

MEMORANDUM

TO: Agency Members and Designees

FROM: Terry Martino, Executive Director

- DATE: November 6, 2013
- RE: Park Ecology Committee
- (1) Approval of Draft Committee Minutes for October 2013
- (2) RASS Program Report (E. Snizek)
- (3) Adirondack Park Invasive Plant Program (APIPP) Summary of Terrestrial and Aquatic Invasive Species Management Projects in 2013 (Brendan Quirion and Meghan Johnstone, APIPP)

Brendan Quirion will provide an update on terrestrial invasive management work, including early season initiatives and challenges, summary of the Adirondack Park Terrestrial Response Team efforts, training accomplishments, and new and emerging threats.

Meghan Johnstone will provide updates on Eurasian watermilfoil and variable-leaf milfoil monitoring, spiny waterflea volunteer monitoring, education and outreach, and the Western Adirondack Aquatic Response Team accomplishments.

(4) Renovate® and Renovate® OTF Guidance Document (E. Snizek)

Second reading and update on public comments.

- (5) Old Business
- (6) New Business

TM:lhb Attachments

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