

GLMRIS

GREAT LAKES AND MISSISSIPPI RIVER INTERBASIN STUDY



AQUATIC NUISANCE SPECIES



ECOSYSTEMS



NAVIGATION



RECREATION



FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT



WATER USE

BRANDON ROAD

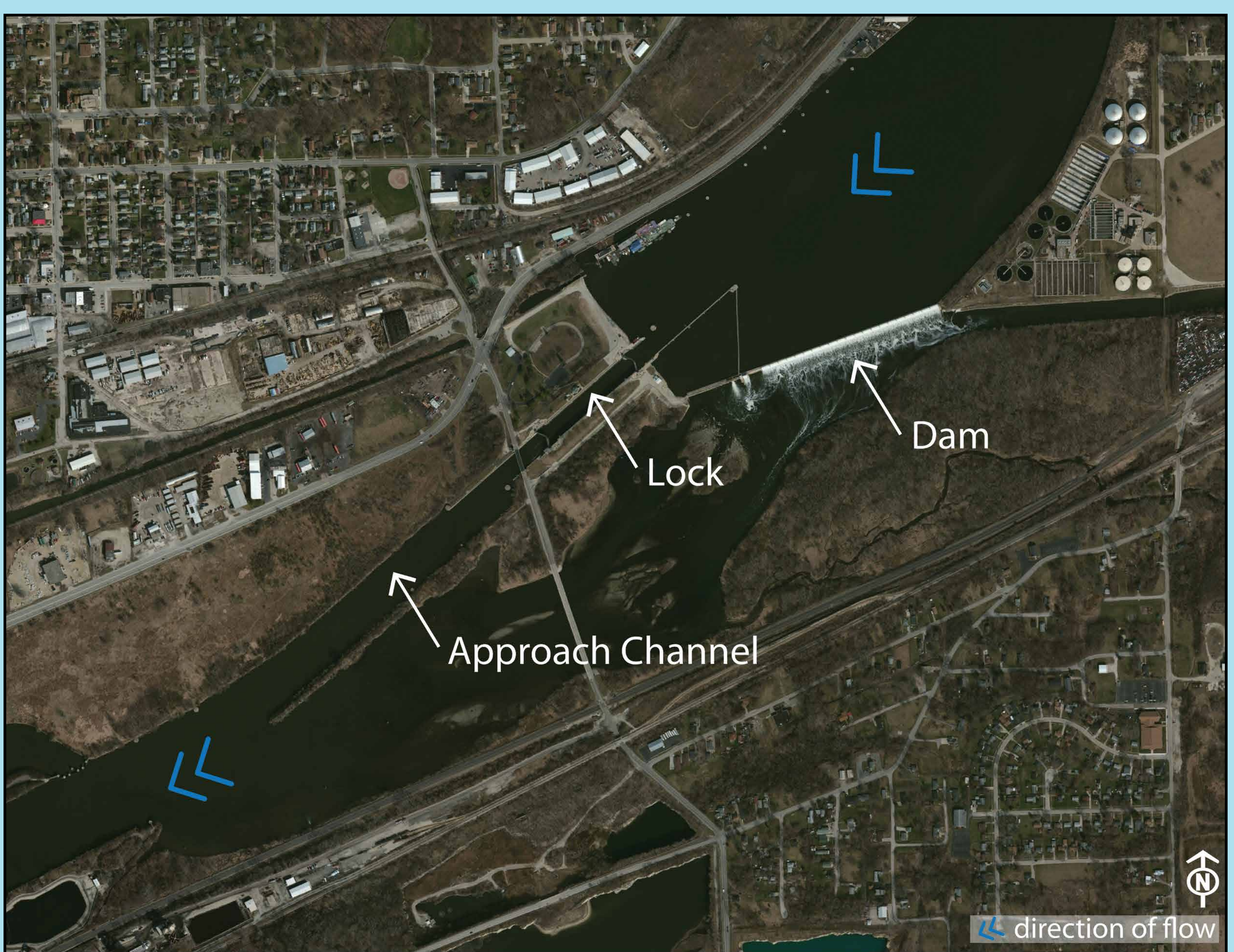
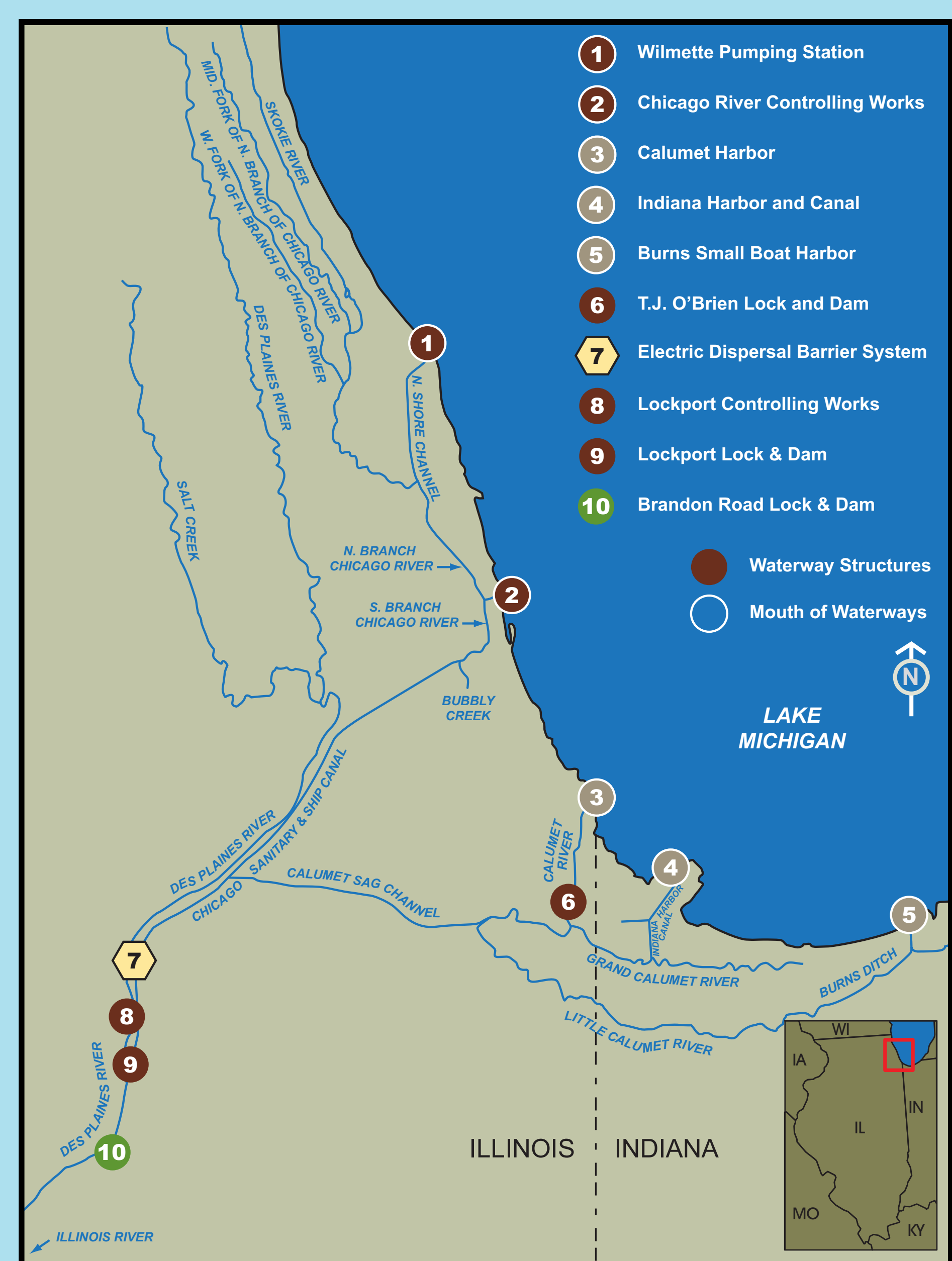
Brandon Road

The GLMRIS – Brandon Road effort will assess the viability of establishing a single point to control the one-way, upstream transfer of aquatic nuisance species from the Mississippi River Basin into the Great Lakes Basin near the Brandon Road Lock and Dam located in Joliet, Illinois.

The Brandon Road control point was identified in the GLMRIS Report as a single location that could address upstream transfer of Mississippi River species through all CAWS pathways.

Three out of six structural alternatives presented in the GLMRIS Report included ANS control technologies at Brandon Road.

Implementation of one-way ANS controls near the Brandon Road site is believed to be one of the most rapidly achievable structural options. Construction of one-way ANS controls near Brandon Road could enhance protections of the Great Lakes Basin while providing additional information to inform two-way risk reduction solutions.



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