Monday, February 27

11:00 a.m. | Registration | Hamilton Ballroom
1:00 p.m. | Call to Order, Opening Remarks | Jim Tierney (NY), Chair
1:10 p.m. | Roll Call | Tim Eder, Executive Director
1:20 p.m. | Report of the Chair and Executive Director
- Approval of Observer Request
- Approval of minutes from 2011 Annual Meeting | Jim Tierney, Chair
Tim Eder, Executive Director
2:00 p.m. | U.S. EPA's National and Great Lakes Water Resources Priorities | Nancy Stoner, Assistant Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Cameron Davis, Senior Advisor to Administrator Jackson, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
2:45 p.m. | Break |
3:00 p.m. | Business of the Great Lakes Commission
- Presentation of resolutions, action items | Jim Tierney, Chair
Moderator: Marc Miller, Illinois Commissioner
David Ullrich, Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Cities Initiative
John Goss, White House Council on Environmental Quality
Leon Carl, U.S. Geological Survey
3:15 p.m. | Asian Carp Update |
4:30 p.m. | State/Provincial Roundtable | Reports from Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, New York and Wisconsin delegations
5:15 p.m.  Adjourn

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.  Reception  Hamilton Ballroom Foyer
Sponsored by: LimnoTech

Tuesday, February 28

7:00 a.m.  Continental Breakfast  Hamilton Ballroom

8:00 a.m.  Call to Order  Jim Tierney, Chair

8:05 a.m.  Great Lakes Conservation Priorities,
2012 Farm Bill  Chris Adamo, Staff Director for Senate Agriculture Committee

8:45 a.m.  State/Provincial Roundtable  Reports from, Ohio, Ontario, Pennsylvania, Québec, Indiana delegations

9:30 a.m.  The Dredging Crisis in Commercial and
Recreational Harbors  Moderator: James Weakley, Ohio Commissioner
William Friedman, President and CEO, Cleveland Cuyahoga County Port Authority
Chuck May, Chair Pro Tem, Great Lakes Small Harbors Coalition

10:15 a.m.  Break

10:30 a.m.  Observer Comments  Great Lakes Commission’s Official Observers

11:30 a.m.  Business of the Great Lakes Commission  Jim Tierney, Chair
➢ Resolutions, Action Items:
  ▪ GLC FY2013 Federal Priorities
  ▪ Navigation Maintenance Funding
  ▪ Asian Carp
  ▪ Short Sea Shipping
  ▪ USGS programs/partnerships
➢ Preparation for Great Lakes Day and Hill meetings  Tim Eder, Executive Director

11:55 a.m.  Invitation to 2012 Annual Meeting  Ohio Delegation
September 10-11 in Cleveland in conjunction with
Great Lakes Week 2012

12:00 p.m.  Adjourn for Great Lakes Day Lunch  Jim Tierney, Chair