BETAR BYWAY / SOUTH GLENS FALLS HISTORICAL PARK INVASIVE SPECIES SURVEY 2019:

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Type of Work Performed: Terrestrial invasive species surveying, with an emphasis on looking for porcelain berry

Date: July 31st, 2019

Address: South Glens Falls, NY 12803

County: Saratoga County

Latitude and Longitude: 43.301786, -73.641516 Website: Southern Adirondack Audubon Society

Lead Contact Information for Project: Lauren Mercier, Capital Mohawk PRISM

Site Owner Contact Information: Southern Adirondack Audubon Society President, John Loz

Project Description: Surveying for terrestrial invasive species was done and points for the species were uploaded on to iMapInvasives.

Invasive Species Present at South Glens Falls Historical Park, Betar Byway Bike Path:

Common Name	Scientific Name	Locations (GPS)	Growth Type	Phenology	Distribution/ Abundance
Common Reed	Phragmites australis	43.30039 -73.64181	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Sparse (only 2 sitings)
Japanese Barberry	Berberis thunbergii	43.29631 -73.64088	Shrub	Vegetative	Sparse
Oriental Bittersweet	Celastrus orbiculatus	43.29837 -73.64118	Vine	In seed	Dense
Garlic Mustard	Alliaria petiolate	43.30087 -73.6414	Herbaceous	In seed	Sparse
Porcelain Berry	Ampelopsis brevipedunculata	43.29893 -73.64143	Vine	Vegetative	Dense (throughout Park)
Common Barberry	Berberis vulgaris	43.29437 -73.64022	Shrub	Vegetative	Sparse
Spotted Starthistle	Centaurea stoebe spp	43.29612 -73.64079	Herbaceous	Flowering	Sparse
Chicory	Cichorium intybus	43.29665 -73.64093	Herbaceous	Flowering	Sparse
Field Bindweed	Convolvulus arvensis	43.29654 -73.64072	Vine	Flowering	Dense
Wild Carrot	Daucus carota	43.29512 -73.64061	Herbaceous	Flowering	Dense
Cypress Spurge	Euphorbia cyparissias	43.29611 -73.64078	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Sparse (found in one area)

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Glossy Buckthorn	Frangula alnus	43.29628 -73.64089	Tree	In seed	Dense
Ground Ivy	Glechoma hederacea	43.29815 -73.64123	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Dense
Common St. Johnswort	Hypericum perforatum	43.29723 -73.64096	Herbaceous	Flowering	Sparse
Privet	Ligustrum spp	43.29738 -73.64104	Shrub	Vegetative	Sparse
Honeysuckle	Lonicera spp	43.29429 -73.64017	Shrub	In seed	Dense
Birdfoot Deervetch	Lotus coriculatus	43.29611 -73.64079	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Sparse
Creeping Jenny	Lysimachia nummularia	43.30062 -73.64178	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Dense
Purple Loosestrife	Lythrum Salicaria	43.29504 -73.64069	Herbaceous	Flowering	Sparse
Japanese Knotweed	Reynooutria japonica	43.29394 -73.63977	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Dense
Common Buckthorn	Rhamnus cathartica	43.29964 -73.64123	Tree	Vegetative	Sparse
Multiflora Rose	Rosa multiflora	43.29901 -73.64131	Shrub	Vegetative	Dense
Climbing Nightshade	Solanum sulcamara	43.29997			
Great Mullein	Verbascum Thapsus	43.29247 -73.63957	Herbaceous	Vegetative	Sparse
Japanese Snowball	Viburnum plicatum	43.03185 -73.64113	Shrub	Flowering	Sparse

Capital Mohawk PRISM Strongly Recommends Uploading Points into https://www.imapinvasives.org/

Native Community Types: Wetland and forested

Dominant Native Plants Present: Sugar Maple

Summary of Work Completed:

1. Surveying for terrestrial invasive plant species

Recommendations for the Future: Continue surveying the site and do removals on the buckthorn, honey suckle, and rose if possible.

Contact the Capital Mohawk Prism http://www.capitalmohawkprism.org/

Figure 1. Map of points taken in South Glens Falls Historic Park Betar Byway Bike Path in Saratoga County.

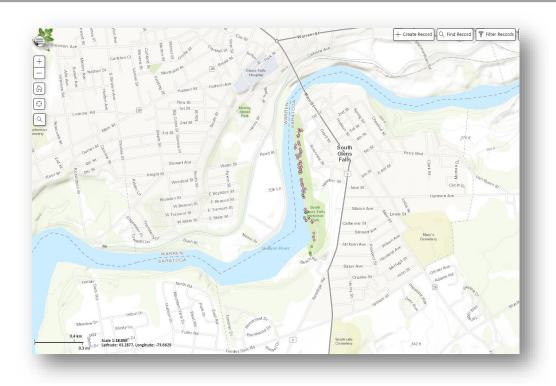


Figure 2. Japanese Knotweed in in South Glens Falls Historic Park Betar Byway Bike Path in Saratoga County.

