

# 2018

## ILLINOIS MOST "UNWANTED" INVASIVE PESTS

Your assistance in helping us find invasive pests is needed and appreciated. Please report suspected invasive plant pests to the Illinois Cooperative Agriculture Pest Survey Program at (217) 333-1005 or email : [kcook8@illinois.edu](mailto:kcook8@illinois.edu)



**SPOTTED LANTERNFLY**  
(*Lycorma delicatula*)

Photo: Pennsylvania Dept. of Agriculture



**ASIAN LONGHORNED BEETLE**  
(*Anoplophora glabripennis*)

Photo: Donald Duerr, US Forest Service



**JUMPING WORMS**  
(*Amynthas agrestis*)

Photo: Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources



**GOLDSPOTTED OAK BORER**  
(*Agrilus auroguttatus*)

Photo: Mike Lewis, Center for Invasive Species Research



**OLD WORLD BOLLWORM**  
(*Helicoverpa armigera*)

Photo: Julietta Brambila, USDAAPHIS PPQ



**ASIAN GYPSY MOTH**  
(*Lymantria dispar asiatica*)

Photo: Paul Weston, Cornell University



**SUDDEN OAK DEATH**  
(*Phytophthora ramorum*)

Photo: Joseph O'Brien, USDA Forest Service



**RED IMPORTED FIRE ANT**  
(*Solenopsis invicta*)

Photo: Pest and Diseases Image Laboratory



**BOXWOOD BLIGHT**  
(*Cylindrocladium buxicola*)

Photo: Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station



**SALTCEDAR**  
(*Tamarix ramosissima*)

Photo: U.S. Dept of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management



**HYDRILLA**  
(*Hydrilla verticillata*)

Photo: Vic Ramey



**GIANT HOGWEED**  
(*Heracleum mantegazzianum*)

Photo: Donna R. Ellis, University of Connecticut

A primary objective of the Illinois Cooperative Agriculture Survey (CAPS) program is to safeguard our nation's food and environmental security from exotic pests that threaten our production and ecological systems. This program focuses domestic surveys for harmful or economically significant plant pests and weeds that have eluded first-line inspections at ports of entry.

