

Ohio Aquatic Invasive Species Committee

30 July 2015

The Ohio State University, W. H. Schiermeier Olentangy River Wetland Research Park, 352 W. Dodridge St., Columbus, OH 43202

Agenda

10:00—Arrival, check in, and networking

10:30—Attendee introductions

Prevention:

10:40—Ohio's response to the Great Lakes–Mississippi River Interbasin Study

John Navarro, Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), Division of Wildlife

Detection:

11:10—Ohio River invasions: Asian carps and *Hydrilla*

Rob Tewes, Ohio River Valley Water Sanitation Commission (ORSANCO)

Impact:

11:30—*Gambusia* vs. *Fundulus*

Brian Zimmerman, Ohio State University Museum of Biological Diversity

Lunch:

11:50—Please contribute to the pizza pool.

Research:

1:00—Asian carps and Lake Erie/the Great Lakes

Patrick Kocovsky, U.S. Geological Survey

Control:

1:20—A *Hydrilla* eradication effort

Jennifer Hillmer, Cleveland Metroparks

Outreach:

1:40—Great Lakes and Ohio Sea Grant outreach programs and update
Sarah Orlando and Tory Gabriel, Ohio Sea Grant College Program

2:00—State of Ohio bait inspection, Outreach, and Response Strategies
John Navarro, ODNR

2:20—Toledo Zoo and Aquarium program
Jay Hemdal, Toledo Zoo

Conclusion:

2:40—Discussion, current committee concerns, and timeframe for next meeting

TBD—Adjourn as discussions conclude.