Purple Loosestrife
Lythrum salicaria

**PERENNIAL LIFECYCLE & TREATMENT TIMING**
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- **DIG ROOT**
  Remove seedling and root.

- **FOLIAR SPRAY**
  Spray leaves.

- **CUT AND TREAT**
  Cut stem at the base and spray.

- **MOW**
  Mow before seed set to prevent seed dispersal.

- **WEED TORCH**
  Burn seedling stage.

- **BIOCONTROL**
  Release designated biocontrol agents on large populations.

Monitoring and repeated management is necessary for long term control of established infestations.