

# 2019 WMA Statewide Meeting

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RIVERSIDE CONVENTION CENTER

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# Weed Management Areas and Regional Partnerships

County-based Weed Management Areas (WMAs) have formed in every part of the state. Follow the links below to learn more about each WMA, or see [background on the WMA program](#). Links go to the WMA's own website if it has one or to a simple profile on our website. Help us keep these profiles up to date! Notify us of any changes by emailing [info@cal-ipc.org](mailto:info@cal-ipc.org).

Join us at the **2019 Statewide WMA Meeting** in Riverside on October 15!

## Regional partnerships

[Bay Area Region](#)

[Central Coast Region](#)

[Central Sierra Region](#)

[North Central Region](#)

[North Sierra Region](#)

[Northwest Region](#)

[South Central Coast Region](#)



Regions map

## WMAs

[Alameda-Contra Costa WMA](#)

[Alpine & Upper Carson WMA](#)

[Amador WMA](#)

[Butte County WMA](#)

[Central Sierra Partnership Against Weeds WMA](#)

[Colusa, Glenn & Tehama Counties WMA](#)

[Del Norte WMA](#)

[Eastern Sierra WMA](#)

[Lassen County Special Weed Action Team \(SWAT\)](#)

[Los Angeles County WMA](#)

[Low Desert WMA](#)

[Marin Sonoma WMA](#)

[Mendocino WMA](#)

[Modoc WMA](#)

[Mojave WMA](#)

[Monterey WMA](#)

[San Francisco WMA](#)

[San Luis Obispo WMA](#)

[San Mateo WMA](#)

[Santa Barbara WMA](#)

[Santa Clara WMA](#)

[Santa Cruz WMA](#)

[Santa Margarita and San Luis Rey Watersheds WMA](#)

[Shasta County WMA](#)



Weed Management Areas

# Weed Management Areas

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*Local partnerships that engage all land management agencies and groups to coordinate strategic, often cross-jurisdictional, efforts at the landscape level.*

# What do WMAs do?

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***Control Weeds*** – plan and implement collaborative management projects.

***Map Weeds*** - Share data to support landscape-level strategy and early detection.

***Conduct Outreach*** – Build local awareness.

***Support Advocacy*** – Encourage stronger policies and funding.

# Brief history in CA

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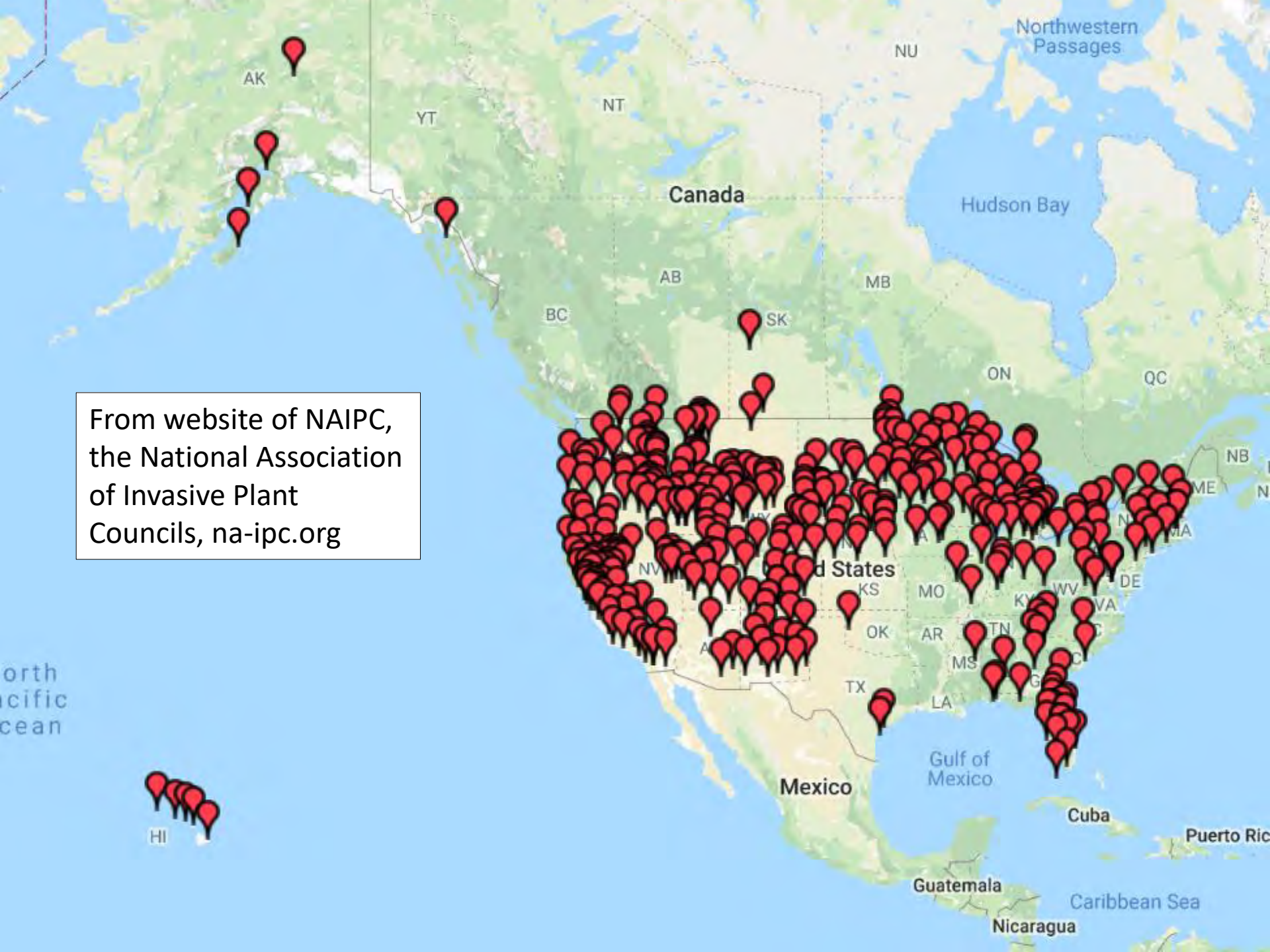
*Historic – weed management key role for CDFA and County Ag Depts*

*1999-2000 – bills to create/fund program*

*2006 – advocacy gets new funding*

*2011 – program defunded*

*2019 – advocacy gets new funding as part of Biodiversity Initiative*



From website of NAIPC,  
the National Association  
of Invasive Plant  
Councils, [na-ipc.org](http://na-ipc.org)

# CWMA Cookbook



## A Recipe for Success

Idaho Noxious Weed Coordinating Committee  
2005



# Moving forward we need to: stress impacts

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***biodiversity** – plant and animal impacts*

***water** – water supply, delivery, quality*

***wildfire** – fuels, fire recovery*

***agriculture** – crops, range, forestry*

***recreation** – boating, hunting, fishing*

# Moving forward we need to: change metrics

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*Acres protected – rather than acres treated*

*Percent controlled – aiming toward near eradication, suppressing to low maintenance level*