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UW WEED SCIENCE PROGRAM SEEKING WATERHEMP SEEDS FOR HERBICIDE RESISTANCE PROJECT

During the 2021 growing season there were reports regarding lack of performance of **dicamba** (XtendiMax, Engenia, Status), **2,4-D** (Enlist One) and/or **glufosinate** (Liberty) on POST control of waterhemp in corn and soybean fields in Wisconsin.

The UW Weed Science program is inviting Wisconsin farmers and agronomists to collect waterhemp seeds this fall from their row crop production fields **where one of these three herbicides failed to provide effective POST control** and submit them to UW-Madison for herbicide resistance screenings.

There is no cost associated to the herbicide resistance screening. The only cost will be your time to collect the seed samples and mail them in. All samples will be screened in the greenhouse for resistance to 2,4-D, dicamba and glufosinate.

The Seed Collection Form and more information can be found here: <https://tinyurl.com/yywx45u2> Or, contact the Monroe County Extension Office for paper copies of the forms.

This project is being supported by the **Wisconsin Soybean Marketing Board** and the **Take Action Program**.

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