



Monthly Report

Northwest Michigan
Invasive Species Network
December 2019

Public Inquiry Responses: 86
Active Contacts: 130
Passive Contacts: 40,053
Volunteer Hours: 0
Volunteers: 0
Acres Restored: 0

Acres Surveyed: 11
Sites Surveyed: 3
Acres Treated: 10.5
Sites Treated: 3
Sites Restored: 0

Meetings/Presentations:

- 12/2 - Attended lunch meeting with Manistee Conservation District; 5 contacts
- 12/5 - Completed ISN Workplan Retreat
- 12/10-12/11 - Attended & presented at Michigan Invasive Species Coalition (MISC) Annual Meeting; 75 contacts
- 12/16 - Attended CISMA region meeting
- 12/16 - "Attended" MISC follow-up call
- 12/16 - Attended GTCD events planning meeting
- 12/20 - Attended GTCD strategic plan meeting
- Advised Friends of Lower Lake (Ohio) on JB trade-up process
- Advised Oakland County CISMA on outreach

Treatments, Restoration, and Surveys:

- Treated tree-of-heaven by hack-and-squirt; .5 acres, 1 site
- Contractor woody invasive species control: 10 acres, 2 sites

Other Accomplishments:

- **New GBB participant: Green Earth Landscaping**
- **Received MISGP CISMA funding** (thank you for your support!)
- **Received MISGP funding to take *Go Beyond Beauty* state-wide** (thank you for your support!)
- [Article on MISGP grants for ISN](#) in Manistee News Advocate; 15,000 reach
- [Magoon Creek project partnership mention](#) in Manistee News Advocate; 15,000 reach
- Continued work on USFS CWMA 2020 grant application
- Facebook reach: 5,442
- Website unique visitors: 941
- Instagram reach: 2,911
- November 2019 eNews: 410 opens

Upcoming Events:

- Many of ISN's 2020 events are scheduled! Check them out at www.habitatmatters.org/eventsworkbees

Respectfully Submitted,
Katie Grzesiak and the ISN Team

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