

**Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species Meeting****June 25-27, 2024**

Great Lakes Forestry Centre

1219 Queen Street, Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 2E5, Canada

**Preliminary Agenda**June 25, 2024

All times Eastern

<b>Fisheries and Oceans Canada Highlight</b> 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.		
1:30 p.m.	<b>Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) welcome and introductory remarks</b>	
1:50 p.m.	<b>DFO invasive carp update</b>	<b>Dave Marson, DFO</b>
2:20 p.m.	<b>Risk assessments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rapid screening (e.g., black crappie, goldfish, chain pickerel, Prussian carp)</li> </ul>	<b>Jaclyn Hill, DFO (tentative)</b>
2:40 p.m.	<b>DFO science program update</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Results of a jurisdictional scan for prioritizing introduction pathways</li> <li>• Invasive carp river flow/temperature tool in support of invasive carp spawning surveillance</li> <li>• Update on ballast water research</li> </ul>	<b>TBD, DFO</b>
3:35 p.m.	<b>DFO sea lamprey research</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logistics of treatment</li> <li>• Mobile lab</li> <li>• TFM</li> <li>• Male sterilization</li> </ul>	<b>TBD, DFO</b>
4:00 p.m.	<b>Tour of sea lamprey research center</b>	
4:30 p.m.	<b>Adjourn</b>	

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<b>Great Lakes Panel Business Meeting</b> 9:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.		
9:00 a.m.	<b>Invasive Species Centre welcome</b>	
9:10 a.m.	<b>Call to order, roll call, agenda review</b>	

9:25 a.m.	<b>GLP Business Items</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approval of November 2023 meeting summary</li> <li>• Review of November 2023 action items</li> <li>• GLP Nominating Committee report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ GLP officer and at-large member election results</li> <li>○ Installment of new GLP officers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
9:40 a.m.	<b>Committee reports</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OIT Ad Hoc Committee</li> <li>• Information/Education Committee (I/EC)</li> <li>• Research Coordination Committee (RCC)</li> <li>• Policy Coordination Committee (PCC)</li> </ul>	
10:20 a.m.	<b>GLP Interjurisdictional Project updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional Invasive Aquatic Plant Control Prioritization and Needs Assessment</li> <li>• Evaluating Control of Priority Established Species: Species- and site-based analysis of control efforts in the Great Lakes region</li> </ul>	
10:40 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	
10:50 a.m.	<b>Programmatic Updates</b>	
12:00 p.m.	<b>Emerging issues and announcements</b>	<b>GLP Members</b>
12:10 p.m.	<b>Public comment period</b>	
12:20 p.m.	<b>Adjourn business session</b>	

**12:20 – 1:45 p.m.: Lunch on your own**

<b>Plenary Session: Shipping</b>		
1:45 p.m.	<b>Welcome and introductory remarks</b>	
2:00 p.m.	<b>Soo Locks</b>	<b>Jeff Harrington</b> , U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
2:20 p.m.	<b>VIDA update</b>	<b>Jack Faulk</b> , U.S. EPA ( <i>virtual</i> )
2:40 p.m.	<b>Transport Canada update</b>	<b>Ben Hayes</b> , Transport Canada ( <i>virtual</i> )
3:00 p.m.	<b>Q&amp;A and Discussion</b>	
3:20 p.m.	<b>Closing remarks</b>	

**Soo Locks field trip**

3:30 – 5:00 PM

Details TBD

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<b>Plenary Session: Binational Species of Concern</b>		
9:00 a.m.	Welcome and introductory remarks	
9:10 a.m.	Water soldier in the Trent-Severn waterway	OMNRF/Parks Canada
9:25 a.m.	Marbled crayfish in Ontario	OMNRF/OFAH
9:40 a.m.	Signal crayfish in Minnesota	Don Eaton, MN DNR
9:55 a.m.	Invasive Crayfish Collaborative five year strategic planning process update	Natalia Szklaruk, Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant
10:10 a.m.	Michigan red swamp crayfish structured decision-making planning process	Kathleen Quebedeaux, MI DNR
10:25 a.m.	New OMNRF species regulations and implications for listing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ontario Invasive Species Plan renewal launch</li> </ul>	OMNRF
10:45 a.m.	MN DNR new species listings	Kelly Pennington, MN DNR
11:00 a.m.	Q&A and Discussion	
11:20 a.m.	Closing remarks	

11:20 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.: Lunch on your own

<b>Plenary Session: Management of Shared Waterways</b>		
12:30 p.m.	Welcome and introductory remarks	
12:40 p.m.	AIS surveillance in the St. Marys River	Mike Rucinski, USFWS ( <i>virtual</i> ) and TBD, DFO
1:00 p.m.	European frog-bit in the St. Marys River	Shane Lishawa, Loyola University Chicago ( <i>virtual</i> ) and Mike Hindy, Three Shores Cisma
1:20 p.m.	GLWQA Annexes 5 (Discharges from Vessels) and 6 (AIS)	TBD
1:50 p.m.	GLWQA Annex 2: Lakewide Action Management Plans (LAMPs) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intersection as vehicle for GLRI AIS funding?</li> <li>How is AIS a principal area for management within the plan?</li> </ul>	TBD
2:40 p.m.	Q&A and Discussion	
3:00 p.m.	Closing remarks	

**Great Lakes Panel Closing Session**

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| 3:00 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Fall 2024 meeting plans</b></li></ul>                | <b>GLP Staff</b> |
| 3:15 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Final comments and meeting adjournment</b></li></ul> |                  |

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