

Meeting Agenda
HJR527 Invasive Plant Species Workgroup
Day 3
August 24, 2021

- I. Opening Remarks
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. Impact of Invasive Plants on Virginia's Biodiversity – Chris Ludwig
- IV. Option 2: Extensive Statutory Changes
 - Statutory Changes – Amend the Noxious Weeds Law to prohibit the sale of all plants listed on Virginia's Invasive Plant Species list
 - Evaluation of measures to reduce, mitigate and eliminate the continued sale of invasive plant species in Virginia
 - Labeling recommendations
 - Tax recommendations
 - Adding invasive species to the current Noxious Weeds List
 - Education and Outreach
 - Increase the use of native plants on state or local properties
- V. Option 3: Modified Statutory Changes
 - Statutory Changes – Amend the Noxious Weeds Law to restrict the sale of some invasive plant species
 - Evaluation of measures to reduce, mitigate and eliminate the continued sale of invasive plant species in Virginia
 - Labeling recommendations
 - Tax recommendations
 - Adding invasive species to the current Noxious Weeds List
 - Education and Outreach
 - Increase the use of native plants on state or local properties
- VI. Additional measures to reduce, mitigate, and eliminate the sale and use of invasive species.
- VII. Additional measures to promote the sale and use of native plants
- VIII. Workgroup Recommendations

Public Comment

Note: Agenda items not completed on Day 3 will be included on the Day 4 agenda