

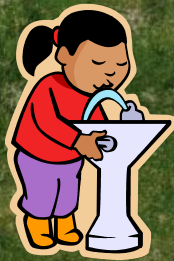
This is an **EXAMPLE**
PPT from the Buffalo
River Area of Concern.

See p. 32 of Helping Hands for
student instructions to create a
class presentation.

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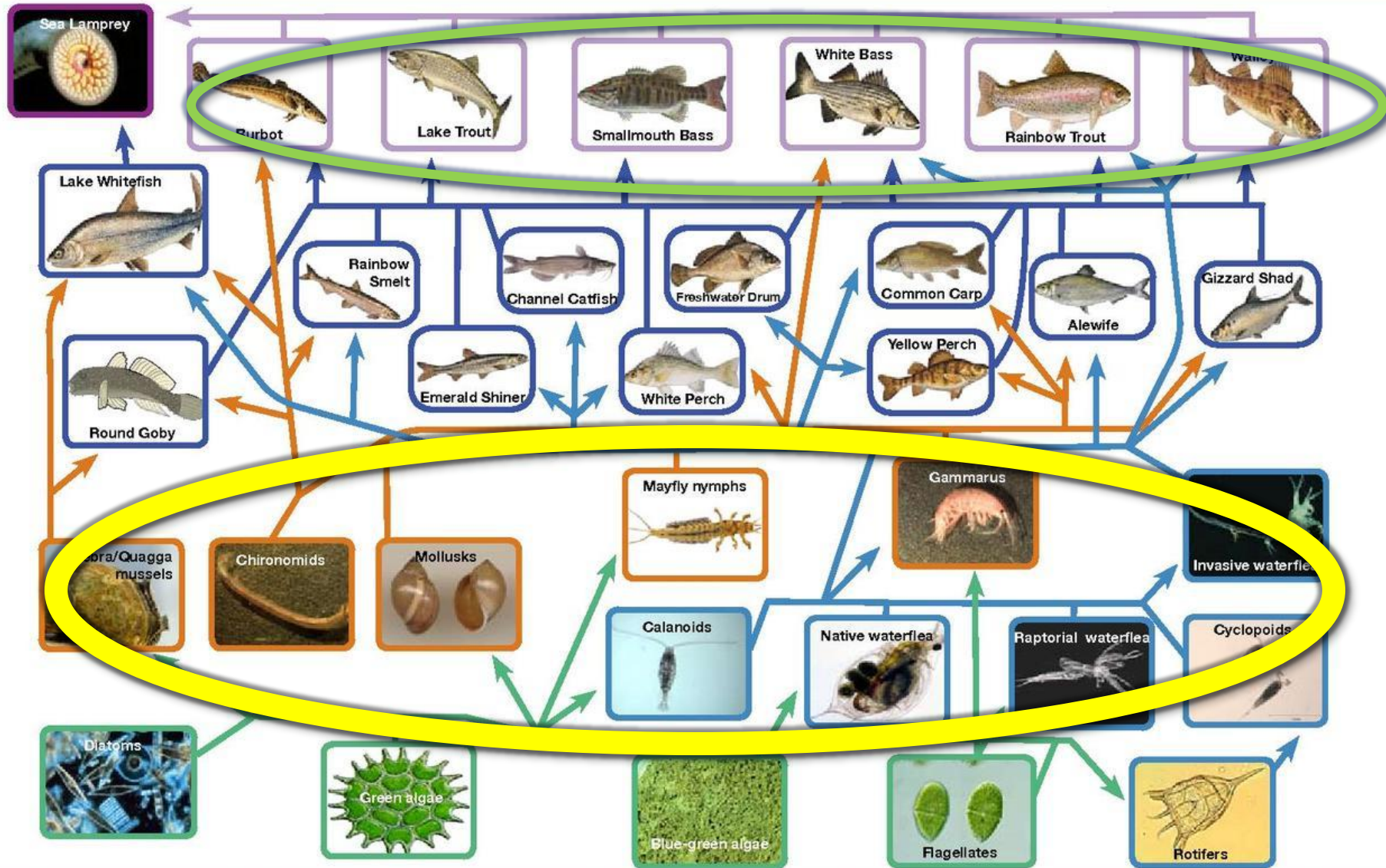
Buffalo River: Gettin' Cleaned Up







Lake Erie Food Web







Great Lakes Legacy Act

- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- Partners: Industries, states, local government, nongovernmental organizations (NGOs), businesses
- Partners share the cost of the cleanup



GLLA Progress

➤ As of spring 2014, not including ongoing projects

➤ Pounds/Cubic Yards

- Weight: 5 million pounds of contamination

- About 750 adult male elephants



- Volume: 2.4 million cubic yards

- 150,000 dump trucks

➤ Cost

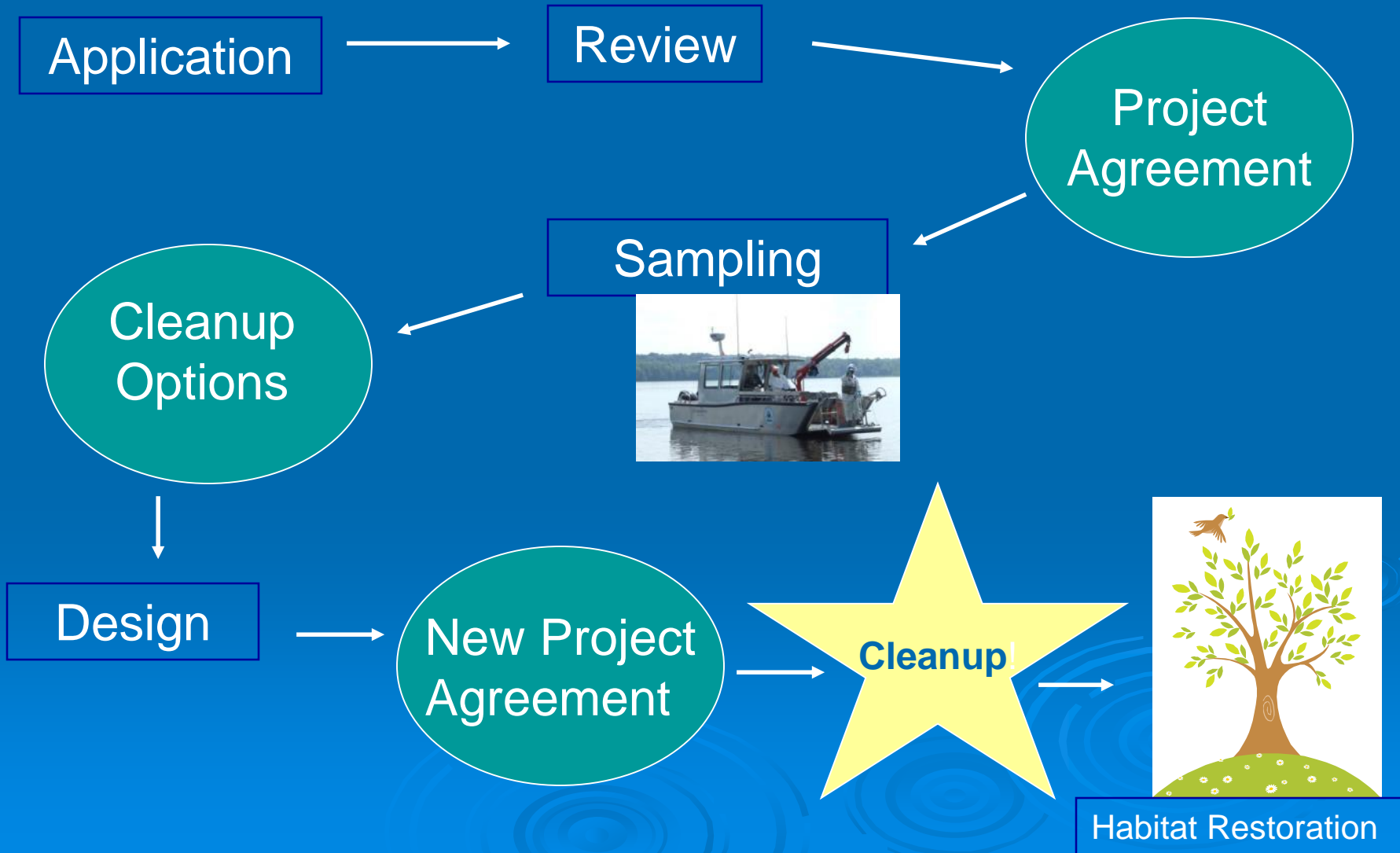
- \$379 million

- Buy the Hope Diamond &

- Produce Toy Story 3



The GLLA process



Buffalo River Cleanup



➤ How much is getting cleaned up?

- Sediment Volume: 462,000 cubic yards
 - 30,000 dump trucks
- 7.76 acres of aquatic habitat



➤ How much does it cost?

- \$43 million
 - Carlos Beltran's 3-year contract with Yankees OR
 - Alex Rodriguez's Miami mansion





BuffaloSkyCam

















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