

# INVASIVE SPECIES WORKSHOP

Presented by **Bi-State Conservation Action Network**

Organizers of the Quad Cities Pollinator Conference



**Thursday, March 1, 2018 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.**

**Black Hawk State Park Watchtower Lodge • 1510 46th Avenue, Rock Island, IL 61201**

Invasive species threaten farms, preserves, parks, and even our backyards. In this workshop, experts will share the latest tools and research and showcase how you can prevent, control, and contain invasive species.

## PRESENTERS INCLUDE:

- Brian Ritter  
Executive Director at Nahant Marsh
- Mark Vitosh  
District 12 Forester at Iowa Department of Natural Resources
- Dale Maxson  
Eastern Iowa Land Steward at The Nature Conservancy
- Chris Evans  
University of Illinois Extension Forester

## BEST PRACTICES PANELISTS INCLUDE:

- Steve Fairbanks  
Landowner and Henry County Natural Area Guardians Volunteer
- Mike Petersen  
Park Ranger at Illiniwek Forest Preserve
- Joshua Spensley  
Grounds Maintenance Supervisor at John Deere
- Emily Swihart  
East-Central Iowa Field Coordinator at Trees Forever

## WITH TOUR OF BLACK HAWK STATE PARK INVASIVE SPECIES MANAGEMENT BY:

- Candace Ritchie  
Site Technician II

## COST:

**\$35** includes a hot lunch and the chance to **win door prizes** (or \$20 for students).

## REGISTRATION:

**Complete the form below and mail it with your check payable to Nahant Marsh to:**

Nahant Marsh  
Attn: Lindsey Kennedy  
4220 Wapello Ave.  
Davenport, IA 52802

**-or-**

**Register online at <http://bit.ly/2C1zITL>**

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**Sponsorship opportunities available. Contact Lindsey at 563.336.3374 or [lmkenedy@eicc.edu](mailto:lmkenedy@eicc.edu).**

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