



# Environmental Stewardship Program Statistics

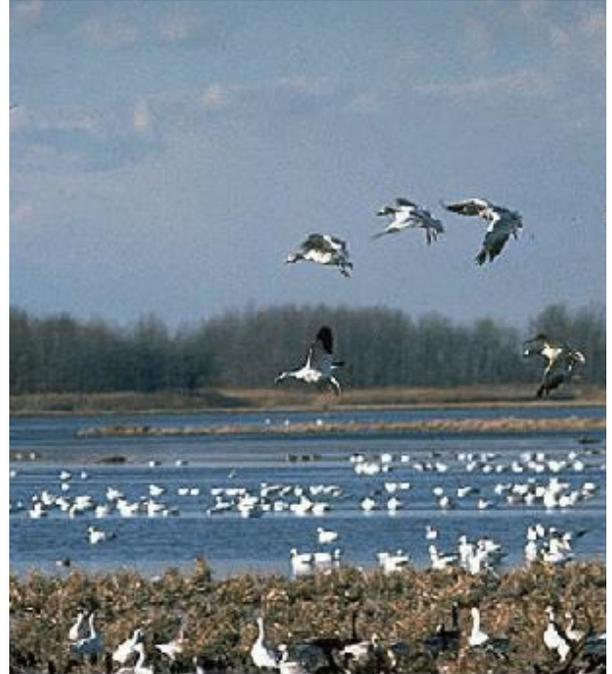
Statistics as of 29 April 2010

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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Environmental Stewardship Program protects, preserves, and restores significant ecological resources at Civil Works projects across the U.S. It contributes to the quality of American life by managing and conserving natural resources consistent with ecosystem management principles and provides "islands of green" for many major metropolitan areas.

- Corps manages almost **12 million acres** of land and water
- **4.3 million acres** with significant waterfowl use or potential for use
- **23 Important Bird Areas**
- 133 projects participating in the recovery of **53 special status species**
- **100 million/yr** fishing visits
- **9 million/yr** hunting visits
- **63 million/yr** wildlife watchers
- **\$20 billion/yr** spent by visitors accessing Corps natural resources
- **56,000** cultural resources sites, **1500** listed on the **National Register**, 9800 eligible for listing
- **20 million fish** produced for mitigation of dam impacts
- **55,000 miles** of shoreline managed
- **1.4 million acres** of forest lands; over 200,000 acres have been 'cleaned' of invasive species (plant and animal) in 2009-2010
- **460,000 acres** of grasslands
- World leader in developing **aquatic/invasive plant and animal control** with over a million acres of water 'cleaned' of invasive species in 2009-2010



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