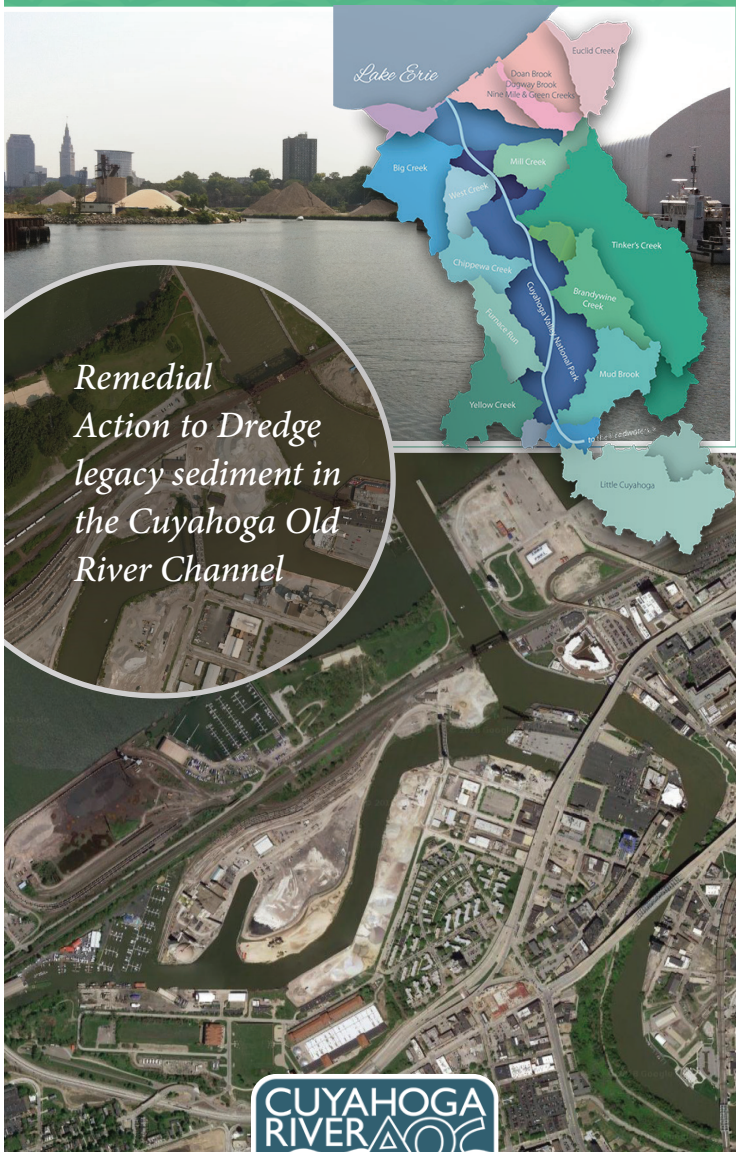


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*Remedial  
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## PROJECT OVERVIEW

A remedial project in the Old River Channel would contribute to the efforts to restore the Cuyahoga River Area of Concern, which begins at the Gorge Dam reservoir in Cuyahoga Falls and ends along the shores of Lake Erie. Sediment remediation would prevent contamination from entering the food chain. Contaminants have negative impacts on the health of the ecosystem and contribute to fish consumption advisories on fish caught in the Cuyahoga River and the Great Lakes. Restoration improves habitat for fish and wildlife species, allowing local populations to increase and thrive. After the project, the land surrounding the Old River Channel would be usable and open to redevelopment, contributing to the economy of Cleveland. To learn more about the significant benefits enjoyed by communities in Great Lakes Areas of Concern after a cleanup, watch the Great Lakes Legacy Act.

The AOC has specific targets to meet before it is taken off the list of impaired waters, or "delisted" as outlined by the Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement (GLWQA). The Advisory Committee developed a plan to identify and rectify the Beneficial Use Impairments (BUIs) to categorize criteria for restoration and create benchmarks toward achieving the goals of delisting.



Learn more about the status of the Cuyahoga River AOC Management Action progress and current state of the delisting efforts at [www.cuyahogaoc.org](http://www.cuyahogaoc.org).

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