

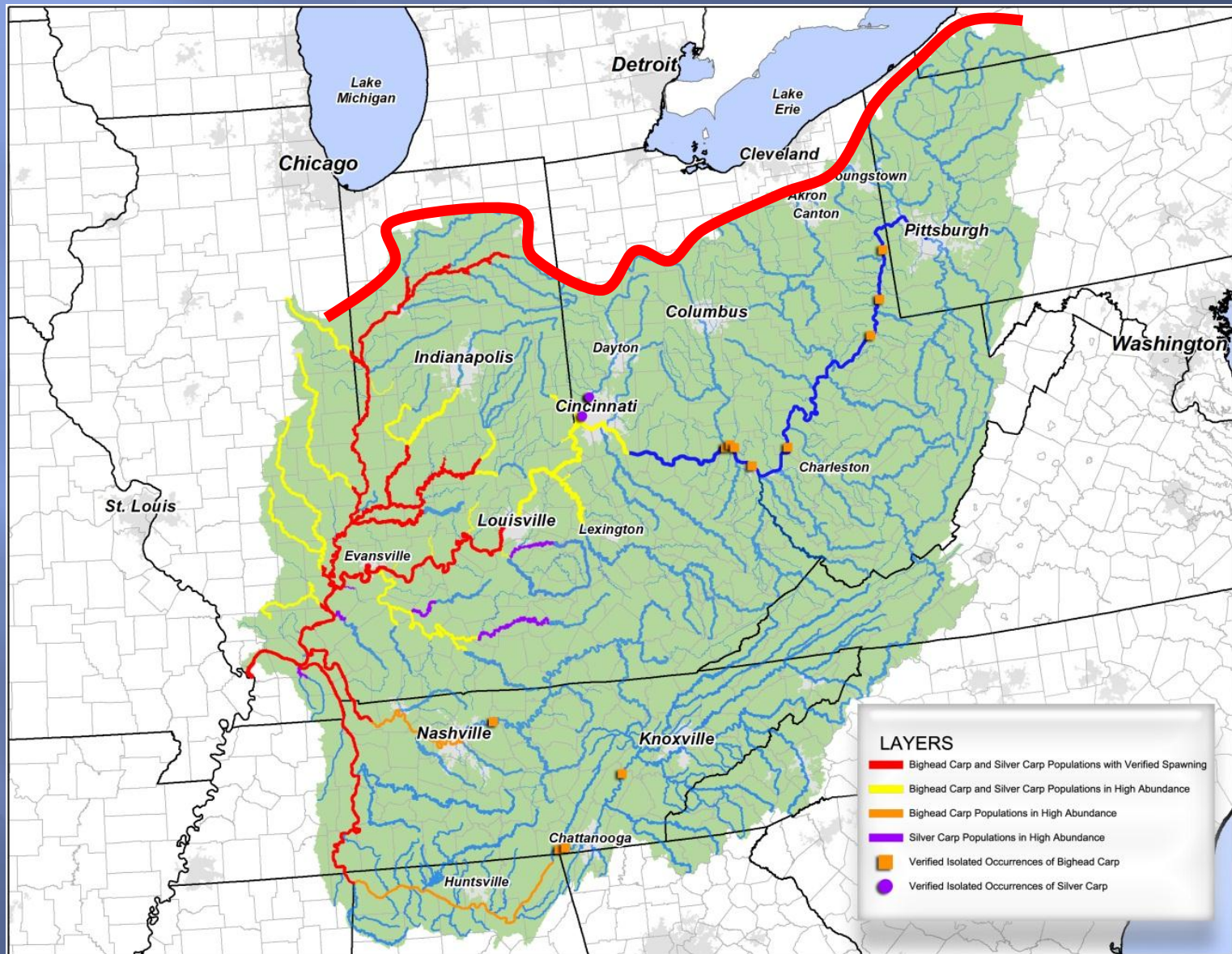
Asian Carp: Bait and Live Fish Vector Initiatives in Ohio

To Conserve and improve Fish and Wildlife resources and their Habitats for sustainable use and appreciation by all



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Our Line in the Sand



Prevention is the Key

Sea Lamprey Control Success Story?

- unique life cycle
- isolated spawning habitat
- species-specific control agent



20 Million Dollars/Year to Control



Bait Collection

General Title: Restriction of bait use to the origin of collection.

Ohio Administrative Code: 1501:31-13-01 Sport fishing.

(A)(7) It shall be unlawful for any person to release any fish or aquatic insect into waters of the state, or waters under control of the division of wildlife **from which it did not originate** without first obtaining permission from the chief of the division of wildlife.





Live Bait and Angling Bait Shop Surveillance



Live Bait and Angling

Quick ID Guide for Bait

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DIVISION OF WILDLIFE

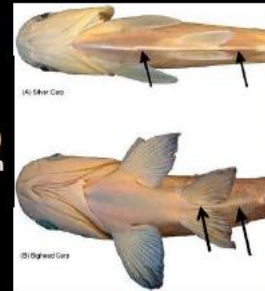
Quick ID Features for Baitfish

DEALER EDITION
PUB 5487-D



Silver Carp, Bighead Carp and Gizzard Shad

Silver Carp
(Invasive)
No scales on keel.



Gizzard Shad
(Native)

Rounded snout,
conspicuous
dark spot
behind head,
keel with saw-
like scales



Keel with saw-like scales

John Lyons

Live Bait and Angling Outreach



Important for Future Generations

