

Invasive Plant Advisory Committee**Membership****Updated: May 20, 2020***Primary Function:* Advise the Secretary regarding regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of the Invasive Plants Prevention and Control Law*Statutory Authority:* Md. AGRICULTURE Code Ann. § 9.5-101 et. seq.*Sector*

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Appointed by the Secretary in consultation with Secretary's of MDE and DNR:				
Regulated Landscaping Industry (1)	Brent Cassell, Leyland Landscaping	brent@leylandlandscaping.com	January 1, 2018	December 31, 2020
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NGO Environ. Advocacy Organization (1)	Deborah Barber, The Nature Conservancy	dbarber@tnc.org	January 1, 2018	December 31, 2020
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MDA Nursery Inspector	Steve Bell	steven.bell@maryland.gov	May 1, 2019	April 30, 2022