

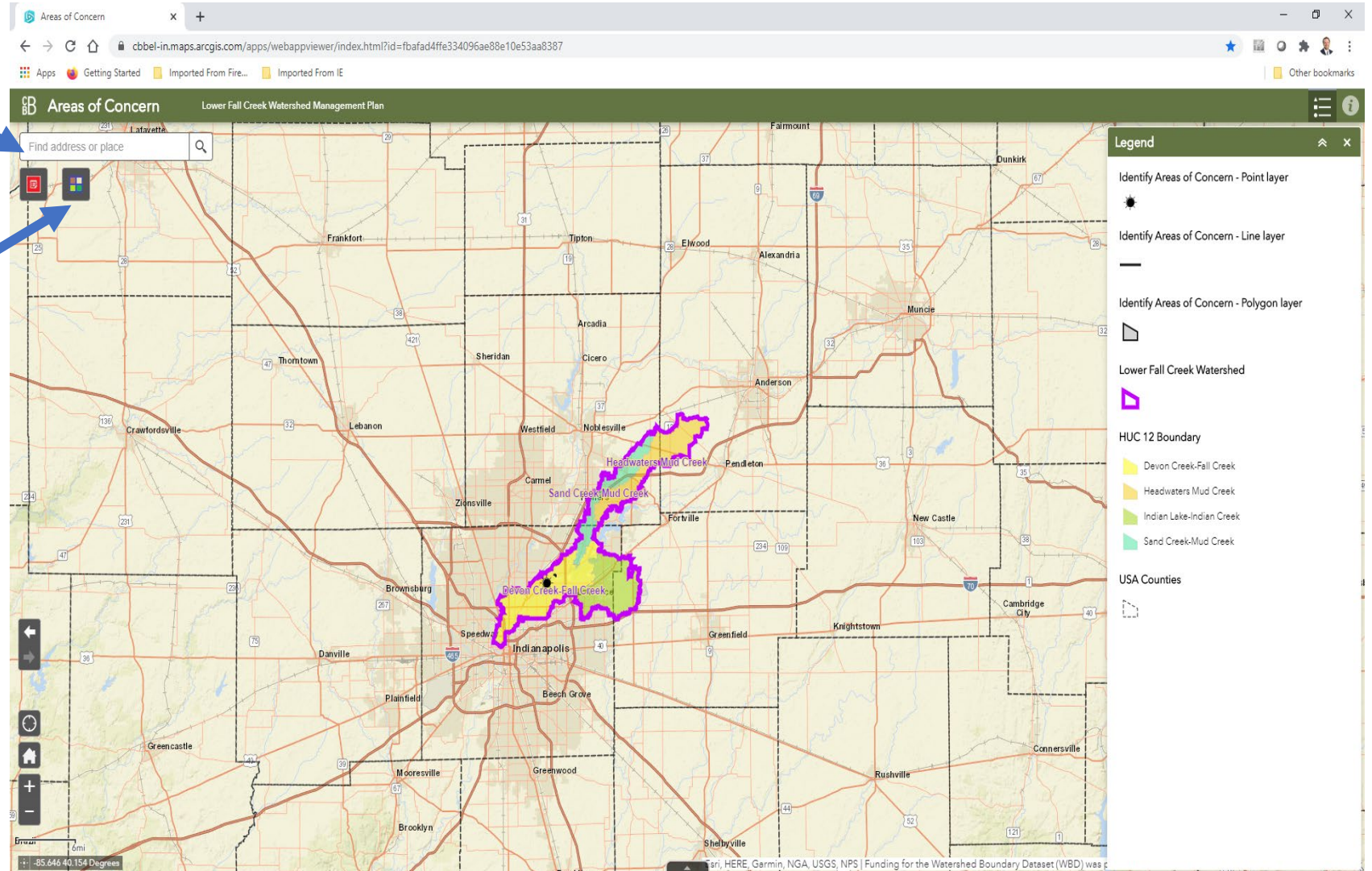
An interactive storymap has been developed to allow users to explore the Lower Fall Creek watershed and identify critical areas for protection/enhancement as well as local water quality concerns. The tool is simple to use-give it a try and provide input on this important effort to improve the water quality of Lower Fall Creek!

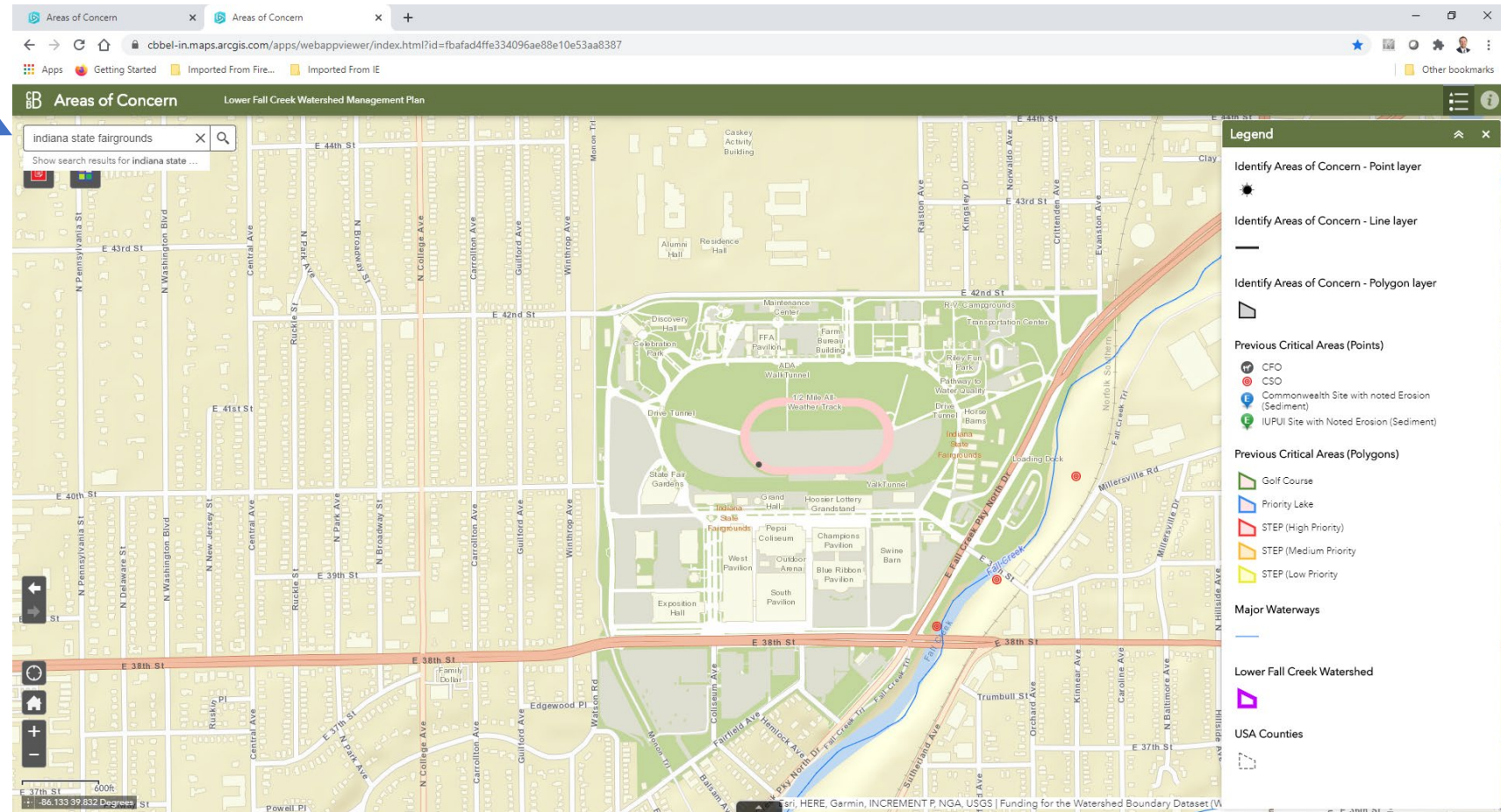

To access the Lower Fall Creek Watershed Management Plan Areas of Concern StoryMap follow this link: <https://cbbel-in.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=fbafad4ffe334096ae88e10e53aa8387>



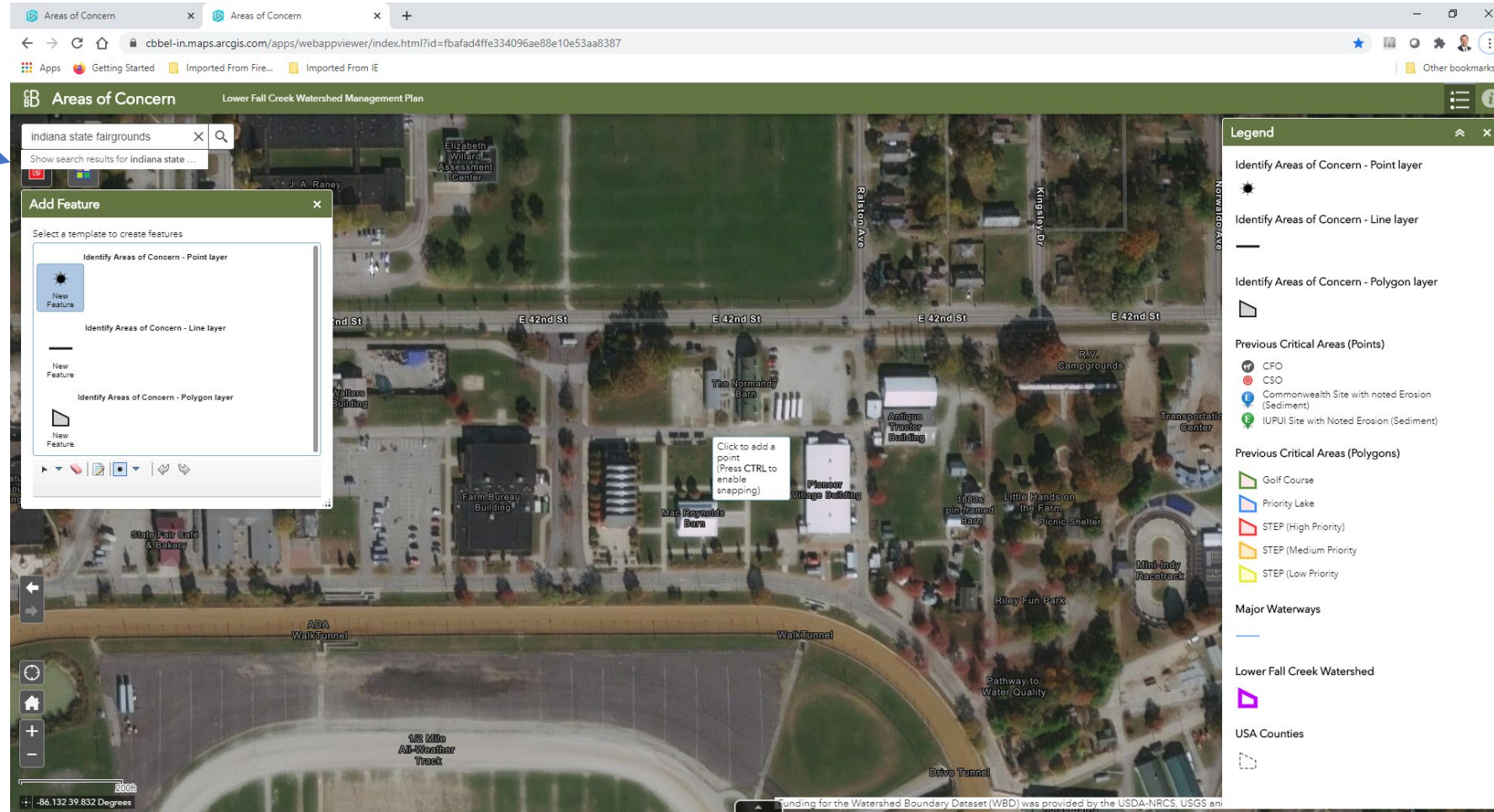
Type in an address or place to find a location

Note by clicking the multi-colored square icon you can switch your basemap-the basemap shown here is Streets but many options are available in the basemap gallery





I changed the base layer to aerial and have chosen to create a point layer at the Normandy Barn rain garden at the fairgrounds by clicking the red icon, which brought up the Add Feature menu, and I selected the new feature point layer. I would use line feature if identify a stream bank or other lineal feature, and polygon if I wanted to identify a larger area. I used point because this is more precise to identify the location of this rain garden feature.



I placed my new point layer at the location of the Normandy Barn Rain garden and a table comes up that I filled out with information about the project.

Areas of Concern Lower Fall Creek Watershed Management Plan

Indiana state fairgrounds

Show search results for Indiana state ...

Add Feature

Select a template to create features

Identify Areas of Concern - Point layer

New Feature

Identify Areas of Concern - Line layer

New Feature

Identify Areas of Concern - Polygon layer

New Feature

Identify Areas of Concern - Point layer

Your Name: John Hazlett

Name the Area: Normandy Barn Rain Garden

Geographical Description: immediately to the west of the Normandy Barn.

Reason for Inclusion: stormwater out of the combined sewer system using native plants.

Attachments: None

Legend

Identify Areas of Concern - Point layer

Identify Areas of Concern - Line layer

Identify Areas of Concern - Polygon layer

Previous Critical Areas (Points)

- CFO
- CSO
- Commonwealth Site with noted Erosion (Sediment)
- IUPUI Site with Noted Erosion (Sediment)

Previous Critical Areas (Polygons)

- Golf Course
- Priority Lake
- STEP (High Priority)
- STEP (Medium Priority)
- STEP (Low Priority)

Major Waterways

Lower Fall Creek Watershed

USA Counties

1/2 Mile All-Weather Trail

ABA Walk Tunnel

Walk Tunnel

Drive Tunnel

Pathway to Water Quality

Riley Fun Park

Mini-Indy Race Track

Transportation Center

State Fair Café & Bakery

Normandy Barn

Elizabeth Willard Assessment Center

J.A. Raney

E 42nd St

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Kingsey Dr

Ridgely Ave

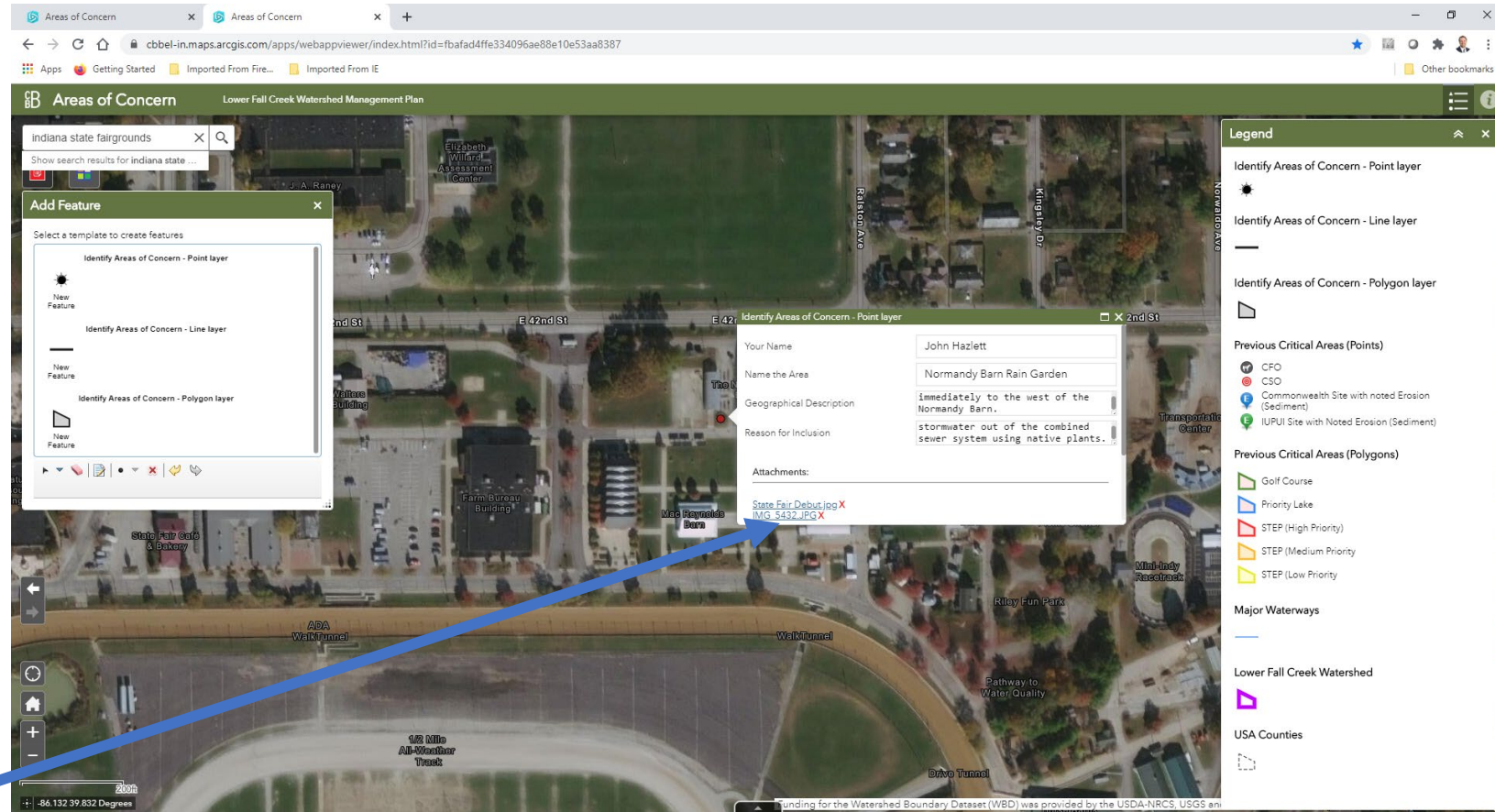
Normandy Ave

200ft

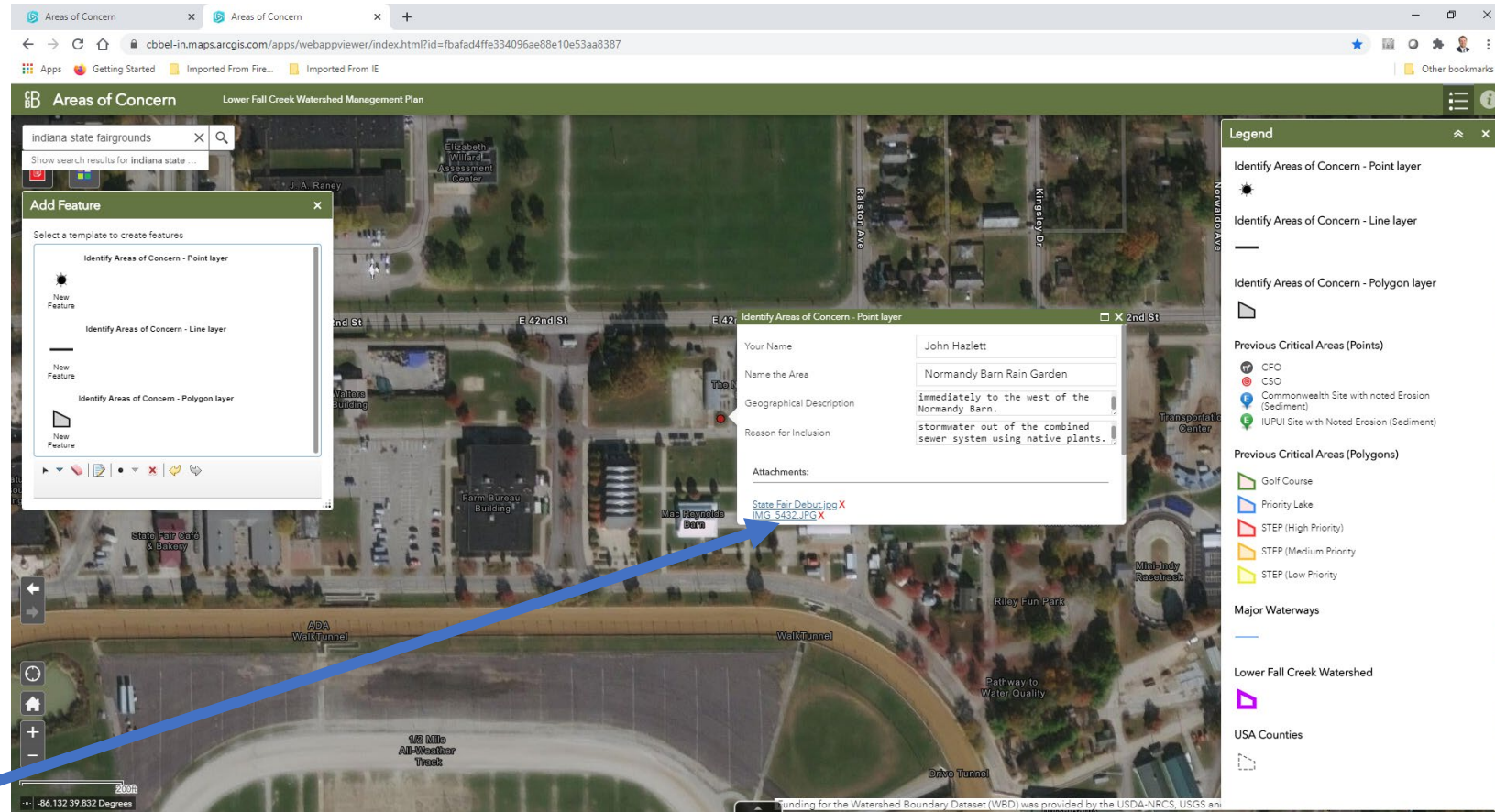
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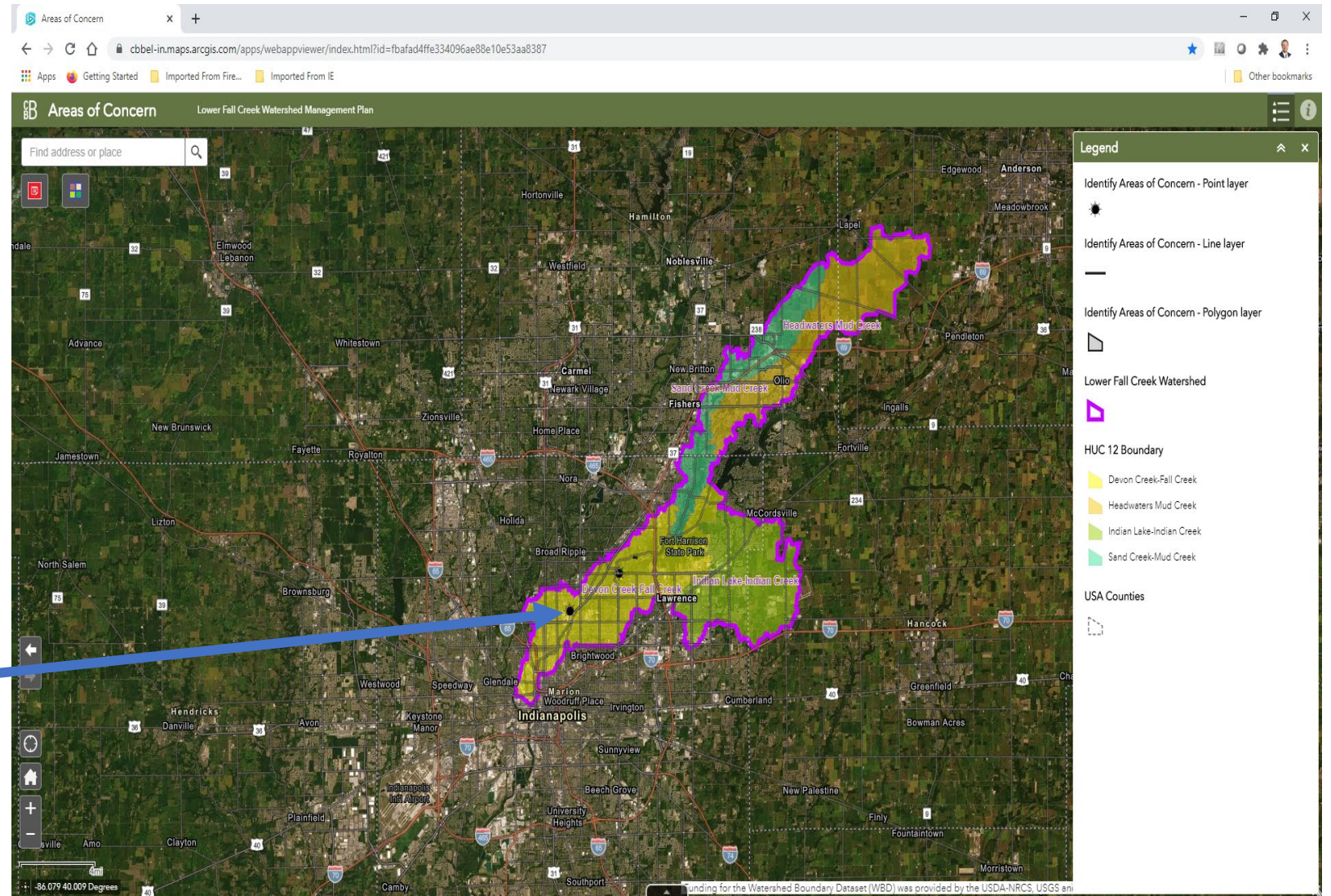
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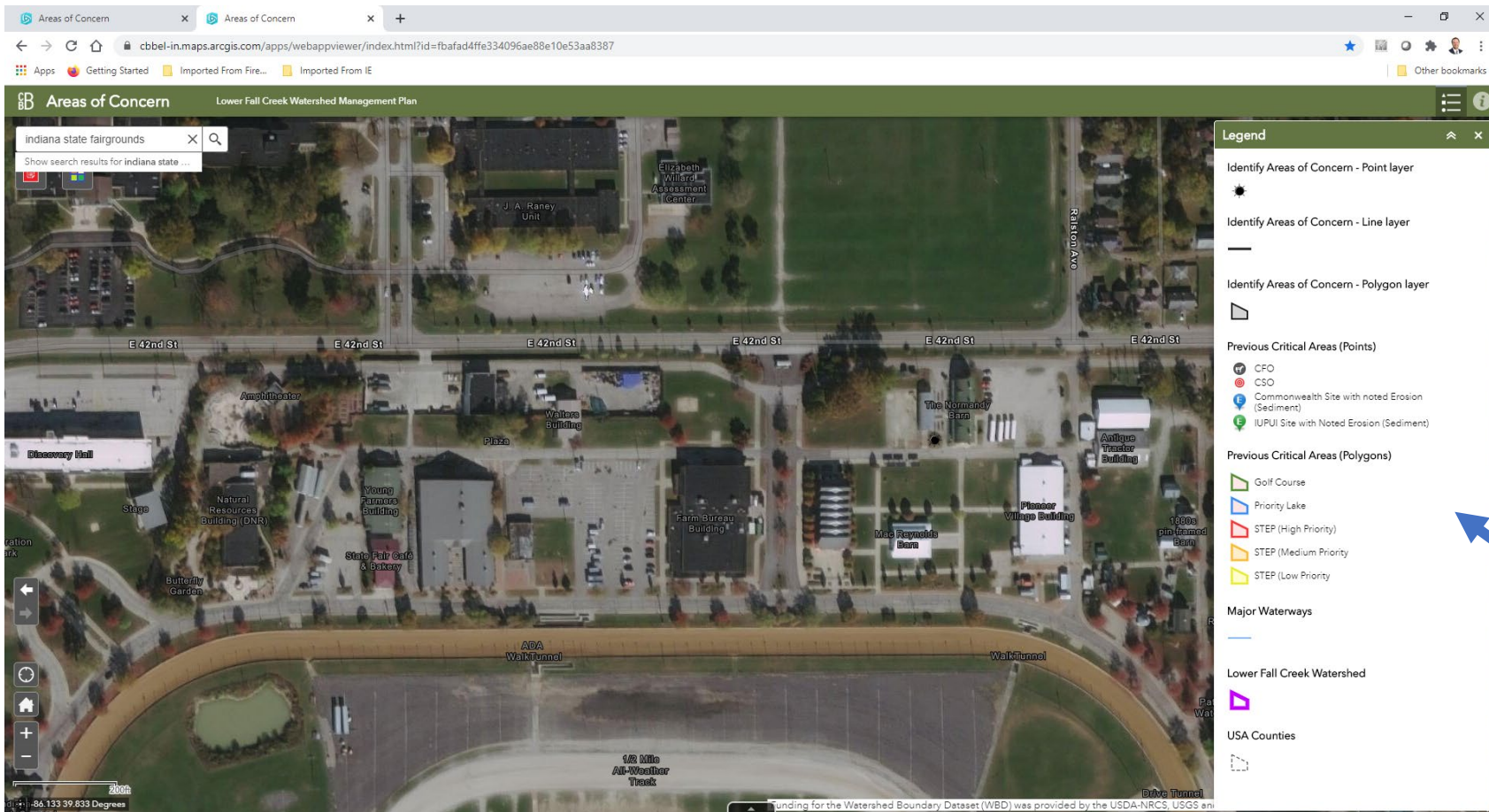


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Now when I zoom back out I see the point feature for the Normandy Barn rain garden is shown as point feature in the watershed. **There is no need to hit save on the map, once added these features have been added to the storymap.**





Note as you zoom in to the map more layers will appear in the legend. These include the previously identified critical areas displayed as point and polygons depending on the critical area.

More Project Information:

- Please contact John Hazlett, District Manager, Marion County SWCD with any questions about the project

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- Make sure to follow upcoming Watershed Management Plan update planning sessions on the ROW calendar:

<https://ourwaterways.org/events/>

- Pass along the link to the Fall Creek Storymap to interested contacts:

<https://cbbel-in.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=fbafad4ffe334096ae88e10e53aa8387>

