

Bob Finley
Assistant Supervisor
Fremont County Weed and Pest
Dubois/Crowheart Weed Management Area
Dubois, Wyoming

Biography: Bob graduated from the University of Wyoming in 1989 with a degree in Farm & Ranch Management. In 2024 he earned a Master's degree in Plant Sciences at UW. Bob began working for Fremont County Weed and Pest in 2002 and enjoys all aspects of the job including spraying and mapping weeds, collaborating with other weed managers, weed scientists, and different agency personnel, writing weed plans, consulting with land managers, inspecting hayfields for weed free certification, attending various classes and conferences, along with public outreach and education.

Workshop: *GEO Referencing and Weed Scavenger Hunt* - In this workshop, Bob will explain how the Global Positioning System (GPS) works and will discuss various uses for it, including data collection for monitoring and treating existing infestations. We'll finish by locating certain noxious weeds with handheld GPS units and will learn how to identify them.



Cody Thrasher
Program Manager
Fremont County Weed and Pest
Riverton, Wyoming

Biography: Cody graduated in 1994 from Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, CO with an Associate of Applied Science Degree specializing in Turfgrass Management. Cody has been stopping weeds in his tracks with FCWP since 2008. Today, he has grown his duties with the district by overseeing both the Hay Certification Program and the Biological Control & Grasshopper Monitoring Program.

Workshop: *Grasshopper Pick-A-Part* - In this workshop, Cody will showcase the biology and life cycle of grasshoppers. After a brief explanation, get ready to hop into a collection of grasshoppers to identify!

