

# Rhode Island Wild Plant Society

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RI WILD PLANT SOCIETY

**Saturday, MARCH 8, 2008**

**PROGRAM & ANNUAL MEETING**

Location: Weaver Auditorium, URI Coastal Institute  
Corner of Flagg & Greenhouse Road, Kingston

**Guest Speaker: Dr. Susan Gordon**

Manager of the Kinney Azalea Gardens in Kingston and  
Adjunct Asst. Professor of Plant Science and Landscape Architecture at URI

**“Changing Ecosystems, Changing Plants”**



***Rhododendron arborescens - Native?***

As climate and species demographics change, which plants are native, exotic or invasive?

- 12:00 noon Business Meeting
- 1:00 pm Refreshments & Fellowship
- 1:30 pm Program

**Free and open to the public.**

Snow date: Saturday, March 15, same time, same place  
(check local television or radio stations - or call 789-7497)