

Restoration Plan document that addresses the EPA nine key elements of a WRP:

1. Identification of causes of impairment
2. An estimate of the load reductions expected from management measures
3. A description of the nonpoint source management measures that will need to be implemented to achieve load reductions
4. Estimate of the amounts of technical and financial assistance needed, associated costs, and/or the sources and authorities that will be relied upon to implement this plan
5. An information and education component to enhance public understanding of the project and encourage their early and continued participation in selecting, designing, and implementing the nonpoint source management measures that will be implemented
6. Schedule for implementing the nonpoint source management measures identified in this plan that is reasonably expeditious
7. A description of interim measurable milestones for determining whether nonpoint source management measures or other control actions are being implemented
8. A set of criteria that can be used to determine whether loading reductions are being achieved over time and substantial progress is being made toward attaining water quality standards
9. A monitoring component to evaluate the effectiveness of the implementation efforts over time, measured against the criteria established