## Project Summary Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit

Project Title: Biological Weed Control Research

Type of Project: Research Project Discipline: Natural Funding Agency: Bureau of Land Management Other Partners/Cooperators: University of Montana Effective Dates: 8/1/2004 - 7/31/2019 Funding Amount: \$20,000 [FY15: \$10,000; FY14: \$10,000]

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**Project Abstract:** To research biological weed control agents that will help to slow or prevent the infestation of invasive and noxious plant species.

## Outcomes with completion dates: 7/31/2019

Keywords: invasive plants, control weed agent, BLM, University of Montana