Restoration is Ancient History: Discussion

In *Restoring Streams in Cities* by Ann L. Riley

Overview & Ancient History
- Discuss the historical importance of watershed management.
- Identify important successes and failures.

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?

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?

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

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?
Citizen Involvement

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