

NEW: BE ON LOOK OUT

# Spotted Lanternfly

## Description:

Type: planthopper  
Wings: spotted, gray, red  
Eggs: mud-like mass,  
easy to miss  
Other: feeds on grapevines,  
walnut trees,  
among others

WANTED FOR: mass tree murder  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: trees

REMARKS: Often found in forest/woodland areas;  
feeds on tree of heaven, but will  
decimate native tree populations  
RECOMMENDATION: Destroy eggs on sight; report

# Tree of Heaven

Known accomplice

## Description:

Type: tree  
Leaves: palm-like  
Leaf scar: heart-shaped  
Bark: like cantaloupe  
Other: leaves smell like rancid  
peanut butter when  
crushed

WANTED FOR: invasion and accomplice to mass  
tree murder  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: healthy ecosystem and trees

REMARKS: Often found in full- and part-sun  
areas; first food choice of spotted  
lanternfly  
RECOMMENDATION: Cut and herbicide on sight

# IF FOUND

please report to

[EDDMapS.org](http://EDDMapS.org)

The GLEDN app: Apple iOS | Android  
Discuss terrestrial invasive species:  
Phone: 1-866 NO EXOTIC (1-866-663-9684)  
E-mail: [depp@dnr.IN.gov](mailto:depp@dnr.IN.gov)

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Suspected finds should be reported to the Indiana Department of Natural Resources. Call 866-NO EXOTIC (866-663-9684) or email [DEPP@dnr.IN.gov](mailto:DEPP@dnr.IN.gov). Please leave your name, contact number and detailed information about what you are reporting. Photos are always appreciated. By notifying of a potential pest problem you provide an invaluable service to the DNR and our natural resources.



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# Elkhart's Most UNWANTED



WANTED FOR: destruction of property  
REWARD: native plants & wildlife

Invasive plants and animals have a devastating impact on ecosystems and economies. Invasive plants take over areas and out-compete native plants, becoming the only thing growing in that area. Invasive animals overfeed on local plant/animal populations. Both invasive plants and animals can quickly become destructive and expensive adversaries.

Invasive species are a community enemy: they impact large swathes of land at a time and everyone can make a difference in the fight against them.



# Honeysuckle

## Description:

Type: shrub  
Berries: red/orange  
Leaves: opposite  
Bark: grayish, long flaky strips  
Other: stems and branches have hollow centers

WANTED FOR: overshading understory  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: wildflowers & saplings

REMARKS: Often found in forest/woodland areas; first to leaf out in spring, last leaves left in winter; will overtake any area  
RECOMMENDATION: Cut and herbicide on sight

# Poison Hemlock

Poisonous: approach with caution

## Description:

Type: bamboo-like  
Flowers: white  
Leaves: fern-like  
Stems: green with reddish/purple spots  
Other: stems have hollow centers

WANTED FOR: displacing native plants  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: wildflowers, grasses

REMARKS: Often found in full-sun areas; all parts of plant poisonous to humans and domestic animals; biennial  
RECOMMENDATION: Remove and herbicide with caution

# Burning Bush

## Description:

Type: shrub  
Berries: winged, orange  
Leaves: turn burning red  
Stems: corky ridges  
Other: hard to miss in fall

WANTED FOR: identity theft  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: happier wildlife

REMARKS: Often found in yards and gardens; prolific seeder  
RECOMMENDATION: Cut and herbicide on sight; replace with native version

# Japanese Knotweed

## Description:

Type: bamboo-like  
Flowers: white  
Leaves: alternate  
Stems: red, brown  
Other: stems like bamboo canes with purple speckles

WANTED FOR: hostile takeover  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: freedom from terror

REMARKS: Often found in low-lying and disturbed areas; spreads via rhizomes; difficult to remove  
RECOMMENDATION: Seek help; herbicide when flowering

# Callery Pear

## Description:

Type: tree  
Flowers: white  
Leaves: glossy green  
Bark: gray brown, scaly  
Other: turns red in fall and keeps leaves longer than other trees

WANTED FOR: deceiving the public  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: a better world

Known Alias: Bradford pear

REMARKS: Often found in yards, along sidewalks, on abandoned property  
RECOMMENDATION: Cut and herbicide on sight, replace with native tree

# Garlic Mustard

## Description:

Type: herb  
Flowers: white  
Leaves: fragrant and edible  
Roots: S-shaped at top  
Other: smells like garlic when crushed

WANTED FOR: impersonating a wildflower  
REWARD FOR REMOVAL: native wildflowers

REMARKS: Often found in full- and part-sun; self-pollinates  
RECOMMENDATION: Pull and herbicide on sight; can also be added to salad