

**Indiana Invasive Species Council Public Meeting
Draft AGENDA**

Tuesday, February 18, 2020 from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Efroymsen Conservation Center
620 East Ohio Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202

10:00 AM

1. Welcome, roll call and introductions: – IISC chairperson Mike Warner
2. Adopt agenda. Approve December 17, 2019 minutes
3. IISC financial report (Steve Yaninek)
4. Old business:
 - a. DNR Invasive Species Website Inconsistencies update - Status (Mike Warner)
 - b. IISC Biennial Report (Heather Reynolds)
 - c. IISC 2020 Biennial Conference Agenda (Dawn Slack)
 - d. Field Guide Status (Dawn Slack)
 - e. Board member replacement recommendations
5. New business:
 - a. Senate Bill 99 summer study committee on invasive species
 - i. Current status of SB99 summer study committee and partner discussions moving forward (Mike Warner)
 - ii. Discussion of outcomes from SB99 and the role of the IISC in each of these (IISC and quests)
 - An understanding of the short-term and long-term costs and environmental impacts of the invasive species problems in Indiana.
 - Agreement on an Indiana strategy that identifies focus, leadership, and invasive species management tactics and approaches.
 - An examination of the Indiana Invasive Initiative.
 - A strategy that will address the long-term funding needs and support for the Indiana Invasive Initiative and the emerging Cooperative Invasive Species Management Areas (CISMAs) across the state.
 - iii. IISC action steps necessary to achieve these outcomes.
 - f. Indiana Division of Forestry 2020 Forest Action plan comments (Mike Warner)
 - g. Emerging Invasive Species Issues
 - i. Plant Pests (Megan Abraham)
 - ii. Aquatic (Eric Fischer)
 - iii. Animal Diseases (Kelli Werling)
 - iv. Plants (Dawn Slack)
 - v. Invasive Plants Advisory Committee (Dawn Slack)
 - General Updates
 - Invasive Plant Species Assessments & Recommendations for the TPR
 - h. Networking Conversations
 - i. Updates from Working Groups & Ad Hoc Committees
 - j. Response to Lindsten email re: long term management of invasives on mitigation acres.
6. Updates or announcements from the Council and public
7. Next meeting date: **XXX, YY** 2020
8. Next steps/action items

3:00 PM – Adjourn