

Removing Invasive Species: Poison Parsnip

Pastinaca sativa



Caution: This plant is poisonous. Remove with gloves and proper protection.



Identifying Poison Parsnip: There are leaves with 5-15 leaflets on each stalk (top left), the stems are hollow and ridged and flowers are yellow in an umbel shape on-top-of the stem (top right).



Do not remove the whole root. Use a shovel to puncture the entire tuberous root below the ground ensuring the root is not in the sun.



Replace with native relative Queen Anne's Lace (*Daucus carota*)