

Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species Meeting
November 18-19, 2026
Ann Arbor, MI
Agenda

Day 1: November 18, 2026

All times Eastern

Great Lakes Panel Business Meeting

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

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| 9:00 a.m. | Welcome | TBD , NOAA GLERL |
| 9:10 a.m. | Call to order, roll call, agenda review | Kelly Pennington , Great Lakes Panel (GLP) Chair, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) |
| 9:25 a.m. | GLP Business Items <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approval of December 2025 meeting summary• Review of December 2025 action items• Election results• Operating guidelines | Kelly Pennington , GLP Chair, and Sam Tank , GLP Coordinator, Great Lakes Commission (GLC) |
| 9:45 a.m. | Committee reports <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organisms in Trade (OIT) Ad Hoc Committee• Outreach Coordination Committee (OCC)• Research Coordination Committee (RCC)• Management Coordination Committee (MCC) | Francine MacDonald , Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources (OMNR) and Greg Hitzroth , Illinois-Indiana Sea Grant
Tim Campbell , Wisconsin Sea Grant

Lindsay Chadderton , The Nature Conservancy (TNC)
Ceci Weibert , Michigan Dept. of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) |
| 10:10 a.m. | Programmatic Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• (10:10 a.m.) GLANSIS• (10:25 a.m.) Brandon Road• (10:40 a.m.) GSGP Least Wanted List• (10:55 a.m.) Ballast Water• (11:15 a.m.) ANSTF Strategic Plan Update• (11:30 a.m.) Michigan's State Management Plan | Connor Shelly , Michigan Sea Grant

Jason Smith , U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Mike Piskur , Great Lakes Governors and Premiers
Sean Yardley , Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada
Susan Pasko , U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS)
Ceci Weibert , Michigan EGLE |
| 11:40 a.m. | Member updates | GLP Members |
| 11:55 a.m. | Public comment period | |
| 12:00 p.m. | Adjourn business session | |

12:00 – 1:30 p.m.: Lunch on your own

Plenary Session: Regional AIS Coordination through GLRI Interjurisdictional Projects

1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Ongoing FY24, FY25, FY26 and prospective FY27 Interjurisdictional Projects

1:30 p.m.	Welcome	Mike Langendorf, CORA
1:40 p.m.	Water-Primrose (<i>Ludwigia peploides</i>) survey and treatment along the Lake Erie and Lake St. Clair Shorelines	Ceci Weibert , Michigan EGLE Sara Stahlman , PA Sea Grant & John Navarro , OH DNR
2:00 p.m.	AIS Transport Risk of Waterfowl Hunters in the Upper Great Lakes Region	Tim Campbell , WI Sea Grant & Jason Riddle , University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point
2:20 p.m.	Genetic biocontrol: Quantifying management and community understanding and perceptions	Jason Delborne , University of Wisconsin – Madison
2:50 p.m.	Baitfish Industry Engagement	Nichole Angell , GLC
3:20 p.m.	Prioritizing Control of Established Species	TBD
3:50 p.m.	Interstate Early Detection and Rapid Response Program	Amanda Grimm , GLC
4:20 p.m.	Closing	

Group Dinner

5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Monty's Public House

3140 Packard St, Ann Arbor, MI 48108

Day 2: November 19, 2026

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Special Session: AIS Control Projects

9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

9:00 a.m. **Welcome and introduction to session**

Lindsay Chadderton, TNC

9:10 a.m. **Michigan**

- European Frog-bit
- Red Swamp Crayfish

**Tom Alwin, MI EGLE & Kathleen
Quebedeaux, MI DNR**

9:45 a.m. **Minnesota**

Tentative

10:30 a.m. **Wisconsin**

Tentative

11:10 p.m. **BREAK**

11:30 p.m. **Ontario**

Tentative

12:05 p.m. **Discussion**

12:30 – 1:30 p.m. – Working lunch – lunch provided
Interjurisdictional project brainstorming

Special Session: LAMPs and state implementation projects

1:30 – 4:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m. **Welcome and introduction to session**

Ceci Weibert, Michigan EGLE

2:50 p.m. **TBD**

3:10 p.m. **TBD**

3:30 p.m. **Discussion**

Closing Session

4:00 – 4:30 p.m.

- **Spring 2027 meeting plans**
- **Final comments and meeting adjournment**

GLP Staff

Mike Langendorf, GLP Chair, CORA