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Phone number

Q6 Yes

Can we contact you about your submission (if required)?

Q7 I am a private land manager/owner

What best describes you?

### Q8 South East

Which of the following regions best describes your location/area of interest?

#### **O9**

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#### Q10

To what extent are the NSW environment, industries and communities currently impacted by invasive species?

In our farm area at Berry we have problems with Tobacco plants and carp fish along the length of Broughton Creek. Salvinia weed is also prevalent on smaller water ways and dams.

#### Q11

To what extent do you think existing programs in NSW are effectively managing invasive species?

There is no local information. Minimal financial support is available.

Farmers bear the responsibility.

#### Q12

What, if any, are the key barriers to effective management of invasive species?

Finance and support management.

#### Q13

How has invasive species management changed since the introduction of the NSW Biosecurity Act 2015 legislation and associated programs and plans?

Can't comment

#### Q14

What are the future risks posed by invasive species to the NSW environment, industries and communities?

Competition with native species of plants and fish life.

Continued spread!

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Q15

What opportunities do you see to improve the outcomes of invasive species management in the future?
Best practise eradication methods.  Education and funding support. Farmers can't support costs out of cash flow.
Q16
Any other comments?
No