



## NON-NATIVE INVASIVE SPECIES (2003)

### **Policy Statement**

The American Society of Landscape Architects recognizes that non-native invasive species are adversely impacting the ecological function of natural systems worldwide. These invasive species include plants, animals, and insects that naturalize and disrupt native ecosystems. Landscape architects are encouraged to use responsible design practices that sustain the local, regional ecosystem without introducing non-native invasive plant species.

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