

Annual Mille Lacs County Local Noxious Weed Management Meeting

Tuesday, April 2, 2019

1:00 to 3:00 pm

at the

Mille Lacs County Historic Courthouse in Conference Room D

AGENDA - updated

- 1:00 – 1:05 **Welcome & Refreshments**
- 1:05 – 1:40 **Weed identification and overview of noxious weed distribution on County and Township right of ways**
Susan Shaw – County Agricultural Inspector
Kevin Schultz – MLC Highway Superintendent
- 1:40 – 2:50 **Panel Discussion: Presenters will discuss options to address the spread of noxious weeds**
- Weeds move with soil, mulch and mowers
 - Management techniques that work
 - Mistakes to avoid
 - Outside of the road right of way – working with homeowners
- Presenters:**
Jake Janski, MN Native Landscapes – mechanical control perspectives
Dale Sutherland, UAP – chemical control perspectives
Kevin Schultz, Mille Lacs County Highway Superintendent –mgmt. perspectives
Kurt Beckstrom, Mille Lacs SWCD – soil quality and water quality perspectives
Susan Shaw, County Ag Inspector – working with property owners outside the right of way
- What to expect:** Each presenter will provide brief insights.
Questions are welcome and encouraged!
- 2:50 – 3:00 **Wrap Up**