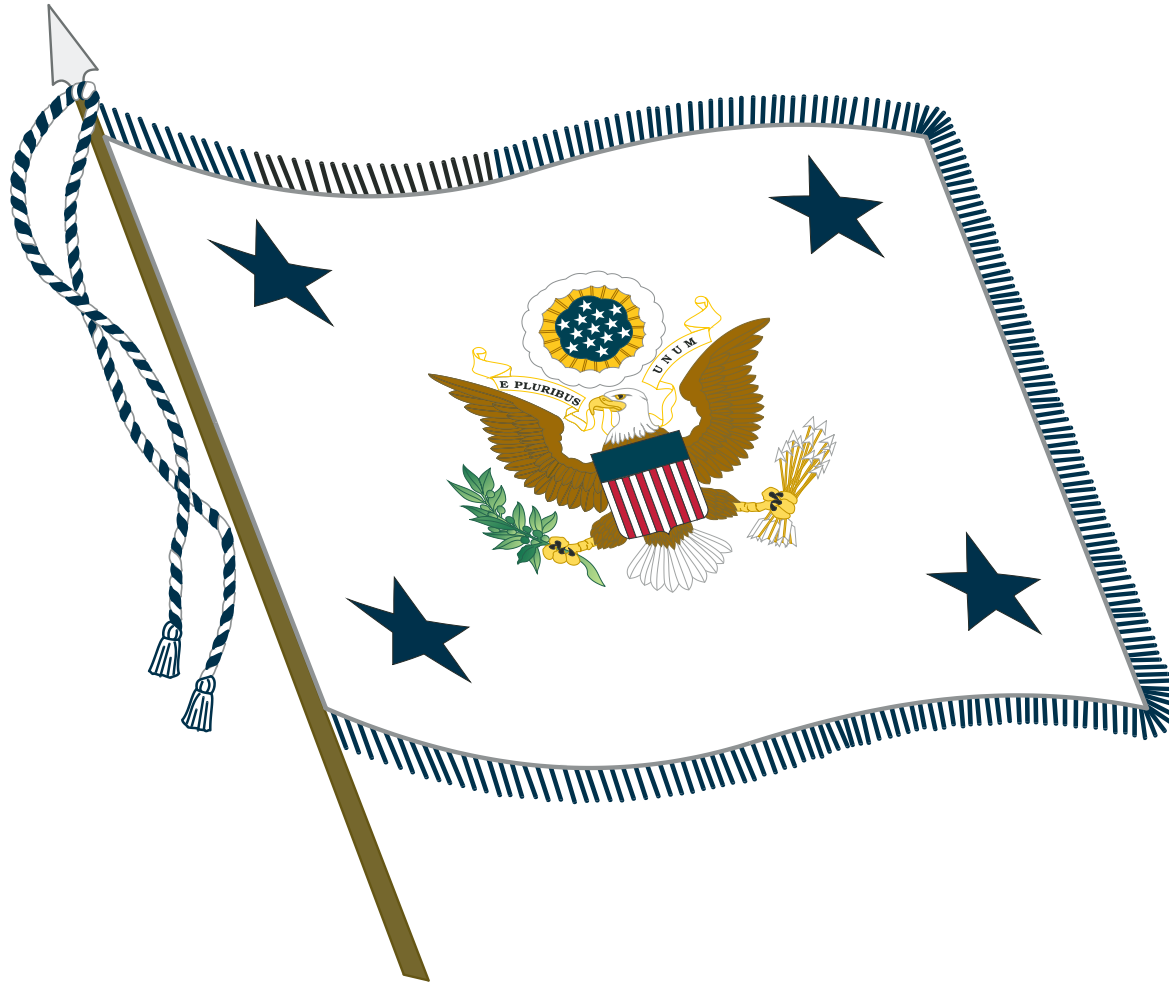




Large Scale Restoration National Perspectives



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Major Restoration Programs



Chesapeake Bay



Missouri River



Great Lakes



Everglades



Puget Sound



Upper Mississippi River



Sustainable Rivers Program



- Partnership between USACE and The Nature Conservancy since 2002
- Purpose: Implement environmental flow strategies at USACE reservoirs to enhance downstream habitat conditions within existing purposes
- 45 river systems to improve aquatic and wetland habitat on over 12,000 river miles



Green River in Kentucky



Working with our Partners



U.S. ARMY



South Platte River and
Tributaries Project
Denver, CO

Española Valley, Rio Grande
and Tributaries
Española, NM



- Memo issued to USACE on March 22

Actions and Tools:

- Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Projects
- Technical Assistance Programs
 - Tribal Partnership Program
 - Floodplain Management Services Program
 - Planning Assistance to States Program
- Regulatory Program
 - Approved Jurisdictional Determinations
 - Compensatory Mitigation
- Nature-Based Solutions





Nature-Based Solutions



- Actions to protect, sustainably manage, or restore naturally functioning or modified ecosystems to provide benefits for people and the environment
- Agency Specific Procedures for the Principles, Requirements and Guidelines
- Engineering with Nature
- Beneficial use of dredged material
- Integration with other solutions

