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Coordinating Group on Alien Pest Species (CGAPS)

Meeting Agenda

July 28 2004

Hawaii Department of Agriculture

Plant Quarantine Branch

1879 Auiki St.; Honolulu, HI

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

ISC meeting to follow

1:00 pm

9 – 9:20:

From Chair:

Welcome, Introductions and Agenda Items: *Alenka Remec, TNCH*

Announcement of new CGAPS steering committee member: *Paul Conry, Administrator of DOFAW.*

Introduction of CGAPS Coordinator: *Kim Langley*

Changing Chairs: *Mark Fox*

9:20 – 9:30:

Hawaii Invasive Species Council (HISC): Budget and Working Group

Meetings: *Mindy Wilkinson: DLNR*

9:30 – 9:35:

Legislative Agenda FY 2005: *Mark Fox; TNC*

9:35 – 9:50:

Carijoa – Snowflake Coral : Ecology, invasiveness, and management issues. *Sam Kahng, UHM Graduate Student*

9:50 – 10:20:

Early Detection and Rapid Response

- **Next Steps:** *Discussion led by Anne Marie La Rosa, USFS and Ryan Smith, OISC*
- **New Tools:** *Ron Cannarella, DLNR*

BREAK 10:20 – 10:30

10:30 – 10:55:

ISC Updates:

Top 3 priorities: (5 minutes each)

- **OISC:** *Ryan Smith*

- KISC: *Keren Gundersen*
- MISC: *Teya Penniman*
- MoMISC: *Randy Bartlett for Tina Lau*
- BIISC: *Anne Marie LaRosa*

10:55 – 11:30:

Invasive Species Project Updates : (5 minutes each)

- Ants – Hawaii Ant Group & Pacific Ant Prevention Plan: *TBD*
- West Nile Virus Prevention Working Group: *Shokufeh Ramirez, DOH*
- Kahalui Airport Surveys: *Darcy Oishi, DOA*
- Aquatic Invasive Species Issues: *Tony Montgomery, DLNR*
- Brown Tree Snake: *Earl Campbell, USFWS*
- Weed Risk Assessment:
 - Media Campaign and Don't Plant a Pest Brochure, *Christy Martin, CGAPS Public Information Officer*
 - Landscape Industry concerns and ideas , *Jay Deputy, CTAHR – UHM*

11:30 – 11:40

PCSU Update: *Dave Duffy, Unit Leader, Pacific Cooperative Studies Unit (PCSU)*

11:40 – 11:55:

Invasives Issues in Island Ecosystems: Galapagos: *Juan Chavez Ruiz, Chief Technical Officer, Galapagos National Park Service, Isabella Island*

11:55 – 12:00:

Announcements:

Meetings:

HISC Working Group on Prevention, August 6, 2004, HDOA PQ Facility

Next Meeting Date: October 27th or 28th at HDOA PQ Facility

LUNCH
12:00 – 1:00 pm

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Agenda (suggested topics)

PCSU operational and safety issues -- the big picture: Dave Duffy

Role of CGAPS Coordinator in relation to the ISCs

Early Detection and Rapid Response: ISC involvement

Statewide invasives hotline

Coordinators meeting