



# Associate Member Supporter: Member Benefits.

PROMOTING BEST PRACTICE

The Amenity Forum is the national voluntary initiative promoting best practice in all aspects of weed, pest and disease control.

# What YOU can expect from US.

As a voluntary initiative, the Amenity Forum seeks to:

- Be the voice for the amenity sector on all matters relating to weed, pest and disease management
- Lead, encourage and coordinate best practice in the sector
- Coordinate and encourage networking, training and CPD activity
- Organise activities within the Amenity Forum membership and raise awareness more widely

## Who are our Members?

We have some 70 members in membership across the UK, all connected by their involvement in weed, pest & disease management. There is a huge wealth of knowledge sitting within our Member network and we're proud to bring together a broad range of organisations from across this very diverse and important sector. Members are expected to fully support by their actions and deeds, matching the Forum's primary objective of promoting and encouraging an integrated approach to the management of pests, weeds and diseases.

# **Associate Member Supporter Benefits.**

By joining the Amenity Forum as an Associate Member Supporter, you are able to enjoy many benefits. Here's a reminder of what you can look forward to.

#### A clear commitment to compliance

During the sign-up process, all of our Members agree to follow a code of conduct which promotes and encourages an integrated approach to the proper and responsible use of pesticides and other methods for the management of pests, weeds and diseases.

**Top Tip!** After you have signed-up, why not tell your stakeholders and wider contacts that you have joined the Amenity Forum? Add it to your organisation's newsletter, send out a press release or shout about it on social media.

#### The latest research, news and views

We will act as a single and trusted point of contact, giving you the latest and most relevant information about weed and pest control.

**Top Tip!** Look out for our monthly Member email newsletter for the latest news from our sector. It includes a round-up of who our Chairman has met with, and the events he has attended.

### A group of experts at your fingertips

We have over 70 organisations (including local authorities just like yours) within our Membership all dealing with professional weed and pest control on a daily basis, and led by a passionate, proactive and highly approachable Chairman.

**Top Tip!** We know your time and resources are stretched, so why not seek help from the rest of the Membership? Chances are, someone else has faced the same issues as you, or can provide you with a trusted recommendation.

## Resources created specifically for local authorities

We have developed a brand new set of guidance notes on subjects including chemical products in amenity, facts about glyphosate, the UK National Action Plan and tendering guidance.

**Top Tip!** These brand new resources will be available as soon as you sign-up – so look out for them!