



## GREAT LAKES LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS

### **STATE GREAT LAKES AND WATER LEGISLATION, 2013-2014**

(This list of bills is based on staff research. If you know of legislation that should be added to the list, please contact Tim Anderson at 630.925.1922 or [tanderson@csg.org](mailto:tanderson@csg.org). The list was last updated December 15, 2014.)

State	Bill Number	Description	Primary sponsor/author	Status
Illinois	<a href="#">SR 98</a>	Urge U.S. EPA to deny permit to S.S. Badger, a Lake Michigan car ferry, to due to vessel's release of coal ash	Sen. Michael Frerichs	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 72</a> and <a href="#">HB 1343</a>	Provide that any licensed pharmacy may display a container to collect used, expired or unwanted pharmaceuticals	Rep. Michelle Mussman and Rep. Joe Sosnowski	Bills referred to Rules Committee
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 1522</a>	Create new financial tool for select counties to manage stormwater; provide incentives for green stormwater infrastructure	Rep. Mike Fortner	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 2264</a>	Provide that no person shall apply, discharge or otherwise dispose of oil field brine without a permit	Rep. Brad E. Holbrook	Referred to Rules Committee
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 2615</a>	Establish new regulations for hydraulic fracturing activity, including standards for well construction, chemical disclosure and water testing	Rep. John E. Bradley	Referred to Rules Committee
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 2753</a>	Require DNR to develop detailed offshore wind energy siting matrix for public trust lands of Lake Michigan; authorize DNR to grant site assessment permits and leases	Rep. Robyn Gabel	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>

Illinois	<a href="#">HB 3086</a> and <a href="#">SB 1418</a>	Establish moratorium on hydraulic fracturing	Rep. Deb Mell and Sen. Mattie Hunter	HB 3086 referred to Rules Committee, SB 1418 to Assignments Committee
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 4382</a> and <a href="#">SB 2780</a>	Make low-interest loans and loan guarantees available for local green infrastructure and water-efficiency projects	Sen. Dan Kotowski and Rep. Elaine Nekritz	<a href="#">SB 2780 signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 5869</a>	Make it a Class C misdemeanor for intentionally introducing a nonnative “nuisance organism” into the state	Rep. Sam Yingling	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 630</a>	Place a moratorium on hydraulic fracturing	Sen. Don Harmon	Bills did not pass
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 1715</a>	Establish new regulations for hydraulic fracturing activity, including standards for well construction, chemical disclosure and water testing	Sen. Michael Frerichs	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 1868</a>	Require approval of all affected counties before PCBs can be stored above source of community water supply	Sen. Chapin Rose	Referred to Assignments Committee
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 1869</a>	Give municipalities authority to manage green stormwater infrastructure systems	Sen. Thomas Cullerton	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 2727</a>	Ban manufacture of personal care products containing microbeads by 2018 and sale of these products by 2019; ban manufacture of over-the-counter drugs containing microbeads by 2019 and sale of these products by 2020	Sen. Heather Steans	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 2928</a>	Create the Lake County Prescription Drug Disposal Pilot Program	Sen. Terry Link	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">SB 3333</a>	Add animal types to definition of aquatic life to allow state Department of Natural Resources to deal with invasive species and protect aquatic life	Sen. Melinda Bush	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">SB 271</a>	Create an interim committee study state’s water resources and policies	Sen. Ed Charbonneau	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">SB 562</a>	Require signage about dangers of rip currents; establish standards for signage; create penalties for swimming at dangerous times	Sen. Jim Arnold	Referred to Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
Indiana	<a href="#">HB 1202</a>	Require lawn service providers to offer product that does not contain phosphorus	Rep. Sue Errington	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Indiana	<a href="#">HB 1209</a>	Require state review and approval of hydraulic fracturing plans	Rep. Matt Pierce	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 72</a> and <a href="#">HB 4193</a>	Create a special license plate to raise funds for Sleepy Bear Dunes National Lakeshore	Sen. Darwin Booher and Rep. Ray Franz	Referred to respective committees

Michigan	<a href="#">SB 163</a>	Require more departmental justification of denial of wetlands permits	Sen. Michael Green	Signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 164</a> and <a href="#">HB 4197</a>	Approve supplemental funding of \$30 million for dredging of waterways to improve navigability	Sen. Tom Casperson and Rep. Frank Foster	Referred to respective appropriations committees
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 215</a>	Re-establish state loan program to facilitate marina dredging on Great Lakes or connecting waters	Sen. Jack Brandenburg	Referred to Outdoor Recreation and Tourism Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 218</a>	Allow for dredging to be funded through Water Resource Improvement Tax Increment Financing Act	Sen. Goeffrey Hansen	Signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 229</a>	Allow funds from Natural Resources Trust Fund to be used for dredging	Sen. John Moolenaar	Passed by Outdoor Recreation and Tourism Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 233</a>	Provide \$21 million for 58 emergency harbor dredging projects	Sen. Darwin Booher	Signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 252</a>	Appropriate \$1 million to establish a low-interest loan program for dredging at privately owned, commercial marinas	Sen. Jack Brandenburg	Signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 266</a> and <a href="#">HB 4495</a>	Relax ballast water permitting standard for ocean-going vessels; authorize permit if vessels comply with U.S. Coast Guard rules	Sen. Michael Green and Rep. Dan Lauwers	Referred to respective Natural Resources Committees
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 394</a> and <a href="#">HB 4768</a>	Prohibit setting of certain effluent limitations for the amount of concentration of sodium in a groundwater discharge	Sen. Joe Hune and Rep. Hugh Crawford	HB 4768 signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 444</a>	Revise permitting process for treatment of aquatic invasive species	Sen. Tom Casperson	Signed into law
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 795</a>	Increase penalties for introduction of prohibited aquatic invasive species	Sen. Mike Kowall	Passed by Senate
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 796</a>	Change sentencing guidelines for prohibited-species violations	Sen. Arlan Meekof	Passed by Senate
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 797</a>	Provide for forfeiture of property, other than real property, used in crime associated with introduction of invasive species	Sen. Phil Pavlov	Passed by Senate
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 798</a>	Provide for suspension of commercial vehicle license for prohibited-species violations	Sen. Mike Green	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 799</a>	Provide for suspension of commercial fishing license for prohibited-species violations	Sen. Tom Casperson	Passed by Senate

Michigan	<a href="#">SB 800</a>	Provide for suspension of hunting and fishing licenses for prohibited-species violations	Sen. Howard Walker	<a href="#">Passed by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 801</a>	Establish suspension procedures for aquatic-prohibited-species violations	Sen. John Moolenaar	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 802</a>	Provide for forfeiture of property, other than real property, used in crime associated with introduction of invasive species	Sen. Goeffrey Hansen	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 948</a>	Establish state board to study potential impact of deep geologic repository for nuclear waste near Great Lakes; ban storage or disposal of certain types of radioactive waste	Sen. Phil Pavlov	<a href="#">Passed by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SB 1027</a>	Ban manufacture and sale of personal care products containing plastic microbeads	Sen. Gretchen Whitmer	Referred to Government Operations Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4106</a>	Add dredging of Great Lakes harbors as activity eligible for Natural Resources Trust Fund money	Rep. Bob Genetski	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4179</a>	Add dredging to list of acceptable infrastructure improvements under tax increment finance authorities	Rep. Al Pscholka	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4398</a> and <a href="#">HB 4400</a>	lower the permitting fee for dredging at least 10,000 cubic yards of at least 90 percent sand	Reps. Amanda Price and Peter Pettalia	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4399</a>	Expedite permitting process for emergency dredging projects	Rep. Al Pscholka	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4401</a>	Exempt certain mining operations from permitting requirements	Rep. Peter Pettalia	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4410</a>	Establish a marina dredging loan origination program	Rep. Andrea LaFontaine	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4489</a>	Relax ballast water permitting standards for oceangoing vessels; issue permit if ballast tanks have been flushed with seawater	Rep. Thomas Stallworth	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4496</a>	Allow for sinking of vessels and other recreational diving structures in the Great Lakes for scuba diving	Rep. Greg MacMaster	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4510</a>	Allow for disposal of water-softening residuals through certain permitted facilities	Rep. Peter MacGregor	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4778</a>	Prohibit offshore wind development	Rep. Greg MacMaster	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4903</a>	Require water withdrawal assessment for certain oil and gas operators	Rep. Sean McCann	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee

Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4904</a>	Eliminate state pre-emption of county, township regulation of hydraulic fracturing	Rep. Gretchen Driskell	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4905</a>	Prohibit use of flowback water from hydraulic fracturing on dirt roads as dust suppression tool	Rep. Tom Cochran	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4906</a>	Modify setback requirements for oil and gas wells	Rep. Vicki Barnett	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HB 4994</a>	Prohibit manufacture and sale of personal care products containing plastic particles	Rep. Terry Brown	Referred to Regulatory Reform Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 20</a>	Memorialize U.S. Congress to ensure money from Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund is used solely for dredging and maintenance of federally authorized ports, harbors, and waterways	Sen. Goeffrey Hansen	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 21</a>	Urge Great Lakes governors to develop an agreement to coordinate the promotion and maintenance of ports and harbors	Sen. Goeffrey Hansen	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 36</a>	Support ending water diversions from Great Lakes through Chicago	Sen. Jack Brandenburg	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 58</a> and <a href="#">HR 178</a>	Urge careful review of proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario near Lake Huron	Sen. Hoon-Yung Hopgood and Rep. Sarah Roberts	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 122</a>	Urge use of structured expert judgment method in assessing alternatives to prevent movement of invasive species proposed in Great Lakes and Mississippi River Interbasin Study Report	Sen. David Hildenbrand	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 150</a>	Urge Great Lakes Commission to study and take formal position on proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Sen. Michael Green	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">SR 164</a>	Memorialize U.S. Congress to enact legislation prohibiting sale of cleaning/personal care products that contain plastic microbeads	Sen. Steven Bieda	Referred to Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">SCR 17</a>	Urge Great Lakes Commission to study and take formal position on proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Sen. Phil Pavlov	<a href="#">Adopted by Senate</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 135</a>	Urge other Great Lakes states and Canada to adopt ballast water standards equivalent to U.S. federal requirements	Rep. Dan Lauwers	<a href="#">Adopted by House</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 198</a>	Urge U.S. Congress to restore funding for Great Lakes Restoration Initiative to FY 2010 level of \$475 million	Rep. Sarah Roberts	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee

Michigan	<a href="#">HR 204</a>	Urge U.S. Congress to maintain funding levels for Great Lakes Restoration Initiative	Rep. Terry Brown	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 211</a>	Urge hydrologic separation of Great Lakes basin from the Mississippi River basin	Rep. Terry Brown	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 305</a>	Urge complete hydrologic separation of the Great Lakes and Mississippi River basins	Rep. Andrea LaFontaine	<a href="#">Adopted by House</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 379</a>	Urge Great Lakes Commission to study and take formal position on proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Rep. Paul Muxlow	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 380</a>	Urge President Obama, secretary of State to invoke participation of International Joint Commission in evaluating proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Rep. Paul Muxlow	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 405</a>	Urge federal government to properly fund beach monitoring without additional new requirements and to support real-time monitoring of beaches	Rep. Eileen Kowall	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 420</a>	Urge federal government to take steps, such as fortifying the Soo Locks as Sault Saint Marie, to prevent spread of Asian carp to Lake Superior	Rep. Scott Dianda	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HR 421</a>	Urge Gov. Rick Snyder gather a regional governors' commission to address algae blooms in Lake Erie	Rep. Bill LaVoy	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 6</a>	Urge Great Lakes states, Canada to adopt ballast water standards equivalent to U.S. federal requirements	Rep. Dan Lauwers	<a href="#">Adopted by House</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 7</a>	Memorialize U.S. Congress to oppose underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario; urge Canada to find alternatives to burying nuclear waste in Great Lakes basin	Rep. Sarah Roberts	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 10</a>	Urge U.S. Congress to restore funding for Great Lakes Restoration Initiative to FY 2010 level of \$475 million	Rep. Sarah Roberts	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 18</a>	Urge Gov. Rick Snyder to veto Wisconsin city of Waukesha's plan to divert Lake Michigan water	Rep. Rudy Hobbs	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 22</a>	Urge complete hydrologic separation of the Great Lakes and Mississippi River basins	Rep. Andrea LaFontaine	<a href="#">Passed by House</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 29</a>	Urge President Obama, secretary of State to invoke participation of International Joint Commission in evaluating proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Rep. Andrea LaFontaine	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee

Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 30</a>	Urge Great Lakes Commission to study and take formal position on proposed underground nuclear waste repository in Ontario	Rep. Dan Lauwers	Referred to Energy and Technology Committee
Michigan	<a href="#">HCR 33</a>	Urge federal government to properly fund beach monitoring without additional new requirements and to support real-time monitoring of beaches	Rep. Eileen Kowall	Referred to Natural Resources Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 436</a>	Prioritize funding of projects that treat wastewater for reuse	Rep. Jean Wagenius	Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Policy
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 581</a> and <a href="#">SF 436</a>	Use money from Clean Water Fund to support local inflow and infiltration reduction programs	Rep. Rick Hansen	<a href="#">Included in HF 1183, which was signed into law</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 682</a> and <a href="#">SF 244</a>	Provide funding to monitor and assess groundwater	Rep. Peter Fischer and Sen. Charles Wiger	Assigned to respective committees
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 683</a>	Establish Legislative Water Commission	Rep. Peter Fischer and Sen. Charles Wiger	<a href="#">Passed by House</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 896</a>	Require state to enter into contract to design electric fish barrier at U.S. Army Corps, Lock and Dam 1, St. Paul District	Rep. John Pirsell	Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 906</a> and <a href="#">SF 1018</a>	Establish model standards, develop criteria for silica sand mining	Rep. Rick Hansen and Sen. Matt Schmit	<a href="#">Part of HF 976, which was signed into law</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 976</a> and <a href="#">SF 1170</a>	Omnibus Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture bill; includes more funding to monitor surface water and groundwater and funding to combat invasive species	Rep. Jean Wagenius and Sen. David Tomassoni	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1100</a>	Require new assessments of impact of groundwater use	Rep. Jean Wagenius	Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Policy Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1113/SF 987</a>	Allocate money from Natural Resources Trust Fund to various projects to combat invasive species, including \$8.7 million for the University of Minnesota's Aquatic Invasive Species Center	Rep. Jean Wagenius	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1175</a>	Establish water quality certification program in certain watersheds for agricultural producers	Rep. Jean Wagenius	<a href="#">Included in HF 976/SF 1170, which was signed into law</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1679</a>	Increase water fees to bolster monitoring of local water supplies	Rep. Jean Wagenius	Referred to Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture Finance
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1924</a>	Require governor to appoint a water policy manager	Rep. Jerry Newton	Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Policy Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 1926</a> and <a href="#">SF 2098</a>	Provide for outdoor heritage funding, including for aquatic invasive species prevention and shoreline and wetlands protection	Rep. Rick Hansen	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>



Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 2101</a>	Identify plastic microbeads in state's surface water and study their impact	Rep. Rick Hansen	Referred to Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture Finance Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 2109</a>	Require water rate structures, under certain condition, that encourage conservation	Rep. Peter Fischer	Referred to Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture Finance Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">HF 2414</a>	Prohibit sale of products containing microplastics	Rep. Joe Mullery	Referred to Environment and Natural Resources Policy Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">SF 243</a>	Requiring water rate structures, under certain conditions that encourage conservation	Sen. Charles Wiger	Referred to Environment and Energy Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">SF 580</a>	Establish Minnesota-Wisconsin Boundary Area Invasive Species Commission	Sen. Matt Schmit	Referred to Environment and Energy Committee
Minnesota	<a href="#">SF 2192/HF 2542</a>	Ban cleaning products containing triclosan; prohibit certain products with lead and mercury	Sen. John Marty and Rep. Melissa Fortman	<b>Signed into law</b>
New York	<a href="#">AB 36</a>	Ban application of pesticides in water bodies used for drinking water	Assy. Herman Farrell	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 471</a> and <a href="#">SB 2442</a>	Increase matching funds for non-point-source-pollution control	Assy. Stephen Hawley and Michael Ranzenhofer	Referred to agriculture committees
New York	<a href="#">AB 553</a>	Prohibit smoking on public beaches	Assy. Jeffrey Dinowitz	Referred to Health Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 777</a>	Enact the Mercury Free Water Resources and Mercury Reduction Management Strategy Act	Assy. Linda Rosenthal	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 1046</a> and <a href="#">SB 674</a>	Require hazardous wastes produced from fracking to be subject to requirements for treatment of hazardous wastes	Assy. Robert Sweeney and Sen. Tony Avella	<a href="#">AB 1046 advanced to third reading</a> ; SB 674 referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 1770</a> and <a href="#">SB 448</a>	Establish ban on acceptance, disposal and/or processing of hydraulic fracturing fluids from outside state	Assy. Alan Maisel and Sen. Tony Avella	Referred to respective environmental committees
New York	<a href="#">AB 2395</a>	Prohibit application of pesticides upon freshwater and tidal wetlands	Assy. Steve Englebright	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee



New York	<a href="#">AB 2607</a> and <a href="#">SB 2357</a>	Prohibit application of lawn fertilizers containing phosphorous to any watersheds, drainage basins in counties where legislature has passed a local law	Assy. Fred Thiele and Sen. Kenneth LaValle	Referred to respective committees
New York	<a href="#">AB 3634</a> and <a href="#">SB 4028</a>	Establish the natural gas production contamination response and compensation program and fund	Assy. Robert Sweeney and Sen. Thom Libous	<a href="#">AB 3634 advanced to third reading</a> ; SB 4028 to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 4938</a>	Require oil and gas driller who affects public or private potable water supply to restore or replace such water supply	Assy. Andy Goodell	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 5424</a> and <a href="#">SB 4236</a>	Hydraulic fracturing ban: Suspend issuance of permits for natural gas extraction in certain areas	Assy. Robert Sweeney and Sen. Tony Avella	<a href="#">AB 5424 passed by Assembly</a> ; SB 4236 referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 5431</a>	Establish income tax credit for donations of real property for public beach and water access	Assy. Fred W. Thiele	Referred to Ways and Means Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 5464</a>	Ensure that wastewater treatment facilities safely handle water from hydraulic fracturing operations	Assy. Robert Sweeney	<a href="#">Advanced to third reading</a>
New York	<a href="#">AB 5465</a>	Establish a demonstration program that promotes the safe disposal of prescription drugs	Assy. Robert Sweeney	<a href="#">vetoed</a>
New York	<a href="#">AB 5653</a>	Establish moratorium on hydraulic fracturing until U.S. EPA issues report on its effects	Assy. Steve Englebright	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 6104</a> and <a href="#">SB 4844</a>	Declare waters of the state to be public trust resources	Assy. Steve Englebright and Sen. George Latimer	Referred to environmental conservation committees
New York	<a href="#">AB 6278</a>	Provide for construction, maintenance of a Lake Erie research center and warm water fish species hatchery	Assy. Dennis Gabryszak	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 6365</a>	Regulate natural gas drilling, prohibit drilling near watersheds	Assy. James Brennan	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 6986</a> , <a href="#">AB 9132</a> and <a href="#">SB 4396</a>	Authorize soil and water conservation districts to implement preventative and control measures related to invasive species	Assy. Dennis Gabryszak, Assy. Addie Russell and Sen. Catharine Young	<a href="#">AB 9132 signed into law</a>

New York	<a href="#">AB 7271</a> and <a href="#">SB 4657</a>	Create High-Volume Hydraulic Fracturing Waste Tracking Program	Assy. Alan Maisel and Sen. Mark Grisanti	Referred to respective committees
New York	<a href="#">AB 8652</a>	Prohibit the sale of personal care products or cosmetics containing microbeads	Assy. Michelle Schimel	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">AB 8744</a>	Enact the Microbeads-Free Waters Act banning the manufacture, distribution and sale of personal cosmetic products containing microbeads	Assy. Robert Sweeney	<a href="#">Passed by Assembly</a>
New York	<a href="#">AB 9619</a> , <a href="#">SB 7273</a> and <a href="#">SB 7851</a>	Add statutory language on preventing spread of aquatic invasive species; establish penalties for statutory violations	Assy. Barbara Lifton and Sen. Thomas O'Mara	<a href="#">SB 7851 signed into law</a>
New York	<a href="#">SB 4276</a>	Enact five-year moratorium on high-volume hydraulic fracturing	Sen. Kenneth LaValle	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
New York	<a href="#">SB 7018</a>	Prohibit sale of personal cosmetic products containing microbeads	Sen. Mark Grisanti	Referred to Environmental Conservation Committee
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 42</a> and <a href="#">SB 17</a>	Revise requirements concerning oil and gas permit applications, including disclosure of chemicals used in fracking	Rep. Robert Hagan and Sen. Michael Skindell	Referred to respective natural resources committees
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 124</a> and <a href="#">SB 87</a>	Ban taking or removal of oil or natural gas from and under bed of Lake Erie	Rep. Nickie Antonio and Sen. Michael Skindell	Referred to respective committees
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 148</a> and <a href="#">SB 178</a>	Ban disposal of wastewater from fracking into deep injection wells	Rep. Denise Driehaus, Rep. Robert Hagan and Sen. Michael Skindell	Referred to respective committees
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 490</a>	Provisions include: 1) banning the spread of manure/commercial fertilizer in Western Lake Erie Basin when conditions are conducive to nutrient runoff; 2) requiring state approval of the dumping of dredged materials into Lake Erie and its tributaries; 3) requiring water-treatment plants to monitor, on a monthly basis, total and dissolved phosphorus; and 4) defining the state's decision-making standard under the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence River Basin Water Resources Compact	Rep. David Hall	<a href="#">Passed by House</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 625</a>	Establish new requirements related to testing of microcystin in public water systems and notification of high levels to Board of Health	Rep. Michael Sheehy	Referred to Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
Ohio	<a href="#">SB 150</a>	Establish rules/programs to improve agricultural nutrient management and prevent water pollution	Sen. Cliff Hite	<a href="#">Signed into law</a>

Ohio	<a href="#">SB 215</a>	Authorize special improvement districts to facilitate Lake Erie shoreline improvement, prevent erosion	Sen. Michael Skindell	Referred to Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Ohio	<a href="#">SB 304</a>	Prohibit sale of microbeads	Sen. Michael Skindell	Referred to Energy and Natural Resources Committee
Ohio	<a href="#">HCR 49</a>	Urge U.S. Congress to fund hydrological separation of Great Lakes, Mississippi River to stop spread of Asian carp	Rep. Michael Sheehy	Referred to Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee
Ohio	<a href="#">SCR 9</a>	Urge the president and U.S. Congress to take actions necessary to prevent Asian carp from entering the Great Lakes	Sen. Tom Patton	Passed by Senate
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">HB 568</a>	Establish Lake Erie Wind Energy Development Act; lease submerged lands and create development fund	Rep. Curt Sonney	Referred to State Government Committee
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">HB 880</a>	Require public notice of intent to drill for natural gas	Rep. Scott Conklin	Referred to Environmental Resources and Energy Committee
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">HB 882</a>	Establish emergency response teams to respond to problems at oil and natural gas drilling sites	Rep. Scott Conklin	Referred to Labor and Industry Committee
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">SB 196</a>	Provide financial assistance for projects that prevent nonpoint source pollution	Sen. Don White	Signed into law
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">SB 351</a>	Provide more authority to local governments to raise funds to improve stormwater infrastructure	Sen. Edwin Erickson	Signed into law
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">SB 459</a>	Create Emergency Drinking Water Support Fund to test water for contamination by accidental spill of fracking water or chemicals	Sen. Jay Costa	Referred to Environmental Resources and Energy Committee
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">SB 1254</a>	Reduce allowable lead content in plumbing products	Sen. John Yudichak	Signed into law
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">SB 1255</a>	Provide incentives for individual ratepayers to implement best practices that better manage stormwater runoff	Sen. Edwin Erickson	Signed into law
Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 1</a> and <a href="#">SB 1</a>	Change rules and regulations for iron mining	Rep. Scott Suder and Sen. Tom Tiffany	Signed into law
Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 13</a> and <a href="#">SB 10</a>	Provide more funding flexibility for local projects that control water pollution and/or improve drinking water systems	Rep. Howard Marklein and Sen. Sheila Harsdorf	Signed into law
Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 155</a> and <a href="#">SB 134</a>	Establish sea lamprey control program	Rep. Chad Weininger and Sen. Robert Cowles	SB 134 signed into law
Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 545</a> and <a href="#">SB 417</a>	Require a municipal water system to provide continuous disinfection of the water it provides	Rep. Cory Mason and Sen. Mark Miller	Referred to respective committees
Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 680</a> and <a href="#">SB 547</a>	Authorize adaptive management plans for reducing phosphorus discharges and a statewide variance to the water quality standard for phosphorus for certain dischargers	Rep. Amy Loudenberg and Sen. Robert Cowles	SB 547 signed into law

Wisconsin	<a href="#">AB 778</a>	Ban certain mining, drilling activities that cause destruction or filling in of a lake bed, reservoir or flowage or that cause water withdrawal from a reservoir or flowage	Rep. Dana Wachs	Voted down in Assembly
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