

# Pacific Northwest Northern Pike Forum and Coordination Meeting

Proposed Agenda

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**Time and Date:** July 24, 2018 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm Pacific Standard Time

**Location:** [Meeting Room 10, Davenport Grand Hotel](#), 333 West Spokane Falls Blvd., Spokane, WA

**Registration:** There is no cost to attend the Pacific Northwest Northern Pike Forum and Coordination Meeting. To register for the forum and coordination meeting visit <https://goo.gl/J2TyrH>. Please also consider attending the Pacific NorthWest Economic Region (PNWER) Invasive Species Working Group sessions on July 25th, please register at [www.pnwer.org/2018summit](http://www.pnwer.org/2018summit).

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## Opening

<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Welcome</b>	<i>Brian Heise &amp; Ray Willard, Invasive Species Councils of British Columbia &amp; State of Washington</i>
<b>1:05 p.m.</b>	<b>Introduction and Role of PNWER</b>	<i>Nate Weigel, Pacific NorthWest Economic Region</i>

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## Forum

<b>1:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Regional Distribution and Regional Genetics Research Study</b>	<i>Kellie Carim, U.S. Forest Service Rocky Mountain Research Station</i>
<b>1:30 p.m.</b>	<b>The Intertwined Relationship of Northern Pike and Flowering Rush Observed in Montana</b>	<i>Peter Rice, University of Montana and Virgil Dupuis, Salish Kootenai College</i>
<b>1:50 p.m.</b>	<b>Native AND Invasive -- Overview of Northern Pike in Alaska</b>	<i>Krissy Dunker, Alaska Department of Fish &amp; Game</i>
<b>2:10 p.m.</b>	<b>British Columbia Northern Pike Update</b>	<i>Brian Heise, Invasive Species Council of British Columbia and Martina Beck, British Columbia Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy</i>

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**2:30 p.m.**      **A Critical Moment in Time: Northern Pike in Lake Roosevelt**      *Holly McLellan & Bret Nine, Confederated Tribes of the Colville; Elliott Kittel & Brent Nichols, Spokane Tribe of Indians; Bill Baker, Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife*

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**2:50 p.m.**      **Lesson from the Pend Oreille River: We Can Do This**      *Joe Maroney, Kalispel Tribe of Indians*

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## Coordination Meeting

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**3:10 p.m.**      **PNWER 2017-2018 Invasive Species Working Group Northern Pike Action Items**      *Nate Weigel, Pacific NorthWest Economic Region*

- Current items and status
- Potential for carrying forward 2017-2018 items

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**3:15 p.m.**      **Discussion of forming a PNWER cross-border northern pike committee**      *Justin Bush, Washington Invasive Species Council; Jalene Littlejohn, Samara Group*

- Background
- Discussion of cross-border opportunities and needs
- Action plan and next steps

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**3:20 p.m.**      **Discussion of an action plan to achieve a PNWER-scale (regional) economic analysis of native fisheries and salmon/steelhead recovery investments threatened by northern pike**      *Justin Bush, Washington Invasive Species Council; Jalene Littlejohn, Samara Group*

- Action plan purpose
- Feasible scope of economic analysis
- Potential data sources
- Action plan and next steps

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**4:00 p.m.**      **Closing Remarks**      *Brian Heise & Ray Willard, Invasive Species Councils of British Columbia & State of Washington*

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