

Recommendations for *Phragmites australis*

Assessment results based on 10/21/03 meeting:

Impact (0-70.5)

Potential for Expansion

Difficulty of Management

Value (0-29)

64.5 Notes: + we are not sure how viable the seed is; would be useful to know that.
 38 + there is a native strain of Phragmites at a few sites in Indiana;
 37 these recommendations refer to the non-native strain.
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Group	Current Status	Recommendation	Need to	Who
Government				
DNR	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended; incorporate into policy		
INDOT	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
NRCS	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
IDEM	Policy in place that it may not be used for wastewater treatment plantings.	Continue this policy		
USFWS	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
ACOE	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
Federal landholders (DoD, USFS, USFWS, NPS)	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
USDA-ARS	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
Plant Material Centers	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
Coop Extension Service - Forage	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		
Coop Extension Service - Horticulture	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended. Provide educational info. on invasiveness of Phragmites to public, recommend it not be used.		
County government (SWCDs, drainage boards, surveyors)	Not being planted or recommended	Should not be planted or recommended		

Nursery Professionals and Landscape Architects				
	Sold in a few nurseries nationally; none in Indiana	No nurseries in Indiana should sell it. Provide educational info. on invasiveness of Phragmites to public, recommend it not be used.		
Gardening Public				
	Occasionally planted for landscaping	Do not plant for landscaping		
Botanic Gardens and Arboreta				
	Can be found in some Botanic Gardens	Do not plant in botanic gardens		
Other				
Wastewater treatment consultants	In the past it was used as a filter plant in wastewater treatment areas; currently not allowed by IDEM	Do not allow for wastewater treatment plantings		