2017 Manitoba Grasshopper Monitoring Program

Complete survey and either enter the data to the "Grasshopper Survey Data 2017" spreadsheet on the Manitoba Agriculture computer network (T: Staff File Sharing: Insect Monitoring), or mail or E-mail this form by September 30, 2017 to: John Gavloski, Manitoba Agriculture, Box 1149, Carman, MB, R0G 0J0. E-mail: John.Gavloski@gov.mb.ca

Record the average number of grasshoppers per square meter.

Rural Municipality _____

Date surveyed	GPS (X- coordinate) ¹	GPS (Y- coordinate)	Vegetation at location monitored ²	Number of grasshoppers/m ²	Dominant species of grasshopper	Diseased grasshoppers or predators noted

¹If GPS location cannot be determined in the field, note the legal location.

Legal locations can be converted to GPS locations with Prairie Locator (http://prairielocator.com/).

²Samples should be taken either on roadsides \underline{or} within the field, wherever grasshopper populations appear to be highest.

1=roadside (indicate predominant plant types if known)

2=annual crop (indicate crop)

3=pasture (indicate predominant plant types if known)

4=perennial forage (indicate type)