

ISAC Meeting – November 2014

ACTION OR INFORMATION ITEM

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TOPIC: Texas Invasive Species Institute (TISI)

SPEAKER (Name/Email): Jerry Cook or Autumn Smith (jcook@shsu.edu or smith-herron@shsu.edu)

1. DESCRIPTION OF AGENDA ITEM:

TISI is the only comprehensive center working on invasive species in Texas and the western Gulf Coast Region. The presentation will give an overview of the structure of the center and recent and ongoing projects

2. WHY IS THIS ITEM IMPORTANT TO NISC / ISAC? HOW IS IT RELATED TO THE NATIONAL INVASIVE SPECIES MANAGEMENT PLAN?

TISI is the regional hub for invasive species research and management and as such would be of interest to the National Invasive Species Management Plan.

3. PREVIOUS ACTIONS TAKEN BY NISC / ISAC ON THIS ITEM:

None.

4. ACTION REQUESTED OF NISC / ISAC:

Presentation to NISC/ISAC to increase awareness

5. ALTERNATIVES:

None.

6. ATTACHMENTS:

None.