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\$140 for all three days: _____

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Tues., Oct. 21 (CNIPM)

Wed., Oct. 22 (CNIPM)

Thurs., Oct. 23 (AISWG)

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CNIPM: TUES., OCT. 21

8:00-8:30 – Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30-8:45 – Welcome and Kickoff, *Rep. Craig Johnson*

OVERVIEW SESSION

8:45-9:00 – The New State Weed Coordinator and Alaska's Next Steps in Invasive Plant Management, *Gino Graziano, Alaska Department of Natural Resources (ADNR), Division of Agriculture*
9:00-10:00 – CO₂, Climate Change and Invasive Plants, *Lewis Ziska, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service (USDA ARS)*
10:00-10:30 – Break & Network
10:30-11:10 – Status and Changes to the Alaska Exotic Plant Information Clearinghouse Database, *Helen Cortés Burns, University of Alaska Anchorage, Alaska Natural Heritage Program*
11:10-11:30 – 2008 Accomplishments of the Committee for Noxious and Invasive Plants Management (CNIPM) Board, *Gino Graziano, ADNR Division of Agriculture*
11:30-12:00 – Five-minute Regional Presentations
12:00-1:00 – Lunch on Site with New Species Reports
1:00-1:30 – Impacts to Wildlife (*Speaker to be announced.*)
1:30-2:00 – Analysis of Priorities for Invasive Plant Eradication Using the Ranking and Alaska Exotic Plant Information Clearinghouse Data, *Tom Heutte, USDA Forest Service (USDA FS)*
2:00-2:20 – Administrative Record-keeping to Grease the Wheels of the Freedom of Information Act, *Laurie Thorpe, USDI Bureau of Land Management (BLM)*
2:20-3:00 – Pathways for Invasion, *Jeff Conn, USDA ARS*
3:00-3:30 – Break & Network

PREVENTION SESSION

3:30-4:00 – Preventing Invasive Plants from Taking Hold in Denali National Park and Preserve, *Dutch Scholten, USDI National Park Service (NPS)*
4:00-4:40 – Weed Free Forage Certification, *Adrienne Peterson, Sublette County Weed and Pest, Wyo., North American Weed Management Association (NAWMA)*
4:40-5:00 – CNIPM Board Volunteer Introductions, *Gino Graziano, ADNR Division of Agriculture*
5:00-5:30 – Set Up for Poster Session
5:30-7:00 – Poster Session with Snacks

CNIPM: WED., OCT. 22

8:00-8:30 – Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30-8:40 – Welcome and Day 2 Opening Remarks, *Franci Havemeister, director, ADNR Division of Agriculture*

CONTROL SESSION

8:40-9:40 – Orange Hawkweed Control, *Linda Wilson, British Columbia Ministry of Agriculture and Lands*
9:40-10:00 – Controlling Orange Hawkweed in Alaska's National Wildlife Refuges, *Bill Pyle, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (US FWS)*
10:00-10:30 – Break & Network
10:30-10:50 – White Sweetclover Control on the Dalton Highway with Volunteers, *Ruth Gronquist, USDI BLM*
10:50-11:10 – Hawkweed Control in Alaska, *Steve Seefeldt, USDA ARS*
11:10-11:40 – Weed Management in an Uncertain Climate, *Lewis Ziska, USDA ARS*
11:40-12:00 – Panel Discussion: Canada Thistle Control Efforts in Alaska, *Lewis Ziska, USDA ARS; Bill Pyle, US FWS; Tom Heutte, USDA FS; Sarah Eastin, Homer Soil and Water Conservation District; and Michael Rasy, UAF Cooperative Extension Service (CES)*
12:00-1:00 – Lunch on Site with Weed Warriors Slide Show

SPECIAL GRAVEL SESSION:

1:00-1:20 – ADNR Gravel Sales: Who Uses It and Where It Goes, *Frank Maxwell, ADNR Mining, Land and Water*
1:20-1:50 – Gravel Management on Federal Lands in Alaska, *Tim Hudson, USDI NPS*
1:50-2:30 – NAWMA's Gravel Certification Program, *Adrienne Peterson, Sublette County Weed and Pest, Wyo., North American Weed Management Association*
2:30-2:40 – CNIPM Board Election Announcements, *Gino Graziano, ADNR Division of Agriculture*
2:40-3:00 – Break & Network
3:00-3:40 – Gravel Session Panel Discussion, *Frank Maxwell, ADNR; Adrienne Peterson, Sublette County, Wyo., NAWMA; Tim Hudson, USDI NPS; and Rodd Kubitzka, USDA FS.*

OUTREACH, EDUCATION AND VOLUNTEERS

3:40-4:00 – Alaska's Early Detection Rapid Response Pamphlet and Reporting System: Overview and Results from First Year, *Gino Graziano, ADNR Div. of Ag.*
4:00-4:20 – Anchorage Parks Citizen Weed Warriors Campaign, *Monique Anderson, Municipality of Anchorage*
4:20-4:50 – K-6 Invasive Plant Curriculum for Alaska's Youth, *Katie Villano, UAF Institute of Arctic Biology*
4:50-5:00 – Closing Remarks and Thank You, *Gino Graziano, ADNR Division of Agriculture*

AISWG: THURS., OCT. 23

8:00-8:30 – Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30-8:45 – Welcome and Opening Remarks, *Rep. Craig Johnson or Staff Jeanne Ostnes*
8:45-9:05 – Results of Exotic Slug and Snail Surveys in Alaska and Cooperative Agricultural Pest Surveys, *Ann Ferguson, USDA Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, and Charles Knight, ADNR Division of Agriculture*
9:05-9:20 – Atlantic Salmon in Alaska: Update and Concerns, *Tammy Davis, Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADFG)*
9:20-9:40 – Hitchhikers on the Hulls of Ships: Potential Introduction of Nonindigenous Species? *Russell Herwig, University of Washington, School of Aquatic, Fishery Sciences*
9:40-10:00 – Introduction to Alaska Invasive Species Working Group (AISWG) Legislations, *Rep. Craig Johnson or Staff Jeanne Ostnes*
10:00-10:30 – Break & Poster Session
10:30-11:10 – National Ballast Water Issues and Federal Legislation, *Allen Pleus, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife*
11:10-11:30 – Alaska Ballast Water and U.S. Coast Guard Regulations, *Lt. Robert Fields, U.S. Coast Guard*
11:30-12:00 – Plant Pathogens of Concern, *Paul Henon, USDA FS*
12:00-1:00 – Lunch on Site
1:00-1:20 – Status of Alaska Green Crab and Tunicate Monitoring for 2008, *Linda Shaw, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Marine Fisheries Service*
1:20-2:00 – *Spartina* Response for Alaska and Web-based Invasive Aquatic Plant Key, *Vanessa Howard, Portland State University, Center for Lakes and Reservoirs*
2:00-2:30 – Break & Poster Session
2:30-3:00 – 2008: The Year of the Rat vs. the War on the Rat, *Joe Meehan, ADFG Division of Wildlife Conservation*
3:00-3:30 – Regional Update on Invasive Species Program Outside of Alaska: What are the Issues? (*This is an open mic session.*)
3:30-4:00 – Protecting British Columbia's Resources from Invasive Species: Provincial Strategies, *Linda Wilson, British Columbia Ministry of Agriculture and Lands*
4:00-5:00 – Revisiting Alaska Issues, *Michele Hébert, UAF CES*

LOCATION & LODGING

The 9th Annual Alaska Noxious & Invasive Plants Management Workshop and the 3rd Annual Alaska Invasive Species Conference will be presented at:

Millennium Alaskan Hotel
4800 Spenard Road
Anchorage, AK 99517

The discounted room rate for conference attendees is:

\$85 single/double per night (plus 12% tax)

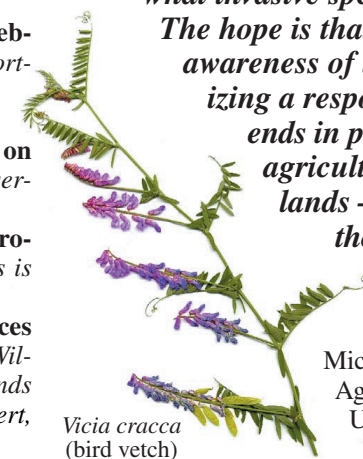
For accommodations, please contact the hotel at:

1-866-866-8086 or
www.millenniumhotels.com/anchorage

In order to secure the above room rate, be sure to request group code **INVAS** at time of booking.

PLEASE JOIN US

During the Invasive Species Conferences, presenters from across the state as well as national speakers will talk about invasive species prevention and management, and what invasive species mean for Alaska. The hope is that creating greater public awareness of the problem and organizing a response will pay big dividends in protecting property value, agriculture, wildlife and wildlands – and will help minimize the problems seen elsewhere.



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(bird vetch)

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