



EmpowerU!

Advocating Invasive Species Management

Learn how to work with decision makers, influence management decisions
and stop the spread of invasive species!

In this **4 week course** citizens, property owners, master naturalist and master gardener volunteers can grow their skills to meaningfully engage decision makers about local invasive species issues. Through a series of **self-paced online learning activities and two in-person workshops at the Camden County Extension Office**, participants will:

- Learn about invasive species affecting the local environment.
- Gain understanding of the roles and levels of government and who to contact regarding invasive species management.
- Learn skills such as influence, power, persuasion, framing, questioning and listening in interactions with decision makers.
- Know where to find reputable information on the status of invasive species in your area.
- Create an engagement plan and experience practicing it in a safe, peer-learning environment.
- See yourself as a resource to decision makers on invasive species management.
- View engagement with decision makers as a norm and encourage others to do it.
- Network with other people passionate to make a difference around invasive species.

In person workshops April 3rd and May 17th (you must attend both) with online learning modules in between workshops

Cost:\$40

Please call the Camden County Extension Office for more information or to register at 912-576-3219

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