

# Reclamation BMP II Workshop

***Annual plants and restoration: What are the problems and the possible solutions?***



Why are annuities one of the main concerns that we are faced with?



















Cheatgrass

Halogeton

Mustards

Russian Thistle

# What are our native annuals?

Lets have some fun.



A natural Blessing  
plus a mechanical  
influence!

Big Flood for Wyoming  
6 Inches in three hours!

























































Clean up moved  
silt to off site  
location

What germinated?

Lets see what  
we can name

Good or Bad











































































































Where do we see native  
annuals?

Are we trying too hard to  
go from stage 0 to  
mature (stable) all at  
once?



What control is needed of introduced annuals?

Do we have a problem with introduced annuals because we have ignored native annuals?



What are the side effects  
of controlling annuities?  
1950 report



What is the best  
method of  
control? Poison?  
Grub?  
Competition?



Problematic native  
annuals?



What is the interaction of native annuals with native bi-annuals and perennials?



How quickly should we  
be back to a stable site?

Do we want  
everything to look the  
same?

What is a stable site?



Buffalo wallows



Have you seen one lately?



Economics???



No questions please

I don't have the answers

Thanks

Questions???