

Conservation Efforts in the Active Floodplain of the Lower Mississippi River: Kentucky

Restoration Needs and Opportunities

1. Improve low water access to Mayfield Creek
 2. Notch upper Island 1 dikes to increase side channel flow
 3. Re-locate Laketon Boat ramp
 4. Restore flow through channel behind Islands 2, 3 & 4
 - *5. Notch dike at head of sandbar
 6. Restore lake complex
 7. Improve access to Wolf Island Bar side channel
 8. Restore flow in side channel behind Wolf Island 5
 9. Increase low water flow through sandbar at lower end of Wolf Island Bar
 10. Restore floodplain lakes north of Hickman
 11. Notch closing structure
 - *12. Assess habitat and recreation value of side channel
 13. Increase habitat diversity in Bend of Island 8
 14. Notch dikes to increase flow along revetment
 15. Assess habitat and recreation value of lakes on KY Point
- * Pending

Legend

-  Active Floodplain
 -  Public Land
 -  Commercial Timber
 -  WRP
 -  Great River Reach
- Restoration Status**
-  Identified

