

Virginia Invasive Species Working Group
May 13, 2015,
Pocahontas State Park

AGENDA

- 10:00 – 10:10am Call to Order, Welcome & Introductions
- 10:10 – 10:25 Federal Invasive Fish and Wildlife Legislative Proposal
***ACTION:** Ask ISWG to sign a letter of support for this legislation.*
- 10:25 – 10:40 DCR Invasive Plant Risk Assessment Protocol
***ACTION:** Ask ISWG to approve this process.*
- 10:40 – 10:50 VDACS Noxious Weed Regulations
***ACTION:** Charge Advisory Committee with the evaluation of the extent of the golden bamboo problem, the development of a plan of action to address this problem, and the development of an outreach strategy to educate the public about golden bamboo.*
- 10:50 – 11:00 Species Update: Feral Hogs
- 11:10 – 11:20 Species Update: Wavyleaf Grass
- 11:20 – 11:35 Working Group Roundtable Discussion
- 11:35 – 11:45 Public Comment
- 11:45 – 11:50 Next Meeting
- 11:50 – 12:15pm Lunch
- 12:15 – 1:15 Field Meeting
Visit a few examples of invasive plant infestations at the park and hear about invasive management tasks and challenges from park staff.