



INVASIVE PHRAGMITES

A non-native invasive perennial grass is taking over our wetlands. This a concern because it:

- spreads quickly (seeds, above ground stolons, and underground rhizomes)
- can grow into very dense monoculture stands
- can reach heights of up to 5 metres (16 feet)
- outcompetes native species for water and nutrients
- displaces native vegetation and biodiversity
- provides poor habitat for wildlife



Watch for new spring growth of Invasive Phragmites in wetlands and in road side ditches. This plant is growing very fast and it will soon disrupt the adjacent native vegetation.

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