



Restore
Hibiscus & Bays

June 2020

Process after Reporting Pest Plants.

The flowchart overleaf is intended as guidance for individuals who are keen to help with reporting pest plants throughout the Hibiscus & Bays area. It details key actions to be taken after the pest plants are reported on [EcoTrack.nz](https://www.ecotrack.nz/). Please follow the series of questions and actions to determine the best way in which we can collectively ensure the removal of pest plants with high environmental threat.

Please also refer to our other pest plant resources. [Link Here.](#)

Email us at info@restorehb.org.nz with any questions. To borrow tools and equipment, [visit our tool library.](#)



Restore
Hibiscus & Bays

Recognise a pest plant species
Report on [EcoTrack.nz](https://www.ecotrack.nz)

Where is it?

Private property

Public land

Talk to the resident about the environmental and health problems caused by the pest plant. Give them the relevant pest plant leaflet or Forest & Bird weed guide. Restore Hibiscus & Bays can help with printing.

Are you able to remove it yourself, or with your friends, family or neighbours?

Are they physically able to remove the pest plant themselves or can they pay an eco-contractor?

Yes

No

No

Yes

Are you able to remove it on behalf of the resident?

Great! Set the status in EcoTrack to: 'I will remove soon'. Restore Hibiscus & Bays can lend tools and herbicides, or provide a list of local eco-contractors. After complete, update the status on EcoTrack or ask the resident to.

Great! Set the status in EcoTrack to: 'I will remove soon'. Restore Hibiscus & Bays can put you in touch with the land manager to get permission, and lend tools and herbicides. After complete, update the status on EcoTrack.

What pest plant species is it?

Moth plant
Madeira vine
Japanese honeysuckle
Wild ginger
Woolly nightshade
Blue morning glory
Climbing asparagus

Restore Hibiscus & Bays will send someone to look at the site and determine the best course of action - removal by volunteers or eco-contractors. Please be patient, as our funding and capacity is limited!

Is it moth plant?

No

Volunteers unlikely to have capacity to attend the property, but they may do in the future so thank you for reporting!

Yes

Restore Hibiscus & Bays will try to find a volunteer to help the resident to remove it. Please be patient as volunteer capacity is limited.