

Collecting and utilising IAS observational data

12. Suggest an IAS mapping collaboration to a local association or sports club



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Local organisations or junior teams of sports clubs may be interested in reporting easily identifiable invasive species for a fee, or even performing light control measures.

Do this

Contact local organisations and clubs to enquire about their interest and possibility to collaborate in IAS management.

You can suggest the mapping of municipal areas or organising an IAS voluntary work party for an annual fee, for example.

IAS mapping will require training the participants.

Benefits of the action

Through collaboration, the municipality gains more resources for managing the IAS situation while increasing the citizens' IAS awareness, which reduces the unintentional and intentional spreading of species.

More information

In 2021–2022, the City of Lahti and youth guided by the local Lions Club engaged in effective IAS collaboration in the Lahti Green City project, even stimulating some international interest.

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