

Biocontrol Subscription Service

The subscription service option is open to counties and municipalities wanting a greater level of involvement in biocontrol and wanting to work with and support the Insectary. The subscription service offers four levels of service in exchange for four different levels of support. It is designed to give counties and municipalities the option of working more closely with the Biological Pest Control Program in exchange for monetary support of the program.

Who may participate? The subscription service is open to counties and municipalities only. We may expand the potential customer base to include conservation districts and other organizations with a stake in pest control but this will require permission from the Agriculture Commission.

This subscription service is **completely voluntary** and that needs to be emphasized, especially since funding is tight and weed managers won't be happy if they feel there is another mandatory fee to worry about.

\$250 annual fee

An assessment of biocontrol needs for the county weed manager, 5 releases of biocontrol agents for one to two weed species accompanied by brochures/information for distribution to landowners that will be receiving the releases, and an easily performed monitoring protocol.

\$500 annual fee

An assessment of biocontrol needs for the county weed manager, 10 releases of biocontrol agents for one to three weed species accompanied by brochures/information for distribution to landowners that will be receiving the releases, and an easily performed monitoring protocol.

\$750 annual fee

An assessment of biocontrol needs for the county weed manager, 15 releases of biocontrol agents for one to four weed species accompanied by brochures/information for distribution to landowners that will be receiving the releases, and an easily performed monitoring protocol.

\$1000 annual fee

An assessment of biocontrol needs for the county weed manager, 15 releases of biocontrol agents for one to five weed species accompanied by brochures/information for distribution to landowners that will be receiving the releases, and an easily performed monitoring protocol. **In addition, this level will receive the first new agents available for introduction in Colorado, provided that the jurisdiction is a suitable place for introduction.**