

# **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**Join us as we remove invasive weeds along  
Rosewood Creek!**

**July 30<sup>th</sup> | 9:00am**  
**Parasol Bldg | 948 Incline Way**

**Bring shovel/trowel, gloves, hat, sunscreen, water and appropriate clothing.  
( NTC D and the Incline Village Parks & Recreation will provide some tools)  
Volunteers will be walking the Rosewood Creek corridor!**

**Questions/RSVP : [dfellers@ntcd.org](mailto:dfellers@ntcd.org) or 775.586.1610x26**



# STOP THE INVASION



Spotted Knapweed

Common Teasel

Bull Thistle

## What are they?

Invasive weeds are aggressive plants that have been introduced into an environment outside of their native range. They grow rapidly, reproduce profusely and outcompete native plants. They also lower plant diversity, change aesthetics, inhibit recreational activities and can pose a threat to lake clarity due to soil erosion.

## Why should I care?

- Invasive weeds can outcompete native plant species
- Weed infestations decrease trail and recreational opportunities
- Invasive species decrease property values
- Spotted knapweed has been designated as noxious by Nevada law, requiring control efforts by property owners

## What can I do?

- **Avoid:** Stay on trails and roads, avoid infestations
- **Clean:** Clean boots, tires and clothing when leaving the area
- **Pets:** Keep pets on trails, check pets for weed seeds
- **Manage:** Control weeds on your property
- **Participate:** Talk to neighbors and friends, join community clean-up groups, participate in local weed group meetings
- **Report:** To report new infestations, notify:
  - NV Dept. of Agriculture @ (775) 353-3673
  - Washoe County @ (775) 784-4848
  - Douglas County Weed District @ (775) 782-9835
  - or go online to [www.tahoeinvasiveweeds.org](http://www.tahoeinvasiveweeds.org)



For more information, visit [www.tahoeinvasiveweeds.org](http://www.tahoeinvasiveweeds.org)



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NTCD partnered with the Incline Village Parks & Recreation Department to remove the invasive weeds along Rosewood Creek. Rosewood Creek contains bull thistle, spotted knapweed and common teasel. Rosewood Creek is the only known location in the Tahoe Basin where teasel is currently growing.

NTCD received funding from the Nevada Department of Agriculture and the Truckee River Fund. The Incline Village Parks & Recreation Department is dedicated to developing a sustainable invasive weed removal program within their private property.

Please join us Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup>! If you have questions, please call Domi Fellers @ (775) 586.1610 ext 26, Michael Pook @ (775) 586.1610 ext 34 or email for more information: [dfellers@ntcd.org](mailto:dfellers@ntcd.org)