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<b>NAME</b>	<b>National Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	NISC <b>National</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa
<b>Date Formed</b>	February 3, 1999
<b># State Groups</b>	Included as stakeholders, workgroup members
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes Dept. of Agriculture • Dept. of Commerce • Dept. of interior • Dept. of State • Dept. fo Defense • Dept. of Homeland Security • Dept. of Treasury • Dept. of Transportation • Dept. of Health & Human Services • Environmental Protection Agency • U.S. Agency for International Development • U.S. Trade Representative • National Aeronautics and Space Administration
<b># Other Groups</b>	Included as stakeholders, workgroup members
<b>Number of Members</b>	13
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Twice per year
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	The National Invasive Species Council (Council) is an inter-Departmental council that helps to coordinate and ensure complementary, cost-efficient and effective Federal activities regarding invasive species.
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	National Invasive Species Management Plan
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Working Groups are the International Working Group; Communication, Outreach, and Education Working Group; Management Working Group; Policy and Regulation Working Group; Research, Information Sharing, Documentation and Monitoring Working Group; and the Risk Analysis and Prevention Working Group
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Executive Order 13112
<b>Annual Budget</b>	2006 estimated costs: \$1,255,304,000 <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/docs/council/FY06budget.pdf">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/docs/council/FY06budget.pdf</a>
<b>Chair1</b>	Secretary of Agriculture: Hon. Mike Johanns
<b>Chair 2</b>	Secretray of Commerce: Hon. Carlos Gutierrez
<b>Chair 3</b>	Secretary of the Interior: Hon. Gale Norton
<b>Contact</b>	<b>National Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Department of the Interior, Office of the Secretary (OS/SIO/NISC)
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<b>Address</b>	Washington DC, 20240
<b>Phone Number</b>	202-513-7243
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:invasivespecies@ios.doi.gov">invasivespecies@ios.doi.gov</a>
<b>Official Invasive Species Lists</b>	<a href="http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/permits/noxiousweed_list.html">http://www.aphis.usda.gov/ppq/permits/noxiousweed_list.html</a> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/database/feis/plants/weed/index.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/database/feis/plants/weed/index.html</a> <a href="http://www.usgs.nau.edu/SWEPIC/swemp/weed.asp">http://www.usgs.nau.edu/SWEPIC/swemp/weed.asp</a> <a href="http://www.glerl.noaa.gov/res/Programs/invasive/">http://www.glerl.noaa.gov/res/Programs/invasive/</a>
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/index.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/index.shtml</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/council/agencies.shtml#agencyrep">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/council/agencies.shtml#agencyrep</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/council/nmp.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/council/nmp.shtml</a> <a href="http://www.anstaskforce.gov/default.php">http://www.anstaskforce.gov/default.php</a>

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Arizona Invasive Species Advisory Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	AISAC <b>Arizona</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Advisory Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	2005	
<b># State Groups</b>	7 Arizona Game and Fish Dept. • Arizona Dept. of Agriculture • Arizona Dept. of Water Resources • Arizona Dept. of Transportation • Arizona State Land Dept. • Arizona State Parks • Office of the Governor	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes Federal Agency Representatives with an interest in Invasive species, as appointed by the Governor.	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Native American Community • Agricultural Industry • Conservation Industry • Forest Health Management Interests • Ranching Industry • Nursery & Landscape Indust. • Pet Indust. • Mining Indust. • Cooperative Weed Mgmt. Areas • Academic Interests	
<b>Number of Members</b>	27 or less, appointed by the Governor	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Schedule: <a href="http://azgovernor.gov/ais/Agendas.asp">http://azgovernor.gov/ais/Agendas.asp</a>	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Develop a consensus vision for a coordinated, multi-stakeholder approach to invasive species management in Arizona.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Statewide Invasive Species plan by 6/30/06 Agency summaries of activities/expenditures regarding invasive species	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Leadership and Coordination • Anticipation and Outreach • Research and Information Management • Control and Management	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Executive Order 2005-09, April 2005	
<b>Annual Budget</b>	None	
<b>Chair1</b>	Don Butler (Arizona Dept. of Agriculture)	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Duane Shroufe (Director; Arizona Game and Fish)	
<b>Chair type</b>	Two Co-Chairs	
<b>Contact</b>	Donald Butler, OOD Director Duane L. Shroufe, Director	
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Arizona State Department of Agriculture Arizona Game & Fish Dept.	
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<b>Phone Number</b>	602-542-0997 602-942-3000	
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:dbutler@azda.gov">dbutler@azda.gov</a> (602-542-0955) <b>David Madison</b> <a href="mailto:dmadison@azda.gov">dmadison@azda.gov</a>	
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.azdot.gov/Highways/NResources/Noxious_Weed_List.asp">http://www.azdot.gov/Highways/NResources/Noxious_Weed_List.asp</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://azgovernor.gov/ais/">http://azgovernor.gov/ais/</a> <a href="http://azgovernor.gov/ais/Agendas.asp">http://azgovernor.gov/ais/Agendas.asp</a> <a href="http://azgovernor.gov/ais/documents/ArizonaInvasiveSpeciesExecutiveOrder2005-09.pdf">http://azgovernor.gov/ais/documents/ArizonaInvasiveSpeciesExecutiveOrder2005-09.pdf</a>	
	Sonoran Desert <a href="http://www.sonoran.org/programs/sonoran_desert/si_sdep_invasivecouncil.html">http://www.sonoran.org/programs/sonoran_desert/si_sdep_invasivecouncil.html</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Delaware Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	DISC	<b>Delaware</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	Jan-99	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes Delaware Center for the Inland Bays • Delaware Center for Horticulture • Delaware Dept. of Agriculture • Delaware Dept. of Natural Resources • Delaware Nature Society • Delaware Nursery and Landscape Association • University of Delaware	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes US Dept. of Agriculture • US Fish and Wildlife Service	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Academic institutions, individuals	
<b>Number of Members</b>	Open	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Annual business meetings, Scheduled meetings, Special meetings	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	"The mission of the Delaware Invasive Species Council, Inc. is to protect Delaware's ecosystems by preventing the introduction and reducing the impact of non-native species."	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>		
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Charter and By-Laws • Public Awareness and Education • Data Management • Research and Projects • ad hoc as needed	
<b>Legal Basis</b>		
<b>Annual Budget</b>	Funding generated by membership fees, grants, and donations.	
<b>Chair1</b>	Chair: Dr. Faith Kuehn	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Vacant	
<b>Chair type</b>	Chair and Vice-Chair, elected by vote from members in good standing, 2 yr terms	
<b>Contact</b>	<b>Cathy Martin, Secretary</b>	
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	DISC, Delaware Dept of Ag	Division of Fish & Wildlife
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<b>Address</b>	Dover, DE 19901	Smyrna, DE 19977
<b>Phone Number</b>	302-698-4587 Ext. 2320	(302) 653-2887, ext. 106
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<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.delawareinvasives.org/raw/pdf/de_inv_species_list.pdf">http://www.delawareinvasives.org/raw/pdf/de_inv_species_list.pdf</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.delawareinvasives.org/">http://www.delawareinvasives.org/</a> <a href="http://www.delawareinvasives.org/board.htm">http://www.delawareinvasives.org/board.htm</a> <a href="http://www.delawareinvasives.org/bylaws.htm">http://www.delawareinvasives.org/bylaws.htm</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Invasive Species Working Group</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	ISWG <b>Florida</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Working Group	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	Jun-05	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes	9
	Florida Dept. Environmental Protection • Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission • Florida Dept. of Agriculture & Consumer Services (Div. of Aquaculture, Div. of Animal Industry, Div. of Forestry) • South Florida Water Mgmt. District • St. Johns River Water Mgmt. District • Northwest Florida Water Mgmt. District • Florida Dept. of Transportation	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	No	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes	1
	University of Florida Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences	
<b>Number of Members</b>	13	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	2-4 times per year	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Develop Statewide Invasive Species Strategic Plan (18 items: statewide coordination, prevention, surveillance, rapid response, control & management, and public education) • Help private lands in preventing, controlling, and managing invasive species • Outline agency efforts.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual Report	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Caulerpa Subworking Group • Risk Assessment Subworking Group • Public Awareness Subworking Group • Duplications and Gaps Subworking Group • Private Lands Incentive Subworking Group	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	MOU February, 2004	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Brian Nelson, Southwest Florida Water Management District	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Dr. Ken Langeland Inst. Of Food and Agricultural Sciences Univ. of Florida	
<b>Chair type</b>	2 year terms, elections	
<b>Contact</b>	Brian Nelson	Dr. Ken Langeland
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	S.West Florida Water Mgmt.	Univ. Florida, Center for Aq. And Invasive plants
<b>Address</b>	2379 Broad St.	7922 NW 71st Street
<b>Address</b>	Brooksville, FL 34604	Gainesville, FL 32606
<b>Phone Number</b>	352-796-7211 ext. 4537	352-392-3462
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:brian.nelson@swfwmd.state.fl.us">brian.nelson@swfwmd.state.fl.us</a>	<a href="mailto:Kal@gnv.ifas.ufl.edu">Kal@gnv.ifas.ufl.edu</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://iswgfla.org/Prohibited%20species.htm">http://iswgfla.org/Prohibited%20species.htm</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes: 62C-52.011 Prohibited Aquatic Plants, 68A-23.008 Introduction of Non-Native Aquatic Species	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://iswgfla.org/default.htm">http://iswgfla.org/default.htm</a> <a href="http://www.iswgfla.org/files/2003_StrategicFloridaPlan_Fed.pdf">http://www.iswgfla.org/files/2003_StrategicFloridaPlan_Fed.pdf</a> <a href="http://iswgfla.org/Meeting%20Highlights.htm">http://iswgfla.org/Meeting%20Highlights.htm</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Hawaii Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	HISC <b>Hawaii</b>
<b>Type</b>	Invasive Species Council
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa
<b>Date Formed</b>	2003
<b># State Groups</b>	yes 9 Departments of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) • Agriculture ( <b>DOA</b> ) • Business Economic Development, and Tourism ( <b>DBEDT</b> )• Health ( <b>DOH</b> ) • Transportation ( <b>DOT</b> ) • University of Hawaii ( <b>UH</b> ) • Department Directors: (Hawaiian Home Lands ( <b>DHHL</b> ) • Commerce and Consumer Affairs ( <b>DCCA</b> ) • Defense ( <b>DOD</b> )
<b># Federal Groups</b>	yes 9
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Invitation basis
<b>Number of Members</b>	9, plus invited participants from Federal, local, NGO, etc.
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Semi-annually
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Education • Mitigation • Prevention
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual report: <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/ANNREPHISC2004.pdf">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/ANNREPHISC2004.pdf</a> Biennial Budget report
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Interagency Working Group • Working Group on Pests Not Present in Hawaii • Working Group on Established Pests • Resources Working Group • Public Outreach Working Group
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Act 85, SLH 2003
<b>Annual Budget</b>	\$10,000,000 per year, for 4 years (%50 state) Strategic plan: <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/</a>
<b>Chair1</b>	DLNR Chairperson Peter Young
<b>Chair 2</b>	DOA Chairperson Sandra Kunimoto
<b>Chair type</b>	Co-Chair
<b>Contact</b>	Peter Young
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Kalanimoku Building
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<b>Address</b>	Honolulu, HI 96813
<b>Phone Number</b>	808-587-0400
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:peteryoung@hawaii.gov">peteryoung@hawaii.gov</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes
<b>Location</b>	Compiled List: <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/</a>
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No, but designated restricted species require permit for entry
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/</a> <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/SB1505%20CD1.htm">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/SB1505%20CD1.htm</a> <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/</a> <a href="http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/ANNREPHISC2004.pdf">http://www.state.hi.us/dlnr/dofaw/HISC/HISC%20Documents/ANNREPHISC2004.pdf</a>

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Idaho Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	IISC <b>Idaho</b>
<b>Type</b>	Invasive Species Council
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa
<b>Date Formed</b>	2001
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes            11 Office of the Governor • State Dept. of Agriculture • Dept. of Environmental Quality • Dept. of Parks and Rec. • Dept. of Fish and Game • Dept. of Lands • Dept. of Water Resources • Dept. of Commerce • Dept. of Health and Welfare • Idaho Transportation Dept. • University of Idaho
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes            7 USDA Forest Service • USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service • USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service • Bureau of Land Management • Bureau of Reclamation • Idaho Congressional Delegates (2 Sen. 2 Congressmen)
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes            At least 10 Local government Organizations (5) • Tribal Governments (5) • private and not for profit organizations and additional members as invited
<b>Number of Members</b>	28 plus additional as appointed or invited
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Not established
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Early Intervention • Containment, Control & Restoration • Outreach through Education and Training • Broadening Knowledge through Research & Technology Transfer • Assuring Adequate Funding • Creating an Adequate, Effective Legal Structure • Coordinating Efforts
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	<a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/InvSpTasks.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/InvSpTasks.php</a>
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Executive Order 2001-11, 2000
<b>Annual Budget</b>	
<b>Chair1</b>	Patrick Takasugi, Director of Idaho Dept. of Ag
<b>Chair 2</b>	
<b>Chair type</b>	Chair housed in Dept. of Ag (Director or designee)
<b>Contact</b>	Phil Bandy,
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Idaho State Dept. of Agriculture
<b>Address</b>	2270 Old Penitentiary Rd., PO Box 790
<b>Address</b>	Boise, ID 83701-0790
<b>Phone Number</b>	208-334-2189
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:pbandy@idahoag.us">pbandy@idahoag.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Weeds
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/NoxiousWeeds/watchlist.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/NoxiousWeeds/watchlist.php</a>
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/indexInvSpCounsel.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/indexInvSpCounsel.php</a> <a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/StrategicActPlan.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/StrategicActPlan.php</a> <a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/CouncilMembers.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/CouncilMembers.php</a> <a href="http://www3.state.id.us/idstat/TOC/22024KTOC.html">http://www3.state.id.us/idstat/TOC/22024KTOC.html</a> <a href="http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/Contact.php">http://www.agri.state.id.us/Categories/PlantsInsects/InvasiveSpeciesCounsel/Contact.php</a>

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Maryland Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	MISC	<b>Maryland</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	April, 2000	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes, informal MD Association of Pet Industries • MD Dept. of Agriculture • MD Dept. of the Environment • MD Dept. of Transportation • MD Nursery and Landscape Assoc. • MD-National Capital Park & Planning Commission • MD Native Plant Society • University of MD	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes, informal US Dept. of Agriculture • US Dept of the Interior	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes, informal Adkins Arboretum • Mid-Atlantic Exotic Pest Plant Council Inc. • Participating Organizations (voting) • Maryland residents or landowners (voting) • Guests (non-voting)	
<b>Number of Members</b>	Open, 37 active members in 2004	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	6 times a year	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	"The MARYLAND INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL provides leadership concerning invasive species and encourages efforts that prevent the introduction of, and manage the impact of, invasive species on Maryland ecosystems."	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>		
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Organization Committee	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	None, informal	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>		
<b>Chair 2</b>		
<b>Chair type</b>	None, informal. Facilitator moderates meetings	
<b>Contact</b>	Maryland Dept. of Agriculture	<b>Bob Tichenor</b>
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Plant Protection and Weed Mgmt. Section	MD Dept. of Ag. Forest Pest Mgmt Service
<b>Address</b>		
<b>Address</b>		
<b>Phone Number</b>	410-841-5920	410-841-5931
<b>email Address</b>		<a href="mailto:tichenrh@mda.state.md.us">tichenrh@mda.state.md.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/invasive_species_md.html">http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/invasive_species_md.html</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/index.html">http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/index.html</a> <a href="http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/active_members.html">http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/active_members.html</a> <a href="http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/invasive_species_md.html">http://www.mdinvasivesp.org/invasive_species_md.html</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Minnesota Invasive Species Advisory Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	MISAC	<b>Minnesota</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	May, 2001	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes Minnesota Dept. of Agriculture • Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources • University of Minnesota Minnesota Native Plant Society • University of Minnesota Sea Grant Program • Minnesota Department of Transportation	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service • U.S. Department of Agriculture • U.S. Forest Service • U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service • U.S. Corp of Engineers	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Leech Lake Div. of Resource Mgmt. • The Nature Conservancy • Minn. Nursery and Landscape Association • Minn. Crop Improvement Association • Bailey's Nursery • County agricultural inspectors • Master Gardeners • Local, Tribal, Conservation, Environmental, Nursery Industry, etc. groups and individuals invited to join as interested.	
<b>Number of Members</b>	30	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Quarterly	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Prevention • Containment • Research • Management • The purpose of MISAC is to review information concerning the current status and management of terrestrial and aquatic invasive species including animals, insects, plants, and diseases in Minnesota.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual Report	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Criteria for Invasiveness • Survey and Monitoring • Information and Education • Research	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	State Statute 2005 18G.12	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Terry McDill, MISAC Co-Chair	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Jay Rendall, MISAC Co-Chair	
<b>Chair Type</b>	Housed in Minn. DNR and Minn. Dept. of Ag. Chairs appointed at agencies discretion	
<b>Contact</b>	Terry McDill, Invasive Sp. Unit Supervisor	Jay Rendall, Invasive Sp. Prog. Coord
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Minnesota Dept. of Agriculture	Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources
<b>Address</b>	625 Robert St. N	500 Lafayette Rd, Box 25
<b>Address</b>	St. Paul, MN 55155	St Paul, MN 55155-4025
<b>Phone Number</b>	651-201-6448	651-259-5131
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:Teresa.McDill@state.mn.us">Teresa.McDill@state.mn.us</a>	<a href="mailto:jay.rendall@dnr.state.mn.us">jay.rendall@dnr.state.mn.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes. State statutes and rules	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/stats/84D/">http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/stats/84D/</a> <a href="http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/arule/6216/">http://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/arule/6216/</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes.	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.mda.state.mn.us/misac/">http://www.mda.state.mn.us/misac/</a> <a href="http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/invasives/index.html">http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/invasives/index.html</a> <a href="http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/invasives/laws.html">http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/ecological_services/invasives/laws.html</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/mn.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/mn.shtml</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>New Hampshire Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	NHISC <b>New Hampshire</b>
<b>Type</b>	Committee
<b>Area of Concern</b> <b>Date Formed</b>	All Taxa
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes            6 State Entomologist • Commissioner of Environmental Services • Commissioner of Resources and Economic Development • Commissioner of Dept. of Transportation • Exec. Director of Fish and Game • Dean of the College of Life Sciences & Ag. Of the Univ. of New Hampshire
<b># Federal Groups</b>	No
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes            3 Three persons representing Horticultural, Environmental, and Public Interests, appointed by the governor with the advise and consent of the 6 member executive council.
<b>Number of Members</b> <b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	9 Monthly
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Establishing means to address and minimize adverse effects; promote research and educational to achieve the best possible protection of agriculture, forest, wildlife, other natural resources and human health; and to prevent and control the spread of invasive
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual list of invasive species
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	None
<b>Legal Basis</b>	HB 1258-FN    2000
<b>Annual Budget</b>	Donations, grants, etc. Supported by Dept. of Agriculture budget
<b>Chair1</b> <b>Chair 2</b> <b>Chair type</b> <b>Contact</b> Organization/Agency Address Address Phone Number email Address	Douglas Cygan-Chair Chosen annually from committee members Douglas Cygan, Invasive Species Coordinator / Assistant State Entomologist NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food, Plant Industry Division State Lab Building, Lab D, 29 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03301 603-271-3692 <a href="mailto:dcygan@adr.state.nh.us">dcygan@adr.state.nh.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b> <b>Location</b> <b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes, Regulated by Dept of Environmental Services <a href="http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/documents/Rules_8.pdf">http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/documents/Rules_8.pdf</a> Yes
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/plants_insects.htm">http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/plants_insects.htm</a> <a href="http://gencourt.state.nh.us/legislation/2000/hb1258.html">http://gencourt.state.nh.us/legislation/2000/hb1258.html</a> <a href="http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/">http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/</a> <a href="http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/documents/list_of_invasive_species.pdf">http://www.nh.gov/agric/divisions/plant_industry/documents/list_of_invasive_species.pdf</a>



<b>NAME</b>	<b>New York Invasive Species Task Force</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	NYISTF <b>New York</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Task Force	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	Aug-03	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes 9 Commissioners from: Dept. of Environmental Conservation • Dept. of Agriculture and Markets • New York State Department of Transportation • New York State Thruway Authority (and Canal Corporation) • New York State Museum (and Biodiversity Research Institute) • New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historical Preservation • New York State Department of State • Adirondack Park Agency • New York natural heritage	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	No	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes, 8 Selected at large by Commissioners of Env. Conservation & Ag. And Market New York Sea Grant • Cornell University • Invasive Plant Council • The Nature Conservancy • New York State Natural Heritage Program • New York State Farm Bureau • Empire State Marine Trades Association • New York State Nursery and Landscape Association	
<b>Number of Members</b>	17	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Annual summit, meetings as scheduled	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	1) preparation of a comprehensive invasive species management plan; 2) allocation of staff and other resources; 3) integration of data and other information; and 4) a comprehensive program of public education and outreach.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Final Report <a href="http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfreport1105.pdf">http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfreport1105.pdf</a>	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Steering Committee, ad hoc teams	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Legislative act Chapter 324 of State Law, 8/5/2003	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Patrick Brennan, Commissioner of Dept. of Environmental Conservation	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Denise Sheehan, Commissioner of Dept. of Agriculture and Markets	
<b>Chair type</b>	Commissioners or their designees shall serve as chairs.	
<b>Contact</b>	Steve Sanford, Bureau Chief	Bob Mungari, Dir. Plant Industry.
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	NY DEC	NY Dept. of Ag
<b>Address</b>	625 Broadway	10B Airline Drive
<b>Address</b>	Albany, NY 12233-1011	Albany, NY 12235
<b>Phone Number</b>	518-402-8996	518-457-2087
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:fwhabtat@gw.dec.state.ny.us">fwhabtat@gw.dec.state.ny.us</a>	<a href="mailto:bob.mungari@agmkt.state.ny.us">bob.mungari@agmkt.state.ny.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	No. Regulations in place for some species.	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/ny.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/ny.shtml</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No.	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/index.html">http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/index.html</a> <a href="http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfreport1105.pdf">http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfreport1105.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfmemberslist.html">http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfmemberslist.html</a> <a href="http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfexsum.html">http://www.dec.state.ny.us/website/dfwmr/habitat/istf/istfexsum.html</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Oregon Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	OISC <b>Oregon</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	Jan-02	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes 12 members Director of Agriculture • President of Portland State University • State Fish and Wildlife Director • Head of Sea Grant College of Oregon State University, plus two appointees each	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	No No official member from Federal agencies.	
<b># Other Groups</b>	yes others (8) from Federal Government organizations, NGO, and Industry as appointed	
<b>Number of Members</b>	12	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	3 times per year	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Prevention • Eradication • Education	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual Report Card Top 100 List	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Short term working groups formed based on specific tasks.	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	ORS 561.685 <a href="http://www.leg.state.or.us/ors/561.html">http://www.leg.state.or.us/ors/561.html</a>	
<b>Annual Budget</b>	Grants, Donations; deposited with the state and credited to a trust account. Administrative expenses from the Dept. of Agriculture. \$6,000 per year for travel and meeting expenses	
<b>Chair1</b>	Martin Nugent, Chair, Wildlife Diversity Coordinator	
<b>Chair 2</b>		
<b>Chair type</b>	Chair and Vice-Chair, elected from ex-officio members	
<b>Contact</b>	Martin Nugent <b>Mark Sytsman</b>	
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife	Portland Sate University
<b>Address</b>	PO Box 59	PO Box 751
<b>Address</b>	Portland, OR 97207	Portland, OR 97207
<b>Phone Number</b>	503-872-5260	503-725-3833
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:martin.nugent@state.or.us">martin.nugent@state.or.us</a>	<a href="mailto:sytsmam@pdx.edu">sytsmam@pdx.edu</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Top 100 list of worst invaders	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://oregon.gov/OISC/list_100_worst.shtml">http://oregon.gov/OISC/list_100_worst.shtml</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://oregon.gov/OISC/">http://oregon.gov/OISC/</a> <a href="http://oregon.gov/OISC/contact_us.shtml">http://oregon.gov/OISC/contact_us.shtml</a> <a href="http://oregon.gov/OISC/docs/pdf/oisc_plan6_05.pdf">http://oregon.gov/OISC/docs/pdf/oisc_plan6_05.pdf</a> <a href="http://oregon.gov/OISC/docs/pdf/bylaws.pdf">http://oregon.gov/OISC/docs/pdf/bylaws.pdf</a> 1-866-INVADER hotline	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Pennsylvania Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	<b>Pennsylvania</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	2004	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes	6 Department of Agriculture • Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission • Pennsylvania Department of Transportation • Department of Conservation and Natural Resources • Pennsylvania Department of Health • Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection • Pennsylvania Game Commission
<b># Federal Groups</b>	No	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes	10 or fewer Western Pennsylvania Conservancy • The Nature Conservancy • Pennsylvania Biodiversity Partnership • Pennsylvania Landscape and Nursery Association • Pennsylvania Forest Products Association • Pennsylvania State University • Pennsylvania Sea Grant • Penn Ag Industries • Pennsylvania Farm Bureau • University of Pennsylvania, New Bolton Center
<b>Number of Members</b>	16 or less	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	quarterly	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Advise the Governor on and direct the development and implementation of a state invasive species management plan. Provide guidance on prevention, control, and rapid response initiatives. Facilitate coordination among federal, regional, state, and local efforts.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Biennial Report to Governor	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>		
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Executive Order, 1/27/2004	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Secretary of Dept. of Agriculture	
<b>Chair 2</b>		
<b>Chair type</b>	Secretary of Agriculture will chair	
<b>Contact</b>	Dennis Wolff, Secretary of Agriculture	Interim Coordinator -Melissa Bravo, PDA
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture	Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture
<b>Address</b>	2301 North Cameron Street, Rm 310	2301 North Cameron Street, Rm 310
<b>Address</b>	Harrisburg, PA 17110-9408	Harrisburg, PA 17110-9408
<b>Phone Number</b>	717-787-7204	717-787-7204
<b>email Address</b>		
<b>State invasives list</b>	Weeds: <a href="http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/agriculture/cwp/view.asp?q=127676">http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/agriculture/cwp/view.asp?q=127676</a>	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/pa.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/pa.shtml</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/agriculture/cwp/view.asp?a=3&amp;Q=139310">http://www.agriculture.state.pa.us/agriculture/cwp/view.asp?a=3&amp;Q=139310</a> <a href="http://www.sgnis.org/publicat/proceed/aide/dunn2003.htm">http://www.sgnis.org/publicat/proceed/aide/dunn2003.htm</a> <a href="http://www.oa.state.pa.us/oac/cwp/view.asp?A=351&amp;Q=180946">http://www.oa.state.pa.us/oac/cwp/view.asp?A=351&amp;Q=180946</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/pa.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/pa.shtml</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Rhode Island Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	RIISC	<b>Rhode Island</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>		
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes R.I. Department of Environmental Management's Division of Agriculture • R.I. Dept. of Transportation	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Rhode Island Natural History Survey • Rhode Island Agricultural Experiment Station • University of Rhode Island Cooperative Extension • R.I. Nursery and Landscape Assoc. • Save the Bay • The Nature Conservancy • Audobon Society of R.I.	
<b>Number of Members</b>	Open	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>		
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Protect biodiversity • Conduct assessment • Promote use of native & non-invasive species • Manage & control invasives in minimally-managed habitats • Encourage research on control methods • Assess methods for potential invasiveness • Educate the public • Work cooperatively among all involved parties.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>		
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>		
<b>Legal Basis</b>	None	
<b>Annual Budget</b>	501(c)(3)	Non-profit organization. Membership dues, donations, grants, etc.
<b>Chair1</b>		
<b>Chair 2</b>		
<b>Chair type</b>		
<b>Contact</b>	<b>Lisa Gould, Coordinator</b>	
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	RINHS	URI Cooperative Ext
<b>Address</b>	Room 301, Ranger Hall	University of Rhode Island
<b>Address</b>	Kingston, RI 02881	Kingston, RI 02881
<b>Phone Number</b>	401-874-5800	401-874-5822
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:info@rinhs.org">info@rinhs.org</a>	<a href="mailto:lgould@rinhs.org">lgould@rinhs.org</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Plants	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.uri.edu/ce/rinhs/invasives/list.htm">http://www.uri.edu/ce/rinhs/invasives/list.htm</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.uri.edu/ce/rinhs/invasives/index.htm">http://www.uri.edu/ce/rinhs/invasives/index.htm</a> <a href="http://www.riwps.org">www.riwps.org</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Virginia Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	VISC <b>Virginia</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa
<b>Date Formed</b>	2003
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes                    9 Secretary of the Dept. of Natural Resources • Department of Ag. And Commerce • Dept. of Conservation and Recreation • Virginia Institute of Marine Sciene • Marine Resources Commission • Dept. of Forestry • Dept. of Game & Inland Fisheries • Dept. of Health • Dept. of Transportation
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes Advisory Committee
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes Advisory Committee
<b>Number of Members</b>	9
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Quarterly
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Develop Management Plan • Encourage planning and action at local, state, regional levels in coordination with the Management Plan • Develop guidance to state agencies • Facilitate establishment of an information sharing system.
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual Executive summary Updated Management plan once every 3 years
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Advisory Committee
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Invasive Species Council Act, 2003 Code of Virginia Title 10.1 Chapter 26
<b>Annual Budget</b>	Dept. of Conservation and Rec. provides staff support
<b>Chair1</b>	Secretary of Natural Resources, Hon. Preston Bryant
<b>Chair 2</b>	
<b>Chair type</b>	Terms limited by employment in agency
<b>Contact</b>	
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Executive Office Building (Patrick Henry Building), 4th Floor
<b>Address</b>	P.O. Box 1475
<b>Address</b>	Richmond, VA 23218
<b>Phone Number</b>	Telephone: (804) 786-0044
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:sonradmin@governor.virginia.gov">sonradmin@governor.virginia.gov</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Yes                    §29.1-571; 4VAC15-20-210, §§3.1-188.32-49, §§3.1-296.11-21
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://leg1.state.va.us/000/src.htm">http://leg1.state.va.us/000/src.htm</a> <a href="http://leg1.state.va.us/000/srr.htm">http://leg1.state.va.us/000/srr.htm</a>
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/index.htm">http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/index.htm</a> <a href="http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/documents/VISMP_final.pdf">http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/documents/VISMP_final.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/about.htm#members">http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/dnh/vaisc/about.htm#members</a>

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Washington Invasive Species Council</b>
<b>State/Region</b>	WISC <b>Washington</b>
<b>Type</b>	Council
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa
<b>Date Formed</b>	2006
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes                    8 Director or designee of: Dept. of Agriculture • Dept. of Fish and Wildlife • Dept. of Ecology • Dept. of Natural Resources • Dept. of Transportation • Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board • Counties (2) • Office of the Governor (serves as Chair until a chair is selected)
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes                    4 Invited non-voting, ex-officio, representatives from: US Dept. of Agriculture • US Fish and Wildlife Service • US Environmental Protection Agency • US Coast Guard
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes                    at least 4 Local organizations • Tribal organizations • Private sector • Non-Governmental
<b>Number of Members</b>	At least 8, additional members as appointed
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Not determined yet
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Policy level Direction • Planning • Coordination: foster cooperation, communication, and coordinated approaches that support local, state, and regional initiatives for the prevention and control of invasive species.
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Annual Report Statewide Strategic Plan (delivered and updated once every 3 years)
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	SB 5385- 2005-06, signed 3/20/06
<b>Annual Budget</b>	Gifts, Grants, Donations from public and private sources deposited with the state and credited to a State account.
<b>Chair1</b>	none yet appointed
<b>Chair 2</b>	
<b>Chair type</b>	not determined
<b>Contact</b>	Seth Cool, Coalition Administrator
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	Conservation Northwest
<b>Address</b>	1208 Bay Street #201
<b>Address</b>	Bellingham, WA 98225
<b>Phone Number</b>	360-671-9950 x 16
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:scool@conservationnw.org">scool@conservationnw.org</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Aquatic <a href="http://www.wdfw.wa.gov/fish/ans/wa_speciesofconcern.htm">www.wdfw.wa.gov/fish/ans/wa_speciesofconcern.htm</a>
<b>Location</b>	Weeds <a href="http://www.nwcb.wa.gov/weed%20list/weed_list.htm">www.nwcb.wa.gov/weed%20list/weed_list.htm</a>
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	No
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.invasivespeciescoalition.org/StatewideCouncil/">http://www.invasivespeciescoalition.org/StatewideCouncil/</a> <a href="http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=5385&amp;year=2006">http://apps.leg.wa.gov/billinfo/summary.aspx?bill=5385&amp;year=2006</a> <a href="http://www.conservationnw.org/">http://www.conservationnw.org/</a>

<b>NAME</b>	<b>West Virginia Invasive Species Working Group</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	WVISWG <b>West Virginia</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Working Group	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All-Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	October 15, 2001	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes, open to concerned groups Dept. of Agriculture	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Yes, open to concerned groups	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes, open to concerned groups	
<b>Number of Members</b>	Open	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>	Twice a year	
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	(1) to address the threat of invasive species to the people of West Virginia and the state's resources and industries in a coordinated and unified manner and (2) to provide a forum for the statement and discussion of the objectives and interests of its members.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Continued development of a statewide program	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>		
<b>Legal Basis</b>	None	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Moderator: Gary Gibson, Director W.Virginia Dept of Ag.	
<b>Chair 2</b>		
<b>Chair type</b>	No chair. Moderator coordinates meetings	
<b>Contact</b>	Gary Gibson, Director	David Dick
<b>Organization/Agency</b>	W. Virginia Dept. of Ag.	W. Virginia Dept. of Ag.
<b>Address</b>	1900 Kanawha Boulevard	1900 Kanawha Boulevard
<b>Address</b>	East Charleston, WV 25305	East Charleston, WV 25305
<b>Phone Number</b>	304-558-2212	304-558-2212
<b>email Address</b>	<a href="mailto:ggibson@ag.state.wv.us">ggibson@ag.state.wv.us</a>	<a href="mailto:ddick@ag.state.wv.us">ddick@ag.state.wv.us</a>
<b>State invasives list</b>	Plants	
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://plants.usda.gov/">http://plants.usda.gov/</a>	
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes (plants)	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/wv.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/wv.shtml</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/resources/wvcouncil.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/resources/wvcouncil.shtml</a>	

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Wisconsin Invasive Species Council</b>	
<b>State/Region</b>	Wisconsin Invasive Species Council <b>Wisconsin</b>	
<b>Type</b>	Council	
<b>Area of Concern</b>	All Taxa	
<b>Date Formed</b>	Jun-05	
<b># State Groups</b>	Yes                      At least 6 Secretary of DNR or designee • Secretary of administration or designee • Secretary of DATCP or designee • secretary of commerce or designee • secretary of tourism or designee • Secretary of transportation or his or her designee.	
<b># Federal Groups</b>	Upon invitation	
<b># Other Groups</b>	Yes, at least 7    Appointed by governor, 5 year terms. 2003 appointees: Henriksen Fisheries • Needles & Leaves Nursery • Wisc. Assoc. of Lakes • UW Dept. of Entomology • UW Milwaukee Field Station • The Nature Conservancy • Dept. of Natural Resources • Dept. of Admin. • Dept. of Ag. Trade and Consumer Protection • Dept. of Commerce • Dept. of Tourism • Dept. of Transportation • Private individuals	
<b>Number of Members</b>	13	
<b>Meeting Periodicity</b>		
<b>Objectives/Goals</b>	Make recommendations to the Department of Natural Resources for a system for classifying invasive species under the invasive species program, and set up a procedure for awarding cost sharing grants for up to %50 of the costs of invasive sp. control projects.	
<b>Council Deliverables</b>	Invasive Species Awareness Month (public outreach and Education)	
<b>Subcommittees &amp; working groups?</b>	Education • Research • Regulation • Interagency coordination • additional as needed	
<b>Legal Basis</b>	Wis Act 16, 20C Section 15.347 under s.15.03	
<b>Annual Budget</b>		
<b>Chair1</b>	Chair: Peter Murray, Wisconsin Assoc. of Lakes	
<b>Chair 2</b>	Vice-Chair: Becky Sapper, The Nature Conservancy	
<b>Chair type</b>	Chair and Vice Chair	
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<b>State invasives list</b>	Plants	Aquatic plants (DNR)
<b>Location</b>	<a href="http://www.ipaw.org">http://www.ipaw.org</a>	<a href="http://www.legis.state.wi.us/rsb/code/nr/nr109.pdf">http://www.legis.state.wi.us/rsb/code/nr/nr109.pdf</a>
<b>Officially accepted?</b>	Yes	
<b>Websites</b>	<a href="http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/iscouncil.htm">http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/iscouncil.htm</a> <a href="http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/isteam.htm">http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/isteam.htm</a> <a href="http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/compstateansplanfinal0903.pdf">http://dnr.wi.gov/invasives/compstateansplanfinal0903.pdf</a> <a href="http://invasivespecies.wi.gov/awareness/index.asp">http://invasivespecies.wi.gov/awareness/index.asp</a> <a href="http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/wi.shtml">http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/laws/wi.shtml</a>	