**Share the Hellbender Story!**

Grading Rubric

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CLASS PERIOD: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **Information/ content**10 points | Project demonstrates an excellent understanding of hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, and all key pieces of information are present. | Project demonstrates a very good understanding of hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, but 1-2 key pieces of information are missing. | Project demonstrates a good understanding of hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, but 3-4 key pieces of information are missing. | Project demonstrates a fair understanding of hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, but 5-6 key pieces of information are missing. | Project demonstrates a poor understanding of hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, and most key pieces of information are missing. | Project contains no information about hellbender biology, ecology, and conservation, or was not submitted. |
| **Design**6 points | Project exemplifies a well-planned and thoroughly executed effort with an emphasis on neatness and organization. | Project is fairly well-designed, but there are 1-2 components that needed more care and effort. | Project is somewhat poorly designed with some lack of attention to detail and 3-4 components that needed more care and effort. | Project demonstrates a total lack of attention to detail and design, or was not submitted. |
| **Creativity**6 points | Project is interesting, helpful, and engaging, and represents a significant creative effort on the part of the student. | Project is generally interesting, helpful, and engaging, but some aspects needed more care and effort.  | Project is not particularly interesting or engaging, and much more care and effort was needed. | Project demonstrates a lack of creativity in all aspects, or was not submitted.  |

Literature cited (must include 3 sources): \_\_\_\_\_ / 3

TOTAL SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_ / 25 Comments: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_