

Field Office Wetland Plant Identification Training

Field Office Wetland Plant Training is an in-person training course that will be scheduled with the State Rangeland Management Specialist or Field Office Ecologist, in person. Contact your hub leader to schedule the training. The field office plant list will be provided at the start of the training and can also be found on the Alaska NRCS Sharepoint site under Conservation Planning.

NRCS Wetland Plant Identification Training (Includes Wetland Plants)

In-Person with Rangeland Management Specialist, Biologist, or Ecologist

AGENDA

- 8:30am 1. Welcome and Introductions
- A) Goals for this training, expectations of attendees, classroom materials
- 8:45am 2. Plant basics
- A) Different kinds of plants (Grasses, Sedges, Forbs, Shrubs) and how they grow
 - B) Annual, perennial, herbaceous and woody
 - C) Flowers of plants
 - D) Alaska Resources for Plant ID
- 9:45-10:00 am *****Break*****
- 10:00 am 3. Ecological Sites
- A) Landscape/Geology of the FO
 - B) Soils of the FO
 - C) Ecological Site Communities and State and Transition Models
 - D) Common Wetlands in the Field Office
 - E) Questions?
- 11:30am – 12:30 pm ***** LUNCH *****
- 12:30–4:30pm 4. Field Trip
- A) Examples of the different common plants and growth methods.
 - B) Examples of Ecological Sites in the FO
 - C) Examples of common wetlands in the FO
 - D) Wetland plants and characteristics of wetlands