



Welcome!

Great Lakes Panel Business Meeting
May 15, 2023 | Toledo, Ohio

Great Lakes Panel
ANS
on Aquatic Nuisance Species

Call to order, roll call



Agenda

All times Eastern

GLP Business Meeting 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

- Approval of November 2022 meeting summary
- Review of November 2022 action items
- Committee reports
- Interjurisdictional Project: Regional Invasive Aquatic Plant Control Prioritization and Needs Assessment update
- Programmatic Updates
- Open floor for GLP member announcements and updates
- Public comment
- Adjourn

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May 15

- Grass carp field trip 3:00 – 6:00 pm

The spring GLP field trip will focus on grass carp control efforts in Sandusky River. We will visit the site of the proposed seasonal deterrent near Fremont, Ohio, where John Navarro (OH DNR) and Patrick Kocovsky (USGS) will speak about the research that went into determining where grass carp are spawning and efforts to reduce the population. The University of Toledo and USGS crews will demonstrate removal and sampling for grass carp eggs.

- Group dinner 6:45 pm

The Old Bag of Nails Pub

615 Riverside Dr.

Toledo, OH 43605

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May 16

- **9:00 am:** Discussion of I/EC Position Statement on Appropriate Communication Messages
- **9:30 am – 12:00 pm:** Plenary Session: Grass carp research updates
- **12:00 pm:** Lunch (provided)
- **2:00 – 4:45 pm:** Plenary Session: Outreach

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- **9:30 am – 12:00 pm:** Plenary Session: Horizon scanning and early detection of AIS
- **12:10 – 12:30 pm:** Closing Session

Approval of November 2022 meeting summary

November 2022 action items report

November 2022 Action Items Completed: GLP ExCom

- ✓ Plan the spring 2023 GLP meeting
- ✓ Discuss opportunities to invite participation from an aquaculture representative as an at-large member to the GLP
 - Ongoing

November 2022 Action Items Completed: GLP Staff

- ✓ Develop and circulate action items, a summary of the meeting and notes from the standing committee meetings
- ✓ Post presentations from the meeting to the GLP website (pending presenter approval): <https://www.glc.org/work/glpan/m eetings>
- ✓ Continue to schedule standing committee sessions during biannual GLP meetings to prevent overlap, allowing committee members to attend multiple committees
- ✓ Continue to provide logistical support for the USFWS interjurisdictional AIS project development process
- ✓ Schedule a webinar to review new functions, features and data in the USGS NAS Database

November 2022 Action Items Completed: GLP Members

- ✓ Provide input on their availability for potential spring meeting dates
- ✓ Send spring meeting agenda requests to the ExCom and/or the GLP Coordinator
- ✓ Attend IAP workshop
- ✓ Review GLANSIS species profiles
 - Ongoing
- ✓ Contribute interjurisdictional project ideas via standing committees

June 2022 Action Items

In progress / Ongoing



ExCom will continue to engage with the Great Waters Research Collaborative



ExCom will consider solutions to address the apparent lack of social science expertise in the GLP membership – conversations ongoing post-elections!

Committee Reports

OIT Ad Hoc Committee

- A survey was distributed to inform planning of the symposium
 - 30 responses, ~40% response rate
- Each day of the symposium had 60+ participants, representing Canada, US, and Tribal nations
- An update on the symposium was provided to the LAW committee, and we are continuing to coordinate committee activities with them
- Presented BIOTIC draft results to ANSTF
- Next steps include finalizing a synthesis of the symposium and determining future activities such as industry engagement

November 2022 Action Items and updates: Information/ Education Committee

- ✓ Grass Carp Outreach Index
 - Will assess and respond
- ✓ Develop a position statement regarding the use of appropriate language with AIS
- ✓ Committee will continue to focus efforts to address GLP priorities through support of the OIT ad hoc committee's activities
 - Ongoing
- ✓ Continued to plan GLP website redevelopment
 - Ongoing
- ✓ Committee members will contribute interjurisdictional AIS project ideas for funding

November 2022 Action Items and updates: Research Coordination Committee

- ✓ Host IAP workshop
- ✓ Participate in project team for new control of est. species project
 - Ongoing
- ✓ Send formal request to the Great Lakes Water Research Collaborative for access to their summarized data and/or research plans
 - Ongoing

November 2022 Action Items and updates: Policy Coordination Committee

- ✓ Staff and committee chair will develop memos to other regional ANS panels asking for their support and engagement in advocating to their member jurisdictions on the regulation of diploid grass carp
- ✓ Continued to plan GLP website redevelopment
 - Ongoing

Interjurisdictional Project: Regional Invasive Aquatic Plant Control Prioritization and Needs Assessment

Programmatic Updates

GLP Member announcements and updates

Public Comment