



Invasive Plant Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda

Date: Thursday, September 9, 2021
Time: 7:00 PM
Location: REMOTE

1. Review/approve Meeting Minutes for 8/25/21
2. Action Item review (see below)
3. Website Development
4. Wild & Scenic Community Grant Activity
5. Groton Subcommittee on Mapping, Measuring and Management of Invasives
6. Fall Fest event planning
7. Matters That May be Raised That Were Not Reasonably Anticipated
8. Set Next Meeting Date - Sept 15

Open Actions

- Website development - Evan
 - Native Plant Lists - Deb (in process-request for feedback)
 - Develop handout on Native Plants and pollinators for children - Annette
- Committee Charge Actions Items toward Goals and Strategies: By the end of the first year of existence, the Committee shall:***
1. Provide the Select Board with a strategic plan to
 - assess and document invasive plant issues on public land,
 - develop detection and reporting process for private land owners,
 - create a list of invasive plants in town to compare with the state list (complete)
 - recommend appropriate remediation approaches (complete)
 - identify associated resource issues and sources for remediation actions,
 2. Educate homeowners, businesses, and the agricultural community on the importance of using native plantings. (In process)
 - establish a web presence with educational material concerning invasive plants and native plantings for residents. (In process)
 - Work with local landscapers / garden centers to promote native plantings (plan for winter)