

**NOTE: Current board terms run through early 2010, when the annual meeting is held.**

**Tom Borgman** has served on the OIPC Board from 2007-2010. He received an Associate's degree in Recreation and Wildlife Management from Hocking College, and a Bachelor's degree in Environmental Science from Thomas More College. He was a Naturalist for Ohio State Parks and Hamilton County Park District and currently is the Land Management Crew Leader for Hamilton County Parks. Tom has worked on controlling invasive species for 25 years, with a special emphasis on bush honeysuckle. He has presented more than 40 programs on invasive species and coordinated several OIPC workshops in SW Ohio. Tom conducts invasive plant control on over 16,000 acres of park district land with seasonal, contracted and permanent staff using various control equipment and techniques.

**Cheryl Coon** has served on the OIPC Board from 2007-2010, and as OIPC Secretary in 2008 and 2009. She received a Bachelor's in Biology from Hiram College and a Master's in Plant Biology from the University of Maryland. In the past 6 years, she has built the Wayne National Forest's Non-native Invasive Plant Program from treating 10 acres to over 800 acres. Cheryl works with partners in the SE Ohio NNIS Interest Group to organize efforts between multiple land owners and managers in the Athens/Marietta area. She has helped coordinate public trainings and workshops, given dozens of invasive presentations to the public and works with partners to apply for grants and write agreements for invasive plant inventory and control efforts.

**Jan Hunter** has served on the OIPC Board from 2009-2010 to fill a vacated position. Jan worked for The Nature Conservancy of Idaho and Indiana in the mid-90's. She then was Stewardship Director for the Shirley Heinze Land Trust in Indiana from 1999-2003. Currently Jan owns and manages a native plant nursery, Naturally Native Nursery, in Bowling Green, where native plants are propagated for wholesale and retail sales. She is also employed by the Green Ribbon Initiative in the Oak Openings Region of NW Ohio. She serves on the technical committee of Toledo-Lucas Rain Garden Initiative, the growers committee of Maumee Valley Natives, volunteers with Toledo Metro Parks and The Nature Conservancy and is an attending member of Maumee Valley Growers.

**John Navarro** received both his Bachelor's and Master's Degrees in Natural Resources and Fisheries Management from The Ohio State University. He worked for ten years for Battelle Memorial Institute, Great Lakes Environmental Center as an Environmental Researcher. For the past 15 years, he has worked for the ODNR Division of Wildlife as an Aquatic Biologist, Hatchery Program Administrator, and Stream Conservation and Environmental Assessment Program Administrator. His current responsibilities include oversight of several programs, including the Ohio Aquatic Invasive Species Program, for which he is the Chair of the Ohio Aquatic Invasive Species Committee. John is also a member of both the Great Lakes Panel & the Mississippi River Basin Panel on Aquatic Invasive Species.