**“Hellbender”**

(What happens to the Hellbender, Happens to us.)

Hellbender, salamander, amphibian
Breathes in oxygen through its skin
Protects its body with a  layer of slime
In North America, it’s the largest kind – of salamander

Hellbender, He-Hellbender!

Cryptobronchus Alleganiensis
The only Cryptobronchus with two sub-species
The Ozark and Eastern variety
Live under rocks, in streams in the country

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(It’s true that since the 1980’s the Hellbender population has been devastated
Due to rising temperature, water pollution, and the mysterious chytrid fungus,
the Hellbender is now an endangered species)

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