



HA03 Integrating Habitat and Clean Water



BWSR proposes a new funding approach that will use Legacy funds to their full potential by focusing both Outdoor Heritage Fund and Clean Water Fund projects in the same location or drainage area of a priority resource, as identified through the local One Watershed, One Plan process.

Millions of dollars are spent on projects from both funds, with each fund having a singular goal: habitat or water quality. While many of those projects have a primary purpose, they can achieve multiple benefits if they are strategically planned and implemented. Managers of both funds have expressed a desire to be more intentional about spending Legacy dollars to achieve water quality and habitat at the same time.

The Integrating Habitat for Clean Water proposed program offers a tremendous opportunity to do more strategic, multi-benefit work by building on the One Watershed, One Plan program's prioritize-target-measure approach.





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