

National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration

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Omaha, Nebraska

The National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration (NCER) planning committee invites you to join us in Omaha, Nebraska!

The National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration (NCER) is an interdisciplinary conference on ecosystem restoration presenting state-of-the art science and engineering, planning and policy in a partnership environment. NCER brings together decision-makers, scientists, engineers, policy makers, planners, and partners representing government, industry, NGOs, Tribes, academia, and a variety of entities actively involved in ecosystem restoration.

NCER 2026 will feature three days of keynote speakers, panel discussions, and presentations focused on multi-scale restoration efforts in terrestrial and aquatic ecosystems across the country. The conference kicks off with a welcome session, highlighting large-scale restoration initiatives in the region, including those connected to the Platte and Missouri Rivers. In 2026, the NCER theme will focus on the "Return on Investment" in ecosystem restoration for the nation and how that return can guide future planning, funding, and implementation.

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