

If the hay entering a restricted area does not have one of the listed transport documents:

- Vehicle can be detained by law enforcement and driver can be instructed to:
 - A. Return the cargo to its point of origin.
 - B. Return the cargo to its point of origin or other designated site and clean the cargo or equipment to the point that no infestation is present.
 - C. Take the cargo to a processing plant to have it rendered harmless, and/or re-cleaned to the point that no infested farm products are present.
 - D. Change the destination of the cargo to a place outside of the restricted area.
 - E. Destroy the cargo.

AND/OR

- Under W.S. 11-5-117 Criminal Provision:
 - A. Any person violating any provision of this act is guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be fined not more than one hundred dollars (\$100).
- Under [Title 16 USC 551, Title 18 USC 3571, and Title 18 USC 3581 (b) (7)]:
 - A. Any violation of this prohibition is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000 for an individual, or \$10,000 for an organization, and/or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months.

Contacts

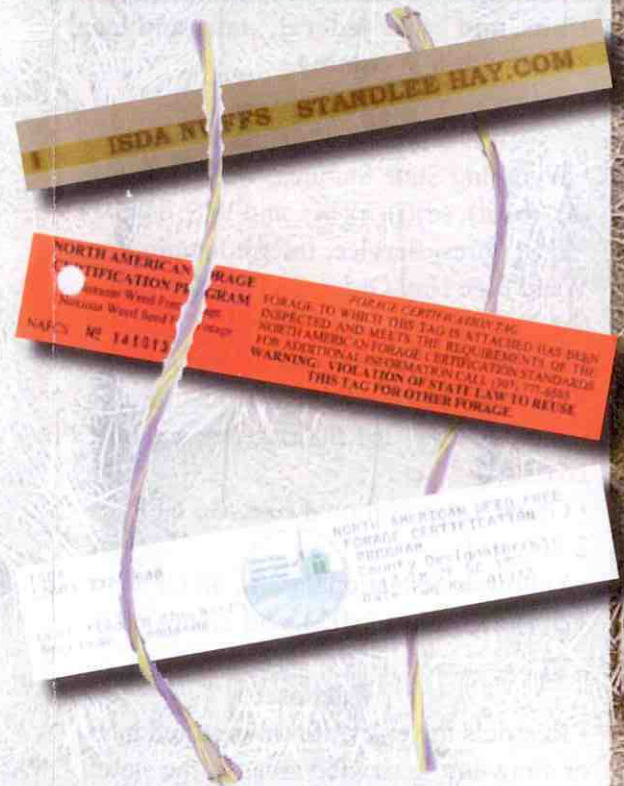
- Teton County Weed and Pest District
(307) 733-8419
- Park County Weed and Pest District
(307) 754-8884
- Yellowstone National Park
(307) 344-7381
- Grand Teton National Park
(307) 733-3300
- National Forest Service / Intermountain Region (801) 625-5306
- National Forest Service / Rocky Mountain Region (303) 275-5350
- Wyoming Department of Agriculture
(307) 777-6585

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WYOMING DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
WYOMING WEED AND PEST CONTROL DISTRICTS
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Wyoming Weed Free Forage Requirements



Everything you need to know about Transporting Hay in Wyoming

Areas in Wyoming requiring certified weed free hay and straw must be certified to the North American Weed Free Forage certification standards. These areas include but are not limited to: Teton County, Park County, all National Forests and Grasslands, National Park Units, and other federal, state, and local areas within Wyoming.

Authority Under:

- Wyoming State Statutes, W.S. 11-5-116 (a), (b)(ii), (d)(i)(ii)(iii), and W.S. 11-5-117
- U.S. Forest Service, Intermountain Region Weed Free Hay Order, 36 CFR 261.50(a) & (b), and 36 CFR 261.58(t)
- U.S. Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Region Weed Free Forage Products Order, 36 CFR 261.50(a) & (b), and 36 CFR 261.58(t)
- Grand Teton National Park, 36 CFR 2.16(g)(vi)
- Yellowstone National Park, 36 CFR 1.5(a)(2), 1.6(a), 2.1(2), and 2.16(g)(89)

Purpose:

- Restricts the entry of non-certified hay or straw into restricted areas of the state.
- To prevent the introduction of economically and environmentally damaging invasive plant species.

Hay Must Be Certified With (one of the following):

- Approved “North American Weed Free Forage” Transit Certificate

- Approved “North American Weed Free Forage” Tag (must be one on each individual bale)
- Trade Marked “North American Weed Free Forage” Twine
 - blue and orange weaved – (to be phased out)
 - yellow and purple weaved
- Approved “North American Weed Free Forage” compressed bale strapping (specific to Idaho)

Without one of the listed certification verifications:

- Interstate shipment of farm products through the state need not be certified if **100%** covered.
 - No uncertified hay shall enter or be transported through Yellowstone National Park.

