# Meeting of the Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species

November 2-3, 2016 Ann Arbor, Michigan

#### **Decision and Action Items**

### GLP Executive Committee (ExCom) and Staff

- Staff will update and post the final May 2016 meeting summary to the GLP website.
- Staff will develop and circulate action items and the meeting summary of the November meeting. Staff will post presentations from the meeting to the website.
- Staff will work with the ExCom and GLP Pennsylvania representatives to plan the spring GLP
  meeting in Erie, PA (tentative meeting dates: week of June 19, 2016, with the weeks of April 24
  or May 22, 2017 as alternative options).
  - ExCom and staff will invite the CGLFA to the spring GLP meeting to provide a report on progress being made through the Invasive Fishes Executive Committee
  - o GLP Members should send agenda topic ideas to ExCom members
- ExCom (or a subset of the ExCom) and other interested GLP members will convene to consider whether and/or how the GLP might engage in Blue Accounting
- The Risk Assessment ad hoc committee has a draft set of recommendations that will be refined based on the outcomes of the Blue Accounting discussion.

#### **Risk Assessment Ad Hoc Committee**

- Convene a conference call of the ad hoc committee to continue working on the recommendations document as follows:
  - Committee members will designate which objectives will be undertaken by GLANSIS
  - o Committee members will indicate which objectives are value-added components to be addressed by a platform other than GLANSIS
  - Committee members will determine a platform for providing value-added components as designated
- Coordinate with NOAA GLANSIS program staff to develop clearinghouse infrastructure as follows:
  - GLANSIS will develop, as part of the GLANSIS 2.0 upgrades, the housing infrastructure for the risk assessment clearinghouse
  - The GLANSIS program will coordinate with the Take AIM program on displaying information within the clearinghouse
- Committee members will submit their respective jurisdiction's risk assessment information and documents to the GLANSIS program for inclusion in the clearinghouse.

## **Grass Carp Ad Hoc Committee**

- Staff will update the worksheet to reflect progress on the priorities shared at the meeting and the worksheet will be circulated for additional input from committee members
- Committee members and staff will develop model language for letters to Mississippi River Basin states recognizing the importance of Grass Carp and encouraging stocking of only triploid fish
- Patrick Kocovsky and volunteers will develop a guidance paper outlining proposed stages of establishment for Grass Carp and other invasive species for GLP discussion
- Committee members and staff will draft communication messages regarding Grass Carp status in Lake Erie and planned actions. Coordinate with ACRCC communications work group.