

# OREGON INVASIVE SPECIES COUNCIL MEETING

5-6 FEBRUARY 2008

Chemeketa Northwest Viticulture Center  
Riesling, Chardonnay, and Merlot rooms  
215 Doaks Ferry Road NW  
Salem, Oregon

## PROPOSED AGENDA

### Meeting Objectives

- Update council members on fundraising, and provide guidance and direction to achieve fundraising goals for existing projects (feral swine plan, statewide assessment, etc).
- Update council members on coordination of the awareness and engagement campaign, including OPB and SOLV involvement, and assessment. Identify possible steps to initiate phase II of the campaign to ensure sustainability of initial efforts.
- Adopt 100 Worst List for 2008.
- Provide direction and guidance on the development of a 2-year business plan for the council and steps leading to the development of a strategic plan.
- Conduct committee business and report to the full Council.
- Learn about activities of Pacific State Marine Fisheries Commission relating to aquatic invasive species and the status of nonnative fish and amphibians in Oregon streams.
- Present annual awards to recipients.

### Expected Work Product

A meeting report for the Oregon Invasive Species Council (OISC) that captures the discussion and perspectives of members that includes areas of agreement and areas where a significant diversity of views exists. Clear guidance and direction on actions that will be taken to successfully raise funds for the council, implement the awareness and engagement campaign, and develop a 2-year business plan.

### 5 February 2008

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| 8:45 – 9:00   | Gather – Coffee  |
| 9:00 – 9:15   | <u>Meeting Objectives and Agenda Review</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Review meeting objectives, agenda and process – Mark, Lisa</li></ul> |
| 9:15 – 10:15  | <u>Budget and Fundraising Activities</u> – Lisa  |
| 10:15 – 10:30 | Break  |
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- 10:30 – 11:30      Process for business and strategic plan development – Lisa
- 11:30 – 1:00      Annual Awards Banquet
- Guest speaker: Dr. Robert Faust, President, BioAg Corporation (see biography below)
- 1:00 – 2:15      Update on the statewide awareness and engagement campaign – Sam, Lisa, Sara Ryan (SOLV)
- 2:15 – 3:00      Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission activities on aquatic invasive species – Stephen Phillips, PSMFC
- 3:00 – 3:15      Break
- 3:15 – 4:00 What Monitoring Can Tell Us About Nonnative Species: Examples for Fish and Amphibians – Thom Whittier, OSU
- 4:00 – 4:30      Public Comment
- 4:30                Adjourn

### **6 February 2008**

- 8:45 – 9:00      Gather - Coffee
- 9:00 – 9:45      Update 100 Worst List – Dan
- 9:45 – 11:00     Committee Work Session
- 11:00 – 11:45    Committee Reports and Discussion
- 11:45 – 12:00    Wrap up and schedule of next meeting
- 12:00             Adjourn

### **Guest speaker biography**

*Dr. Robert Faust is Founder & President of The BioAg Corporation with over 30 years of agricultural experience in research and extension services, farming, product and program development, consulting and training. Dr. Faust has helped to develop several commercial biopesticides and performed large-scale farm applications, efficacy research for registration of bio-pesticides . He is a leading expert in agroecology, providing integrated services throughout the World including the United States, Egypt, Belize, Jamaica and Mexico to assist in reducing dependency on chemical fertilizers and pesticides using new biotechnology and foliar fertilizers to increase crop yields and create sustainable systems.*

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*Dr. Faust spent 18 years in Hawaii dealing with invasive species issues. He has conducted research on macadamia yield related to invasive species pests, methods of pest management, and crop decline and loss of production. He has also worked with organic certification, and taught integrated pest management through University of Hawaii extension. He has worked with farmers for over 40 years, presenting viable alternatives to toxic technology and best pest management methods.*

*Dr. Faust will be talking to the Oregon Invasive Species Council about his experience with invasive species in Hawaii, sharing lessons learned for Oregon.*

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