Management Measures

	Structural Practices	Nonstructural Practices	
Agriculture	Contour buffer strips Grassed waterway Herbaceous wind barriers Mulching Live fascines Live staking Livestock exclusion fence (prevents livestock from wading into streams) Revetments Riprap Sediment basins Terraces Waste treatment lagoons	Brush management Conservation coverage Conservation tillage Educational materials Erosion and sediment control plan Nutrient management plan Pesticide management Prescribed grazing Residue management Requirement for minimum riparian buffer Rotational grazing Workshops/training for developing nutrient management plans	
Forestry	Broad-based dips Culverts Establishment of riparian buffer Mulch Revegetation of firellines with adapted herbaceous species Temporary cover crops Windrows	Education campaign on forestry-related nonpoint source controls Erosion and sediment control plans Forest chemical management Fire management Operation of planting machines along the contour to avoid ditch formation Planning and proper road layout and design Preharvest planning Training loggers and landowners about forest management practices, forest ecology, and silviculture	
Urban	Bioretention cells Breakwaters Brush layering Infiltration basins Green roofs Live fascines Marsh creation/restoration Establishment of riparian buffers Riprap Stormwater ponds Sand filters Sediment basins Tree revetments Vegetated gabions Water quality swales Clustered wastewater treatment systems	Planning for reduction of impervious surfaces (e.g., eliminating or reducing curb and gutter) Management programs for onsite and clustered (decentralized) wastewater treatment systems Educational materials Erosion and sediment control plan Fertilizer management Ordinances Pet waste programs Pollution prevention plans No-wake zones Setbacks Stormdrain stenciling Workshops on proper installation of structural practices Zoning overlay districts	

Note that practices listed under one land use category can be applied in other land use settings as well.

Management Measures- Funding

Best Management Practice	Funding Sources	Notes/Cost Share Rates
 Filter strips and riparian buffers Dry dams (WASCBs) Grass waterways Terraces Diversions Wetland creation Blind inlets and tile drainage management Nutrient management Cover crops 	Illinois EPA – 319 program NRCS – EQIP program FSA – CRP program SWCD – CPP program USFWS – Acres for wildlife program IDNR/SWCD – CREP program IDNR – SWG program NRCS – WHIP program IDNR – Special Wildlife Funds Grants	CREP eligible acres must be in the 100-year floodplain and/or have cropped ground with an erodibility index of 8 or greater adjacent to riparian zones; must have cropping history as defined by the USDA. SWG program requires 50% state match and must address goals/species outlined in the State of Illinois Comprehensive Wildlife Plan. NRCS, FSA, and SWCD programs generally provide 60% cost-share, however, some special programs and practices can provide up to 90%. FSA, CREP and some NRCS programs also provide annual rental payments for taking ground out of production.
 Streambank/lake shore stabilization and in- stream grade control or other grade control 	Illinois EPA – 319 Program SWCD – SSRP program NRCS – EQIP program	Illinois EPA 319 offers 60% cost share SSRP offers 75% cost share EQIP offers 60% cost share
Wetland restoration and other habitat practices	Illinois EPA – 319 program NRCS – EQIP program NRCS – WRP program FSA – CRP program USFWS – Landowner Incentive Program IDNR/SWCD – CREP program IDNR – SWG program IDNR – Special Wildlife Funds Grants	WRP program – multiple/stringent eligibility requirements. NRCS, FSA, and SWCD programs provide a minimum of 60% cost-share, however, some special programs and practices can provide up to 90%. FSA, CREP and some NRCS programs also provide annual rental payments for taking ground out of production.
 Livestock/equestrian practices, including fencing, stream crossings, pasture management, watering systems etc. 	Illinois EPA – 319 program NRCS – EQIP program IDNR – Forestry Development Act funding (FLEP)	FLEP is applicable to livestock fencing for woodlands. Livestock management recommendations outlined in this report that includes wetland and/or habitat restoration can be funded by other programs such as the US F&W – Landowner Incentive Program EQIP typically provides 60% cost-share