

Strategic Plan 2025 Edits

(as of March 2025)

Introductory pages

- 2 counties to 3, added Lincoln County
- 17 partners
- “formal Partner groups” to partners
- Added pathways of spread
- Changed terminology away from words such as “battle”, “thread”, “war”
- New management area map and description of forest types

Feedback agreed goals should remain the same but to examine wording

Goal 1

- Descriptive language simplified
- “partner” no longer capitalized since we do not distinguish between formal and non
- Objective 1.2.-- added “as funding allows”, PlayCleanGo materials now free

Goal 2

- Added “submit all new invasive species reports to EDDMapS”, formerly the Great Lakes Early Detection Network or GLEDN
- Changed roadside surveys repeated every 5 years to 10, as funding allows

Goal 3

- Reworked text to include DATCP Pesticide Applicator licensing for Lumberjack RC&D (business) and WHIP Coordinator (applicator)
- New objective: 3.4: “Maintain all required certification and licensing for herbicide applications” including four strategic actions.

Goal 5

- Added in mention of network of other CISMAs in Wisconsin
- Deleted “retain a Steering Committee of Partner Representatives” to “Ensure partners are reminded that all are welcome to attend regular WHIP meetings to participate in the group’s activities and planning”
- Deleted “incorporate Action Team structure to ensure project planning is addressed”

Partner list updated.