

SMIST CISMA Herbicide Workshop

Date: Thurs. July 18, 2019 8:30 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.

Location: Dow Hotel and Conference Center
22 East Galloway Dr. Hillsdale Mi 49242

Cost: \$25 per person. Includes lunch and materials

6 RUP Credits offered

Join us for an informative workshop with Vern Stephens who will discuss herbicide applications for invasive species management. This will include invasive species identification, treatment techniques, laws and regulations, and a field identification/demonstration component including equipment calibration. This course qualifies for 6 MDARD recertification credits.

This event is sponsored by the Southern Michigan Invasive Species Team Cooperative Invasive Species Management Area in partnership with Slayton Arboretum at Hillsdale College.



Herbicide Workshop Agenda

8:30 Registration

9:00 Welcome and introductions (SMIST CISMA Representative)

9:15 Prioritizing Invasive Species (Vern Stephens)

10:00 Pesticide Application (Vern Stephens)

10:20 Break

10:30 Pesticide Application Continued (Vern Stephens)

- **Herbicide Application Methods**
- **Best Control Practices**
- **Calibration of Equipment**
- **Laws and Regulations** (Vern Stephens, and/or MDARD Representative)

12:00 Lunch

12:45 New Herbicides (Vern Stephens)

1:00 Demonstration Treatment Tour Slayton Arboretum (Vern Stephens, SMIST CISMA)

- Invasive Shrubs
- Japanese knotweed
- Invasive Trees

3:00 Return to Dow Conference Center

- **Questions and answers**

3:30 adjournment

Registration Form-

Please Print and return by mail or scan as an email

Please Register by July 5th to ensure lunch availability

Name: _____ Email Address: _____
Last First MI

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____

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Telephone

SMIST CISMA Herbicide Workshop Date: July 18th 2019 Amount \$25.00

() Check or money order made out to St. Joseph County Conservation District

You may also make an online payment with debit/credit at stjoecountycd.com on the homepage

Signature _____

Mail completed form to: St. Joseph County Conservation District, 693 E. Main Street, Centreville, MI 49032

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