



Invasive Plant Action Award Nomination

To recognize outstanding work related to controlling invasive plant species on property in Missouri.

The nominations will be evaluated by members of the Missouri Invasive Plant Task Force (MoIP), a resource of the Grow Native! program and the Missouri Prairie Foundation. Please visit moinvasives.org to learn more.

To Nominate:

Complete the relevant information below and email application + supporting documents to info@moinvasives.org with the subject line, "MoIP Awards Nomination 2021."

Alternatively, you may [submit this Google form online](#).

Nomination deadline is June 15, 2021.

Please direct questions to MoIP Contract Coordinator at info@moinvasives.org

Nominee Information

Nominee's Name: _____

Nominee's Email Address: _____

Nominee's Affiliation (Agency, Property, etc.): _____

How long has nominee been active in invasive plant management? *

Projects fewer than 2 years old will not be considered for this award. But please apply again when nominee is eligible!

- 0-2 years
- 2-5 years
- 5-10 years
- 10+ years

Nominator Information

Nominator's Name: _____

Nominator's Email Address: _____

Nominator's Phone Number: _____

Nominator's Affiliation (Agency, Property, etc.): _____

How did you find out about this award?

- Organization Newsletter
- Social media (Facebook, Twitter)
- Word of mouth
- Other: _____

Note: Please read award title and description. You only have to submit nomination documents for that category.

Nomination for Individual Award

- Nomination is for a private landowner, corporation, school, or other single entity that has demonstrated progress in reducing invasive plants
- Nomination a natural resources professional who has demonstrated progress in reducing invasive plants over at least two years

Requirements:

- Self-nomination is allowed.
- Nomination must be submitted by or include a recommendation letter from a natural resources professional (this may include Missouri Department of Conservation Private Land Conservationist, staff of other agencies who work with private landowners, private contractors, or professional staff working for the single landowner)
- 1-page narrative about the "before and after" work of the collaboration or group
- Evidence of a long-term invasive plant management plan
- We ask that the nominee(s) has/have been active in their leadership for two or more years.

Please submit the following supporting documents.

You may paste responses here or attach separately and mail them, with this form, to info@moinvasives.org:

1. Narrative about the “before and after” work of the individual’s progress in eliminating invasive plants.
2. Evidence of a long-term invasive plant management plan.
3. Recommendation letter from a natural resources professional (this may include PLC, private contractors, professional staff working for the single landowner), if nominator is not a professional. If nominator IS a professional, then document #1 will suffice.

Is there anything else we should know about the nominee?

Nomination for Group Collaborators Award

Award nomination is for a collaborative network (e.g., homeowners, city park, school, business) working together to fight the spread of invasive plants in a particular geographic area.

Requirements:

- Self-nomination is allowed.
- Nomination must be submitted by or include a recommendation letter from a natural resources professional (this may include Missouri Department of Conservation Private Land Conservationist, staff of other agencies who work with private landowners, private contractors, or professional staff working for the single landowner)
- 1-page narrative about the “before and after” work of the collaboration or group
- Application describes work done by a collaboration of partners
- Evidence of a long-term invasive plant management plan
- We ask that the nominee(s) has/have been active in their leadership for two or more years.

Please submit the following supporting documents.

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3. Recommendation letter from a natural resources professional (this may include PLC, private contractors, professional staff working for the single landowner), if nominator is not a professional. If nominator IS a professional, then document #1 will suffice.

Is there anything else we should know about the nominee?

Nomination for Researcher Award

Award nomination is for an individual or group of individuals who has/have published research on invasive plant management.

Please answer below or submit the following supporting documents.

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1. Please describe the nominee’s research, including background, methods, results and discussion. Attach or link to published papers, if available.
2. How does this research apply to invasive plant control and management?
3. Is there anything else we should know about the nominee?