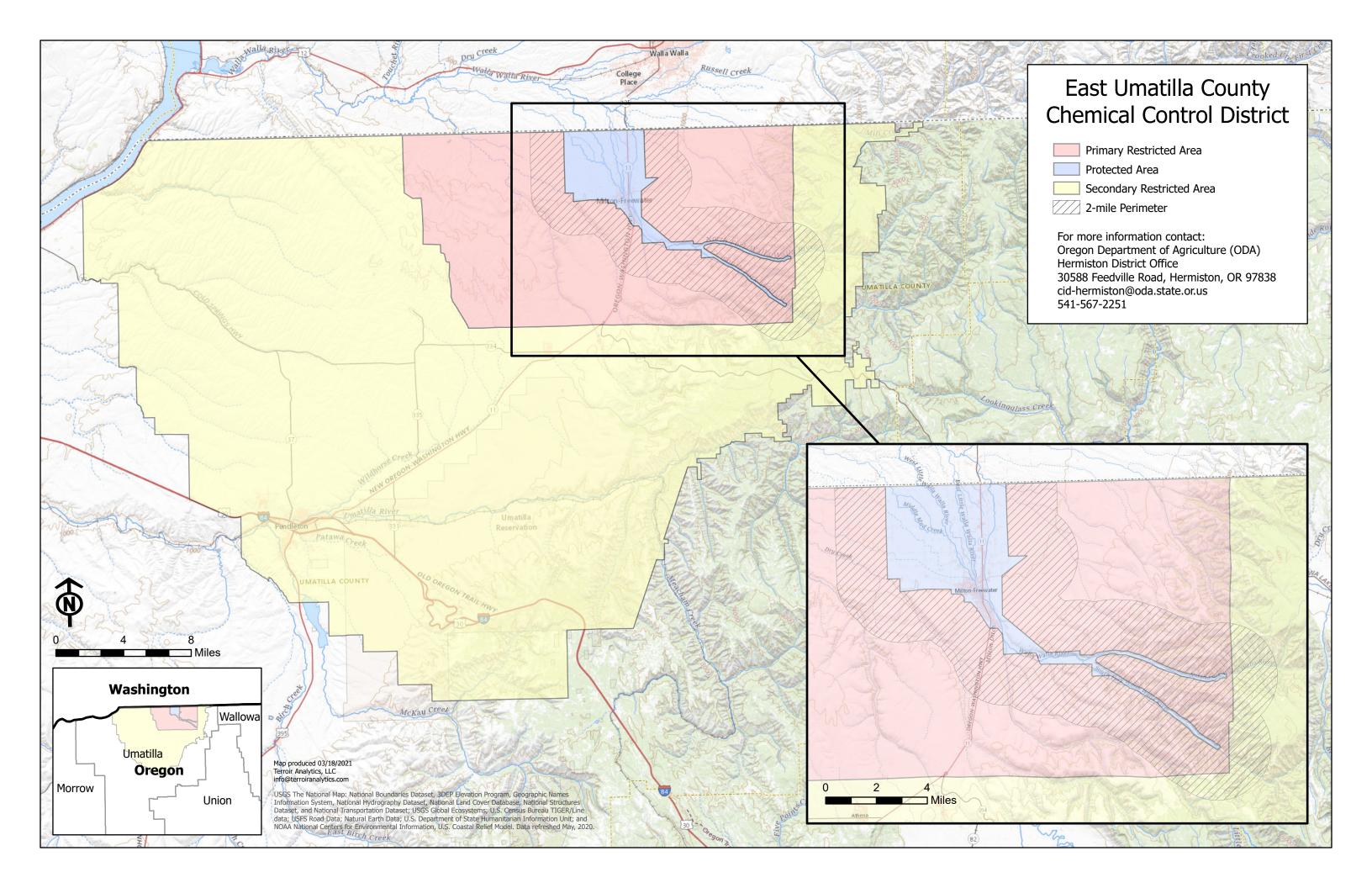
- 1. There is a Chemical Control District.
- 2. The Chemical Control District restricts the application of certain chemicals within specific areas.
- 3. The boundaries of the protected area.
- 4. Where more information on the rules and regulations can be found.

See the attached East Umatilla Chemical Control District chemical restrictions and map.

Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Todd Davis, Chairman
East Umatilla Chemical Control District



East Umatilla Chemical Control District

Due to the sensitive nature of crops in the East Umatilla County, Oregon area, this notice is a reminder that East Umatilla County has chemical application restrictions as follows. See Oregon Administrative Rules 634.206 through 242 online:

Protected Area (committee must be notified within 48 hours of any hormone type application)

- All hormone-type herbicides are prohibited at all times, except that:
- Amine and sodium salts 2-4D, & MCP may be applied: October 1 through May 1.
- Amine and sodium salts, low volatile formulations in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins, and other herbicide groups with different modes of action may be applied: October 1 through May 1.
- Low volatile esters may be applied for brush control: November 1 through February 1.
- The active ingredient Picloram (Tordon) may not be applied at any time in the protected area.

Methods of application allowed:

- Backpack or hand sprayers.
- Boom-type when nozzles direct spray at right angles to the boom with no more than 25 lbs. of pressure per square inch.

Two-mile Perimeter of Protected Area

- Inside radius of two miles boom-type equipment only: October 1 through March 25, except Barrett Station area as described.
- Outside radius of two miles: Low volatile esters may be applied by helicopter or ground equipment: October 1 through April 1.
- Outside radius of five miles: Low volatile esters may be applied by fixed-wing aircraft: October 1 through April 1.

Methods of application allowed:

- Backpack or hand sprayers.
- Boom-type when nozzles direct spray at right angles to the boom with no more than 25 lbs. of pressure per square inch.

Primary Restricted Area (permits must be obtained if applied by aircraft)

- Hormone-type herbicides prohibited at all times, except that:
- Amine and sodium salt forms 2-4D & MCP may be applied during the entire year.
- Amine and sodium salts, low volatile formulations in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins, and other herbicide groups with different modes of action may be applied during the entire year.
- Low volatile esters may be applied for brush control: November 1 through March 1.

Methods of application allowed:

- Backpack or hand sprayers.
- Boom-type when nozzles direct spray at right angles to the boom with no more than 50 lbs. of pressure per square inch.

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Protected Area and Primary Restricted Areas

- Oil type carriers prohibited at all times, except: For brush control after November 1 or before March 1.
 Oil type emulsifiers and oil type adjuvants may be used when not in excess of one pint per acre.
- Hormone-type herbicides may not be applied when wind velocity exceeds five miles per hour, unless the
 application is conducted greater than 5-miles from the outer edge of the Protected area.

Secondary Restricted Area

- High volatile ester formulations of 2,4-D, and MCP may not be used during the entire year.
- Hormone-type herbicides in Group 4 Synthetic Auxins may not be applied when wind velocity exceeds ten miles per hour.

For more information contact:

Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA) Hermiston District Office 30588 Feedville Road, Hermiston, OR 97838 541-567-2251 cid-hermiston@oda.state.or.us



Entering Protected Area

EAST UMATILLA CHEMICAL CONTROL DISTRICT

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THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF UMATILLA COUNTY

STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Placing)		
East Umatilla Chemical)	ORDER NO.	RD2024-04
Control District Signs on)		
Umatilla County Roads)		

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has authority to place and maintain traffic control devices on County Roads pursuant to ORS 810.210(2), and as further set out in Chapter 70, Umatilla County Code of Ordinances;

WHEREAS the County received a request from East Umatilla Chemical Control District to place signs at a number of locations to provide notice of the district and entering protected area;

WHEREAS the location of the proposed signs would be in eight different locations within the District, as set out in the attached aerial photographs.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners orders that the East Umatilla Chemical Control District signs, warning of entering protected area of the district and website for further information, at the following locations near the boundaries of the District:

- Intersection of Walla Walla River and Spofford Roads (County Road Nos. 610 and 567, sign facing North, read when traveling South;
- Couse Creek Road (County Road No. 613), sign facing South, read when traveling North;
- Nursery Annex Road (County Road No. 558), sign facing East, read when traveling West;
- Telephone Pole Road (County Road No. 551), sign facing North, read when traveling South;
- Winesap Road (County Road No. 625), sign facing North, read when traveling South;
- Rencken Road (County Road No. 509), sign facing North, read when traveling South;
- Fruitvale Road (County Road No. 508), sign facing West, read when traveling East;
- Phillips Road (County Road No. 532), sign facing West, read when traveling East.

The signs will be installed at a time convenient to the Umatilla County Public Works Department at the cost of the District.

DATED this 1st day of May, 2024.

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

John M. Shafer, Chair

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Daniel N. Dorran, Commissioner

ATTEST:
OFFICE OF COUNTY RECORDS

Records Officer

