

Floating Pennywort

We are working to control Floating Pennywort, an invasive species, on the River Thames and its tributaries down to Kingston



Why is it a problem for our rivers?

- It can out compete native species
- It can obstruct boats and prevent angling
- It can increase flood risk.

How do I identify it?

- Fleshy stalks
- Fine roots
- Shiny kidney shaped leaves up to 7 cm wide



What can you do to help?

Please report its location by emailing us at:

enquiries_THM@environment-agency.gov.uk

Not sure if it is floating pennywort?

Look at the plant tracker website or download the app: www.plantracker.org.uk

You can also report sightings using the app



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