Noxious Weed Thistles in Weld County

Weld County has four of the state's five noxious weed thistle species growing within its boundary. These species are Canada Thistle, Scotch Thistle, Musk Thistle and in limited quantities Bull Thistle. Plumeless Thistle is the only one not growing here. If you suspect you have any of these thistles, please reach out to the Weed Division for assistance with their control.





Plumeless Thistle (Gary L. Piper, Washington State University)