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I urge the Army Corps of Engineers to help find a permanent solution to preventing Asian Carp from entering the Great Lakes. Please:

1. Study only solutions that will completely prevent the movement of invasive species between the Great Lakes and Mississippi River, and

2. Provide answers for the Chicago portion of the study within 18 months.

Other invasive species that have impacted the Great Lakes, such as zebra mussels and the sea lamprey, have had a tremendous adverse impact on the ecosystem health of these waterways. If Asian Carp establish themselves in the rivers and waters in and around the Great Lakes, the impact could be much worse than even the sea lamprey and the zebra mussels. The carp have almost completely taken over the ecosystem of the Illinois River. Why let a situation like this repeat itself.

I respectfully request your prompt attention to the Chicago portion of the study.

Sincerely,
Carrie Davis