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ConservAmerica is pleased to endorse Rep. Candice Miller's Defending Against Aquatic Invasive Species Act of 2014, authorizing swift, preventative action to stop Asian carp from invading the Great Lakes.

"If Asian carp populate the Great Lakes, it will inflict enormous damage to the region's tourism and recreation industry, one of the most important sectors in our economy. While government and NGO's have continued to study the issue, the threat grows more imminent. We applaud Rep. Miller's leadership," stated Rob Sisson, ConservAmerica's president.

"While ConservAmerica is a national organization of Republicans and conservatives who care about conservation, I am a locally elected official and an economic development officer in Michigan. The Asian carp threat is as serious a threat to the 8 states adjoining the Great Lakes as was the great recession. Immediate action is justified." said Sisson.

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