

# ***WESTERN DREDGING ASSOCIATION***

*Takes Pleasure in presenting WEDA's Silver Award for the  
2013 Environmental Excellence Award for Environmental  
Dredging to the Project Team for:*

## **River Raisin Area of Concern Project Monroe, Michigan**

For the successful remediation project in the River Raisin in Monroe, Michigan, that innovatively addressed contaminated sediments and created capacity in a Corps of Engineers confined disposal facility for navigation dredging. The project dredged and removed 71,000 cubic yards of non-TSCA sediments, 2,500 of TSCA sediments, and placed a sand cover over 7.7 acres. A unique challenge was the finding of a hot spot of 1.4 acres of elevated PCBs, which were capped on an interim basis.

Approximately, 101,000 cubic yards of sediments were excavated from the existing CDF to offset the placement volume from this project. The excavated CDF materials were trucked and stockpiled at the Ford Motor Company facility near the river, to be used for restoration of their former manufacturing plant.

**Congratulations for a great project!**

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**Paul P. Quinn**

President, WEDA

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**Craig Vogt**

Chair, WEDA Environmental Commission



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