

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Lunch and snacks will be provided, however there is no charge for this field day. To ensure adequate numbers of meal items will be available, **please pre-register for this event by 4pm, June 10th (Friday), 2022.**

Pre-register by calling/emailing Curtis Behrens at 319-462-0775 / Curtis.behrens@jonescountyiowa.gov and provide your name, contact info and number of attendees. Please also include any special meal accommodation requests.

This field day is expected to have several outdoor sessions, participants are encouraged to wear appropriate attire for field and trail conditions.

Visit the Hawkeye Cooperative Weed Management Area website: <http://hawkeyecwma.org> to learn more about our partner organizations.



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Central Park
Jones County Conservation
12515 Central Park Road
Center Junction, Iowa 52212

INVASIVE SPECIES FIELD DAY



*Annual Invasive Species
Field Day*

*June 15th, 2022
9am – 3pm*

*Central Park
South Pavilion
Hosted by Jones County
Conservation*

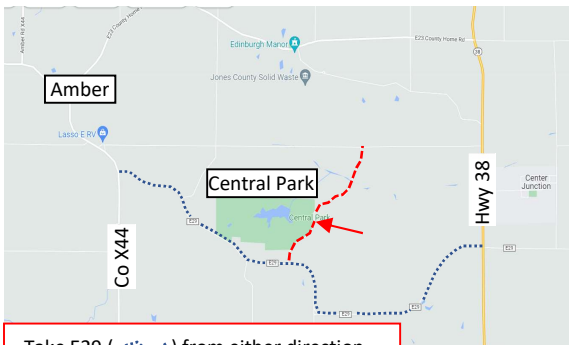
What are Invasive Species?

An invasive plant is generally defined as a plant that is not native and has negative effects on our economy, environment, or human health.

Not all plants introduced from other places are harmful. The term “invasive” is reserved for the most aggressive plant species that grow and reproduce rapidly, causing major changes to the areas where they become established.



The Hawkeye Cooperative Weed Management Area (HCWMA) is a collective group of county, state and federal agencies, nonprofit organizations and community associations who have come together to combat the invasive species problems in Eastern Iowa. The HCWMA serves Benton, Iowa, Johnson, Jones, Linn and Louisa Counties and is open to all interested parties. The term CWMA, Or Cooperative Weed Management Area, refers to a local organization that integrates invasive species management resources across jurisdictional boundaries in order to benefit entire regions.



Take **E29** (.....) from either direction to **Central Park Road** (---) and enter Central Park from the East

FIELD DAY AGENDA

8:30 – 9:00am: Registrations
@ Pavilion

9:00 – 9:10am: Welcome & Overview
Jones County Conservation

Three (3) Concurrently Running Programs
(repeated for each hour session as follows):

9:15 – 10:00am: Concurrent Session 1

10:10 – 11:00am: Concurrent Session 2

11:10am – 12:00pm: Concurrent Session 3

12:00 – 1:00pm: Lunch
@ Pavilion

1:00 – 2:00pm: Final Session
@ Pavilion

PROGRAMS AND SPEAKERS:

Concurrent Sessions (9:15am-12:00pm):
Three programs/speakers will take place at once at varying locations throughout Central Park. Attendees will rotate between each sessions as they see fit.

- **2020 Derecho Effects on Management**
Curtis Behrens – Jones County Conservation
- **Woodland ID and Invasive Management**
Mark Vitosh – Iowa DNR
- **Prairie ID and Invasive Management**
Justin Meissen – Tallgrass Prairie Center

Final Session (1:00-2:00pm):
Watershed and Aquatic Invasive Species
Jason Euchner – Iowa DNR

