

# Washington Invasive Species Council Meeting Agenda

September 24, 2015

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Chair

Time: Opening session will begin as shown; all other times are approximate.

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### **Special Accommodations:**

If you need special accommodations to participate in this meeting, please notify us at 360/902-3013.

#### **OPENING AND WELCOME**

9:00 a.m.	Welcome and Call to Order
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- Facilities and Safety Information
- Review Agenda
- Election of Vice Chair
- Welcome New Members Marc Daily of PSP and John Gamon of DNR

## **HOT TOPIC REPORTS**

9:10 a.m.	1.	Executive Coordinator's Report WISC Reauthorization Update Citizen Science Programs – Green Crab, Master Gardner's Outreach – Puyallup Fair, Society of Wetland Scientists, Pacific Marine Expo Signs – Motorized and Non-motorized "clean, drain, dry" signs Grants – Farm Bill, No Child Left Inside	Raquel Crosier
9:15 a.m.	2.	Revisions to Priority Species	Bill Tweit
9:25 a.m.	3.	Prohibitions on AIS in National Forests	Kimberly Conley, USFS
9:35 a.m.	4.	Atlantic Salmon Net Pen Policy and Stakeholder Opportunities	Cedar Bouta, Ecology
9:45 a.m.	5.	AIS Funding Advisory Committee	Bill Tweit and Raquel Crosier
9:55 a.m.	6.	Washington's Wild Future Initiative	Bill Tweit

#### **DISCUSSIONS AND DECISIONS**

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10:00 a.m.	7. Mid-Columbia PUD AIS Programs	Carson Keeler, Grant PUD and Marcie Steinmetz, Chelan PUD	
10:30 a.m.	8. AIS in the Columbia River Basin: From A (Arthropods) to Z (Zebra/Quagga mussels)	Steve Bollens, WSU	
10:50 a.m.	COFFEE BREAK		
11:00 a.m.	9. WDFW African Clawed Frog Response	Jesse Schultz, WDFW	
11:20 a.m.	10. Bucket Biology Outreach	Bill Tweit	
11:30 a.m.	11. WSDOT's Strategy for Balancing Pollinator Protection and Weed Control	Ray Willard	
11:50 p.m.	12. Economic Analysis of Invasive Species in Washington State	Alison Halpern, Raquel Crosier	
12:20 p.m.	13. Review and Approve Draft Strategic Plan Vote to Release for Public Comment	Raquel Crosier	
1:00 p.m.	PUBLIC COMMENT		
1:15 p.m.	14. Council Business  Approval of March Minutes  Approval to Release Strategic Plan for Public Comment  Approval of 2016 Meeting Dates	Raquel Crosier	
1:30 p.m.	ADJOURN		