# **Carex riparia**

## **FAMILY**

Cyperaceae

#### **AUTHORITY**

Carex riparia Curtis

### **FLORA CATEGORY**

Vascular - Exotic

## STRUCTURAL CLASS

Sedges

### **CONSERVATION STATUS**

Not applicable

### **ETYMOLOGY**

carex: Latin name for a species of sedge, now applied to the whole group.

**riparia**: From the Latin ripa 'streambank or 'riverbank' and the suffix -aris which gives the sense 'belonging to' or ' resembling'. Riparia means growing on the banks of streams or rivers

## **MORE INFORMATION**

https://www.nzpcn.org.nz/flora/species/carex-riparia/

