



Aquatic Invasive Species

The spread of AIS through our lakes and rivers has a devastating impact on natural aquatic life. Stopping it will require behavioral changes and adequate penalties for offenders. Infested waters need ongoing research and the best available technology to clean them up.

In this session, we will define what is currently being done to address the aquatic invasive species issues and ask for participants suggestions for moving beyond the status quo.

Key Questions

- How can we better prevent the spread of aquatic invasive species?
- How can we fund the work better?
- How can we better manage the impacts?

[Photo: A bighead carp was recently captured in the Minnesota River. DNR]