



ISN Grant Run-down March 2016

Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (EPA) Upon execution thru October 2017

Growing "Go Beyond Beauty"

- Invasive Species Prevention—\$301,300
- Hire (half-funded):
 - Full-time Habitat Management Specialist—project management, field work, data manager
 - Part-time Outreach Assistant—work with municipalities re: treatment & ordinances
- 2 Seasonal IS Technicians—survey 1,200 acres total (all 4 counties)
- Provide more GBB resources to participants (low/no cost)
 - Signage
 - Advertising
 - Educational materials/workshops
- "Buy-back" invasive ornamentals program
 - Businesses
 - Public—coupons
- Bootbrush station cost-share
- Experiential Learning lesson plan, continue funding Outreach Specialist (Emily), some treatment

MISGP2 (DNR) Thru October 2017

Habitat Matters: Targeting Source Populations

- \$156,400
 - \$100,000+ of treatment needed
 - \$40,000 asked in grant
 - \$17,600 match guaranteed+ \$9,500 applied for
 - \$20,000 match still needed (fundraising etc.)
- Focused on large source populations
 - Baby's breath at Elberta Beach
 - *Phragmites* in Betsie Bay/River, Manistee Lake/delta, Arcadia Marsh
 - Japanese knotweed in Manistee (city)
- Hire (half-funded):
 - Full-time Habitat Management Specialist—project management, some field work, data manager
 - Part-time Outreach Assistant—work with municipalities re: treatment & ordinances

USFS CWMA grant (also GLRI) Upon execution thru September 2017

Invasive Species Network Restoration and Management

- \$38,700
 - 6 mo Coordinator salary & benefits
 - \$3,000 for restoration, \$7,000 for contractual control
- Mainly compliments MISGP
- 30 acres PH in Manistee (concentrating on Little Manistee R. mouth)
- 5 sites knotweed in Manistee (edges of the core population)
- 30 acres baby's breath in Elberta (edges)
- 10 acres restoration work (native plants in)

Huron Pines AmeriCorps Thru December 2016

- 1/3 of an AmeriCorps Member's time, based at GTCD
 - For ISN's portion of time, they will work in all 4 counties
- GIS work, permissions work, GBB work, surveying, treatment, etc.
- \$2,500 from personnel monies not used in April-May (MISGP1) used as match