

Hoyer Heights Tree Trenches: Weeds



Photo Guide for Maintenance Reference

*Note: Weeds are defined as plants not in the planting plan. These may be native or non-native.

General Notes

- Weeds included in this guide have been found within or near the Hoyer Heights Tree Trenches, but this is not an exhaustive list.
- If you are not confident that the plant in question is a weed, consider waiting until it has grown larger or flowered to reevaluate so as to avoid accidentally removing desired plants (plants installed per the original planting plan).

Plant Identification Resources

- [Minnesota Wildflowers](https://www.minnesotawildflowers.info/)
 - <https://www.minnesotawildflowers.info/>
- [University of Minnesota Extension](https://apps.extension.umn.edu/garden/diagnose/weed/)
 - <https://apps.extension.umn.edu/garden/diagnose/weed/>
- [Illinois Wildflowers](http://www.illinoiswildflowers.info/)
 - <http://www.illinoiswildflowers.info/>
- [iNaturalist](https://www.inaturalist.org/)
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Weed List

Common Name	Scientific Name
Volunteer trees and shrubs such as maples, walnuts, apples, and oaks	<i>Acer</i> spp., Juglandaceae, <i>Malus</i> spp. <i>Quercus</i> spp.
Common Ragweed	<i>Ambrosia artemisiifolia</i>
Burdock	<i>Arctium</i> spp.
Lamb's Quarters	<i>Chenopodium album</i>
Chicory	<i>Cichorium intybus</i>
Canadian Horseweed	<i>Conyza canadensis</i>
Yellow Nutsedge	<i>Cyperus esculentus</i>
Crabgrass	<i>Digitaria</i> sp.
Barnyard Grasses	<i>Echinochloa</i> sp.
Thyme-leaved Spurge	<i>Euphorbia serpillifolia</i>
Mustards	Family Brassicaceae
Bindweeds	Family Convolvulaceae
Sunflower	<i>Helianthus</i> sp.
Prickly Lettuce	<i>Lactuca Serriola</i>
Bur clover	<i>Medicago polymorpha</i>
Yellow Woodsorrel	<i>Oxalis stricta</i>
Virginia Creeper	<i>Parthenocissus quinquefolia</i>
Smartweed	<i>Persicaria</i> sp.
Prostrate Knotweed	<i>Polygonum aviculare</i>
Common Purslane	<i>Portulaca oleracea</i>
Docks	<i>Rumex</i> sp.
Foxtails & Bristlegrasses	<i>Setaria</i> sp.
Dandelion	<i>Taraxacum officinale</i>
Grapevine	<i>Vitis</i> sp.

VOLUNTEER TREES AND SHRUBS



Maples (*Acer* spp.)



Apples (*Malus* spp.)



Walnut Family (*Juglandaceae*)



Oak (*Quercus* spp.)

COMMON RAGWEED



BURDOCK



LAMB'S QUARTERS



CHICORY



CANADIAN HORSEWEED



YELLOW NUTSEDGE



CRABGRASS



BARNYARD GRASSES



THYME-LEAVED SPURGE



MUSTARDS



BINDWEEDS



SUNFLOWER



PRICKLY LETTUCE



BUR CLOVER



YELLOW WOODSORREL



VIRGINIA CREEPER



SMARTWEED



PROSTRATE KNOTWEED



COMMON PURSLANE



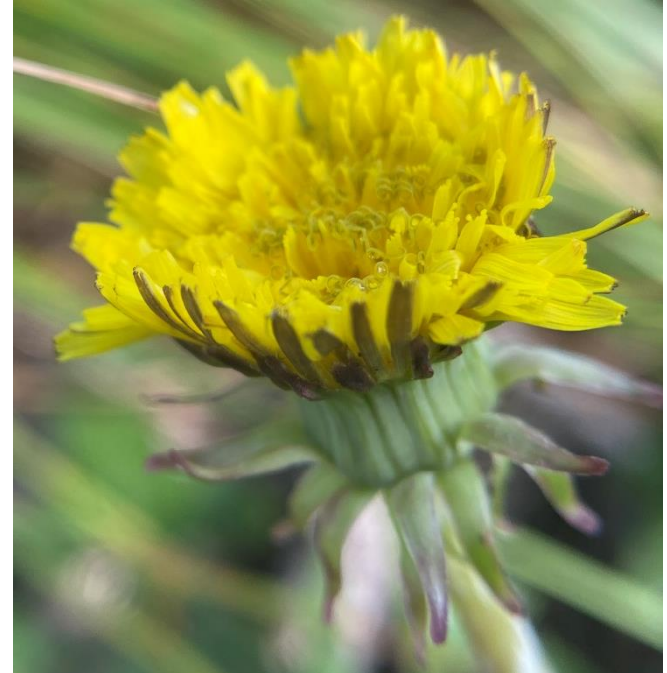
DOCKS



FOXTAILS & BRISTLEGRASSES



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GRAPEVINE



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