

US and Canadian Agencies

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New Investigator's Meeting

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Canadian

Canada

Federal Environment Canada (Burlington)

US

EPA GLNPO (Chicago)

Responsibilities on the Canadian side are negotiated between the federal government and the province through the Canada-Ontario Agreement (COA)

Fed--Environment Canada (Burlington and Downsview [=Toronto])

Fed--Fisheries & Oceans Canada (Burlington)

Ontario Ministry of Environment (Toronto, London)

Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources (Peterborough, Port Dover, Wheatley)

Ontario Ministry of Food & Agriculture (Guelph)

Conservation Authorities (London, Guelph, ERCA is in Essex)

US

- US EPA GLNPO (Chicago and other offices, including Grosse Ile)
 - *Lake Guardian*—185 ft research vessel
- US Fish & Wildlife Service
 - Asian Carp, water snakes, birds
- US Geological Survey (Great Lakes Science Center, Ann Arbor)
 - Sandusky Office with new Vessel
- National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
 - + Great Lakes Environmental Research Laboratory (GLERL, Ann Arbor)
- US Army Corps of Engineers
 - Dredging, sediment, Asian carp, more
- US Department of Agriculture
 - ARS, NRCS
- Complex management structure between federal and state agencies—State DNRs, EPAs, Ag Depts, Health Depts, Transportation, Development



Lake Erie Management

- Most complex
- 4 states, province, and 2 countries