

Coordinating Group on Alien Pest Species (CGAPS)
Meeting Agenda
October 8, 2003
Hawaii Department of Agriculture
Plant Quarantine Branch
1879 Auiki St.; Honolulu, HI
9:00am ? 12:00pm

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Welcome and Agenda Items: Carol Russell, Chair

Coordinator Position Status: Carol Russell

Elizabeth M Speith with the CGAPS website: Carol Russell

9:20 ? 9:45:

Hawaii Invasive Species Council (HISC): Mike Buck: DLNR

Draft Information Sheet about CGAPS to present to HISC appointees: Teya Penniman

Economics of Invasives Speces, RFP, Announcement: Kim Burnett: Graduate Research Assistant; Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Management; University of Hawai'i at Manoa

Potential for Additional State Funding: Mike Buck

ISAC (Invasive Species Advisory Committee) Meeting, Reminder: Mike Buck

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Legislative Update: Mark Fox; TNC

Legislative Committee Meeting update: Potential new Legislative Bills

10:15 ? 10:30:

Red Imported Fire Ant (RIFA) Workshop in New Zealand: Lloyd Loope

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BREAK

10:45 ? 11:00:

Projects: Christy Martin; CGAPS PIO

Media Campaign
Public Outreach Events since July and future
Progress Report

11:00 ? 11:30:

Invasives Project Updates : (since last meeting in July; short 6 minutes each)

- a. Weed Risk Assessment & Landscape Conference 10/16/03: Julie Denslow; USDA FS
- b. Ants ? Hawaii Ant Group: Lloyd Loope; USGS
- c. Aquatic Invasive Species ? AIS Management Plan: Andi Shluker; TNC
- d. West Nile Virus: Jeff Burgett; USFWS
- e. Coqui Frogs: Nilton Matayoshi; HDOA

11:30 ? 12:00:

ISC Updates: ISC Chairs

Current projects, key progress, and obstacles. What are you focusing on now and why? (6 minutes each)

- a. OISC: Ryan Smith
- b. KISC: Allan Rietow
- c. MISC: Teya Penniman
- d. MoMISC: Teya Penniman will report for MoMISC ? Tina Lau
- e. BIISC: Julie Denslow