

Constitution of the Fraser Valley Invasive Species Society

FORM 1 SOCIETIES ACT: CONSTITUTION

- 1.** The name of the society is the Fraser Valley Invasive Species Society, hereafter referred to as the "Society"

- 2.** The purposes of the Society are, within the geographic areas of the Fraser Valley Regional District:
 - a) To raise awareness and educate the public, government agencies, and other land managers about invasive species and their impacts in the area;
 - b) To prevent the further introduction and spread of invasive species in the area through education and awareness, early detection and control, and coordinated integrated invasive species management efforts;
 - c) To promote coordinated and collaborative management of invasive species between agencies and land occupiers;
 - d) To work towards the control/containment of highly invasive non-native species;
 - e) To provide a conduit for information and a source of expertise on invasive species;
 - f) To develop and maintain a comprehensive inventory of invasive species within the area of responsibility; and,
 - g) To hire and direct a coordinator to fulfill the purposes of the Society, as required.