



# NFHP National Conservation Priorities Update

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# FY2022 Conservation Priorities

- ACE Act Title II Section 201(2) requirement
- Current Interim Priorities passed in April 2021
  - Protect intact healthy waters
  - Restore hydrologic conditions for fish
  - Reconnect fragmented fish habitats
  - Restore water quality
  - Coordination and operational support for FHPs to make on-the-ground progress within program appropriations
- By October, Board needs to have a set of Conservation Priorities to guide FHPs for FY2023



# NFHP Conservation Priorities

- SDC asked to develop a set of potential options
  - Draft set by September will be provided to the Board
- Three workgroups formed around systems
  - Rivers and Streams
  - Lakes and Reservoirs
  - Coastal and Great Lakes



# NFHP Conservation Priorities

- Action requested – Board input
  - Qualitative or quantitative priorities or both?
  - Specific quantitative options?
  - Do Board members have some suggested priorities for evaluation?
  - Parameters to be considered?





# Discussion and Comments

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