

CALIFORNIA INVASIVE WEEDS AWARENESS COALITION

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8th Annual

Invasive Weeds Awareness Day at the Capitol

Wednesday, March 16, 2011
Cal EPA, 1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

AGENDA

- 9:00 a.m. Registration and coffee
- 9:15 a.m. Welcome – *Doug Johnson, Cal. Invasive Plant Council*
- 9:30 a.m. Policy Reports
- Policy challenges of controlling South American sponge plant
Lars Anderson, USDA Agricultural Research Service
 - Progress of the California Invasive Species Advisory Committee
Doug Johnson, Cal. Invasive Plant Council
 - WMA program update
Terrance Lorick, Cal. Dept. of Food & Agriculture
 - The state budget and invasive species programs
Planning and Conservation League or Kathy Mannion
 - CACASA and Farm Bill section 10201 prevention projects
Mary Pfeiffer, Shasta County Dept. of Agriculture (invited)
 - Update on native plant conservation projects
Greg Suba, California Native Plant Society
 - *Mona Robison, State Parks*
- 11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:15 a.m. Preparation for legislative visits
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch (provided)
- 1:00 p.m. Walk to Capitol for legislative visits
- 4:00 p.m. Debriefing (State Capitol, Room 126)
- 5:00 p.m. Social Hour (Pyramid Brewery & Restaurant, 1029 K Street)