



# Clean Annapolis River Project

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## Community Action on Invasive Alien Plants in Nova Scotia's Annapolis Valley

### Checklist of Invasive Alien Plants (Terrestrial)

#### High Priority

- 1 – Glossy & Common Buckthorn (*Rhamnus frangula* & *Rhamnus cathartica*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 – Japanese Knotweed (*Polygonum cuspidatum*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 – Purple Loosestrife (*Lythrum salicaria*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 – Common Reed (*Phragmites australis*) \_\_\_\_\_

\* NOTE: There is also a native Common Reed, and they are very difficult to distinguish

- 5 – Garlic Mustard (*Alliaria petiolata*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 – Scotch Broom (*Cytisus scoparius*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 – Multiflora Rose (*Rosa multiflora*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 – Canada Thistle (*Cirsium arvense*) \_\_\_\_\_

#### Other Known Invasives

- 9 – Manitoba Maple (*Acer negundo*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 – Norway Maple (*Acer platanoides*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 11 – Goutweed (*Aegopodium podagraria*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 12 – Flowering-Rush (*Butomus umbellatus*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 13 – Cuckoo Flower (*Cardamine pratensis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 14 – Spotted Knapweed (*Centaurea maculosa*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 15 – Celandine (*Chelidonium majus*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 16 – Leafy Spurge (*Euphorbia esula*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 17 – Dame's-Rocket (*Hesperis matronalis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 18 – St. John's-Wort (*Hypericum perforatum*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 19 – Tartarian Honeysuckle (*Lonicera tatarica*) \_\_\_\_\_

\* NOTE: All of the exotic shrub honeysuckles (*Lonicera sp.*) should be considered potentially invasive

- 20 – Moneywort (*Lysimachia nummularia*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 21 – Sweet Clover (*Melilotus sp.*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 22 – Wild Marjoram (*Origanum vulgare*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 23 – Scots Pine (*Pinus sylvestris*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 24 – White Poplar (*Populus alba*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 25 – Black Locust (*Robinia pseudo-acacia*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 26 – Coltsfoot (*Tussilago farfara*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 27 – Valerian (*Valeriana officinalis*) \_\_\_\_\_

## Plants to Keep an Eye on

- 28 – (N) Common (Annual) Ragweed (*Ambrosia artemisiifolia*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 29 – Lesser Burdock (*Arctium minus*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 30 – Hairy Crabgrass (*Digitaria sanguinalis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 31 – False Baby's Breath/Bedstraw/Cleavers (*Galium mollugo*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 32 – Ornamental Jewelweed/Himalayan Balsam (*Impatiens glandulifera*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 33 – Common Nipplewort (*Lapsana communis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- 34 – Wild Parsnip (*Pastinaca sativa*) \_\_\_\_\_

## Problems in the Garden

(From September 2006 Clements Garden Club, October 2006 Wilmot Garden Club, April 2007 Valley Gardeners, May 2007 Champlain Garden Club)

### A – Already Listed

- Goutweed (*Aegopodium podagraria*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Spotted Knapweed (*Centaurea maculosa*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Crabgrass (*Digitaria sanguinalis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Moneywort/Creeping Jennie (*Lysimachia nummularia*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Purple Loosestrife (*Lythrum salicaria*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Wild Parsnip (*Pastinaca sativa*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Common Reed/Giant Reed (*Phragmites australis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Japanese Knotweed (*Polygonum cuspidatum*) \_\_\_\_\_

### B – Other

- Yarrow (*Achillea millefolium*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Lady Bells/Ladybells (*Adenophora confusa*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Creeping Bellflower/Rapion Bellflower/Rover Bellflower (*Campanula Rapunculoides*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Field Bindweed (*Convolvulus arvensis*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Couch Grass (*Elymus repens*) \_\_\_\_\_
- (N) Field Horsetail/Western Horsetail/Scouring Rush (*Equisetum arvense*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Cypress Spurge (*Euphorbia cyparissias*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Creeping Charlie/Ground Ivy (*Glechoma hederacea*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Scotch Thistle (*Onopordum acanthium*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Japanese Lantern (*Physalis franchetii*) \_\_\_\_\_
- (N) Choke Cherry (*Prunus virginiana*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Sheep Sorrel/Field Sorrel/Red Sorrel/Dock (*Rumex acetosella*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Dandelion (*Taraxicum officinale*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Red Clover (*Trifolium pratense*) \_\_\_\_\_
- Comfrey (*Symphytum officinale*) \_\_\_\_\_
- (N) Stinging Nettle (*Urtica dioica*) \_\_\_\_\_