

# Restoration is Ancient History: Discussion

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## Overview & Ancient History

- Discuss the historical importance of watershed management.
- Identify important successes and failures.

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## Evolution of Management

- Discuss the historical evolution of landscape design.
- Which cultures played key roles in its development?
- What were the key features and important ideas associated with the main stages of evolution?

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## Modern U.S. History

- What are the major landmarks for progress in U.S. conservation?
- What triggered them?
- Who are some of the important political figures and what was their role?

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## Intellectual & Scientific

- Who were important intellectual and scientific figures in modern conservation history?
- Discuss the importance of their ideas.

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## Federal Government Role

- Discuss the role of federal gov't agencies.
- What agencies have been historically significant, and why?
- What are some major achievements and problems of watershed management under government agencies?

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## Citizen Involvement

- What is the importance of citizen involvement in restoration?
- Which citizen organizations have played significant roles? How were these roles significant?

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