



Chair's Report

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Legislative Milestones

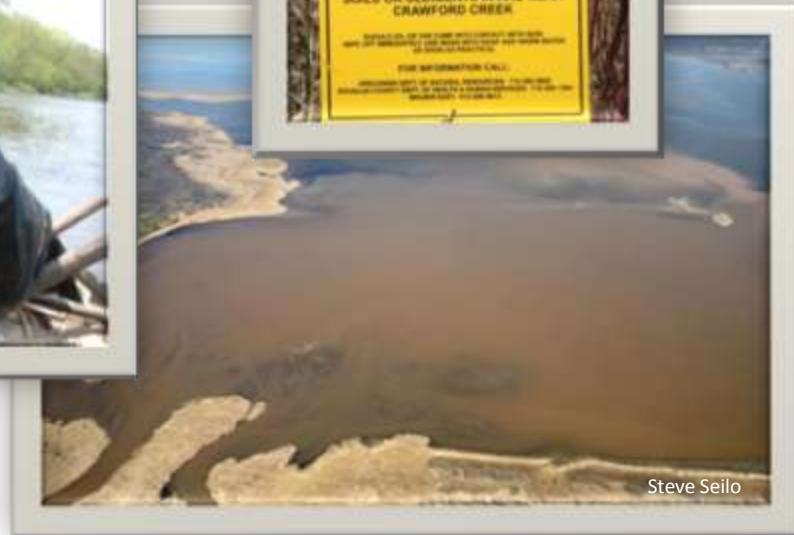
GLRI Funding

Clean Water Infrastructure Funding

Beach Act Funding

Farm Bill Funding

Water Resources Development Act – coming soon



Wisconsin AOCs



Cat Island Chain



Photos: Brown Co./USACE



Lower Green Bay and Fox River



Wildwood Island



Sheboygan River – in Recovery



DNR



Milwaukee River Estuary

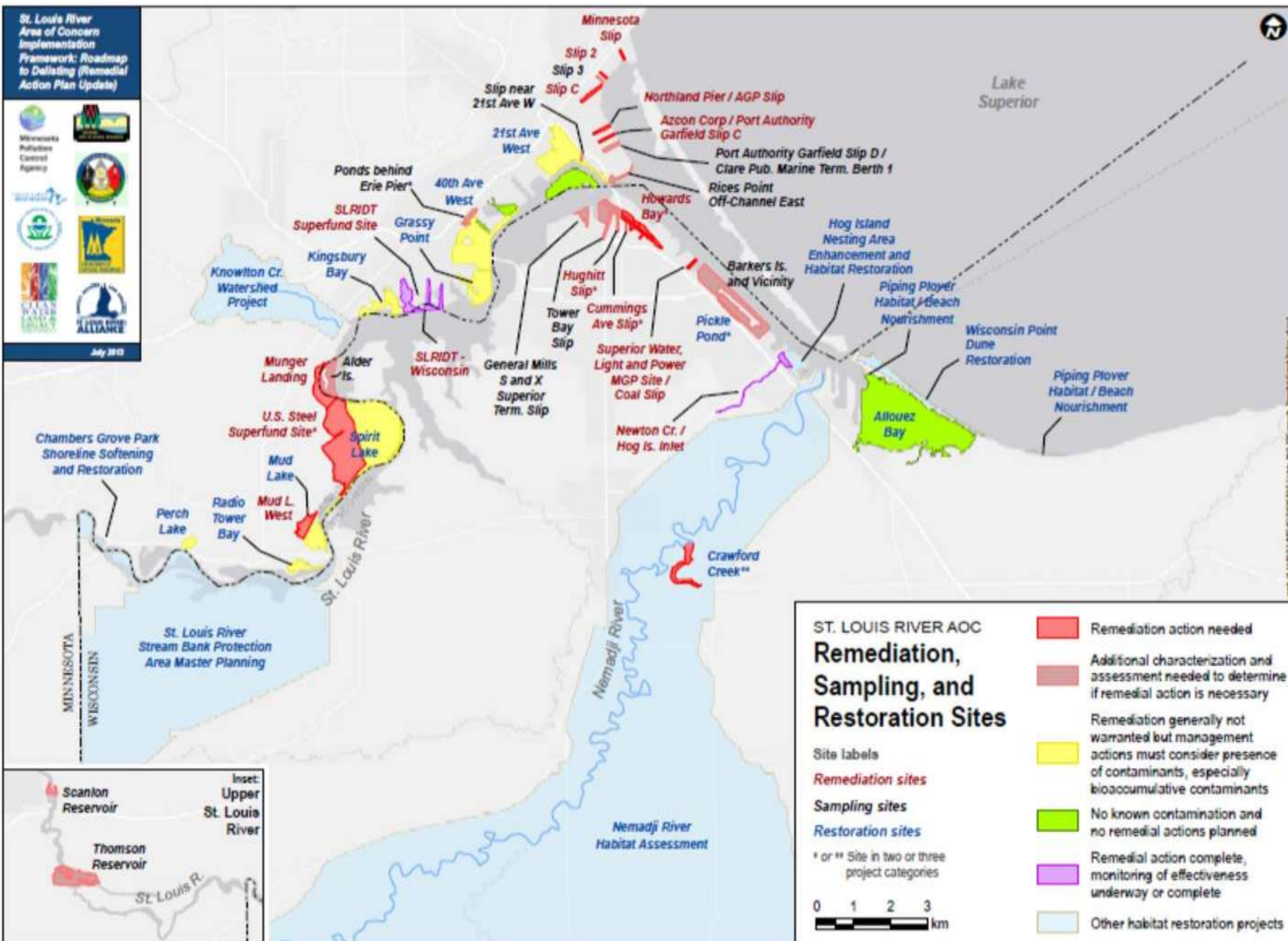




St. Louis River



July 2013





Lower Menominee River



Other Sediment Sites

Ashland MGP

Hayton Area Remediation Project

Portage Canal

Rippon MGP Site



Beaches

Restorations

Nowcasting



Nutrients

Nutrient Reduction Strategy

Phosphorus Rule

Lower Fox River Water Quality Trading



Great Lakes Compact

Water Withdrawal Evaluation

Waukesha Diversion



Aquatic Invasive Species

Phragmites

Monitoring and Prevention

Outreach Efforts



Ballast Water

Compliance

Research

Outreach

Collaboration



Fisheries

Integrated Management Plan

Consumption Advisories

Fish Passage

BUI - Menominee River AOC
Whitefish Resurgence
Lake Michigan Stocking





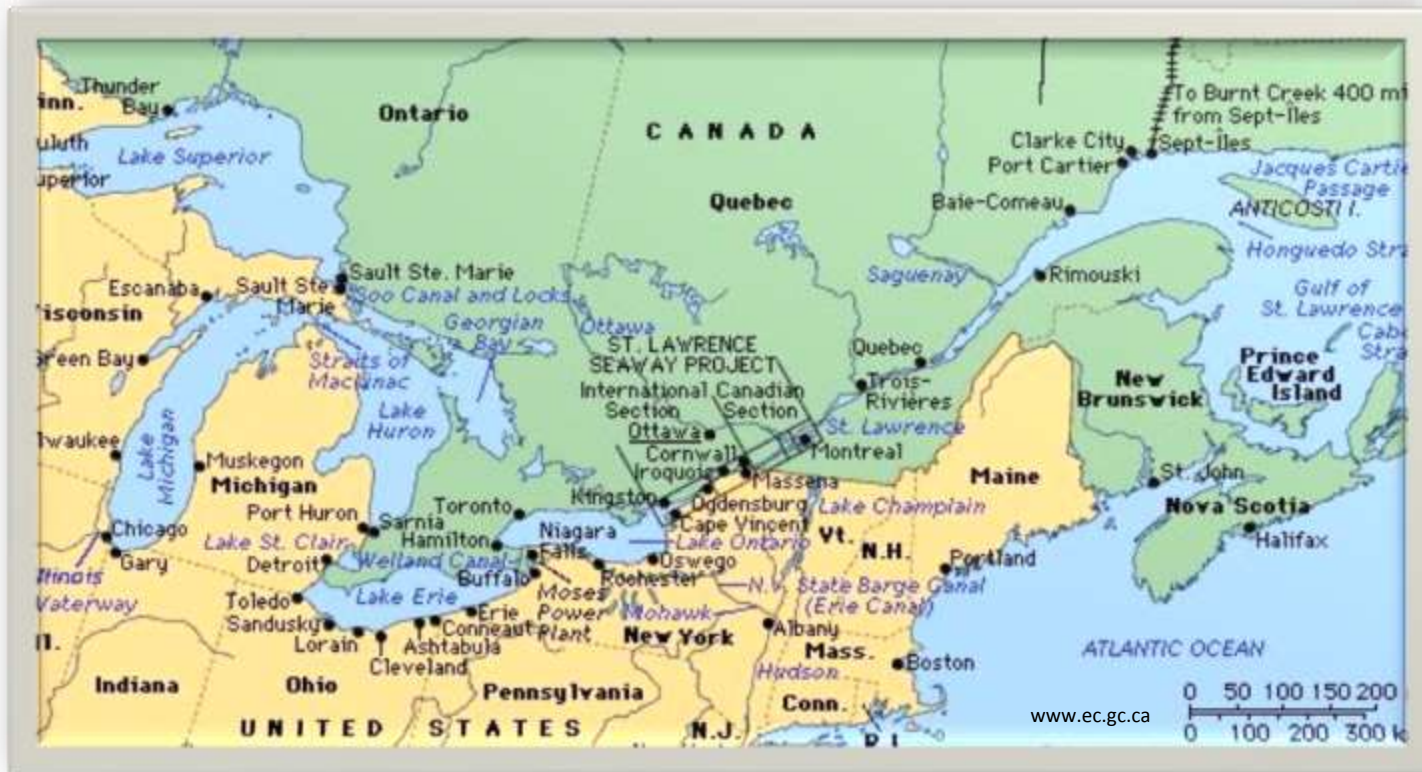
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2013 GLRI On-the- Ground Restoration Projects



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| IL | 30 projects |
| IN | 20 projects |
| MI | 103 projects |
| MN | 25 projects |
| NY | 32 projects |

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| OH | 40 projects |
| PA | 5 projects |
| WI | 59 projects |
| Total | 314 projects in 2013 |



U.S. and Canada



Next Steps

Nutrients

Great Lakes Restoration Initiative

Great Lakes Ecological &

Economic Protection Act

Asian Carp and Other Invasives

Clean Water Infrastructure

Farm Bill Conservation Programs

Great Lakes Navigation Systems