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NEWS RELEASE

City Turf Fertilization and Weed Abatement

Durango, CO: The City of Durango promotes Best Management Practices in the stewardship of City lands to ensure the safe enjoyment of parks in the community. The City has contracted with Scott's Pro-Lawn for turf fertilization and noxious weed abatement. The herbicide that will be used is called Vessel Broadleaf Herbicide and Q4 Turf Herbicide. Applications are conducted to improve the quality of the right-of-ways, parks and open spaces in the City's system. The weed control is repeatedly tested and approved by the Environmental Protection Agency and Scott's Pro-Lawn is licensed by the Colorado Department of Agriculture.

Spraying will commence on Tuesday, April 19, 2015 and continue through Monday May 2, 2016.

Tuesday April 19, 2015 the following areas will be sprayed: Fassbinder, Viles, Roosa, Triangle and Crestview Parks

Wednesday April 20, 2015 the following areas will be sprayed: Rank Park, Chapman Hill and the Rio Vista area (only) of Memorial Park.

Thursday April 21, 2015 the following areas will be sprayed: Hillcrest View and Jenkins Rach Parks

Friday April 22, 2015 the following areas will be sprayed: Durango Community Recreation Center and Animas City Park

For additional information, contact the Parks and Recreation, Park Maintenance Division at 375-7380.

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