

PUGET SOUND

- **\$:** 601 million for 2009–2011 to implement the first biennium of the Puget Sound Action Agenda. A comprehensive cost estimate will be available soon.
- **Population:** 4 million
- **State:** WA

THE GREAT LAKES

- **\$:** 20–26 billion to implement the Great Lakes Regional Collaboration Strategy.
- **Population:** 24 million
- **States:** IL, IN, MI, MN, NY, OH, PA, WI

GULF OF MAINE

- **\$:** 5 billion. This total is based on estimates compiled by state agencies in Maine, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts. A planning initiative is underway to develop the Gulf of Maine Restoration and Conservation Plan.
- **Population:** 8 million
- **States:** NH, MA, ME

LONG ISLAND SOUND

- **\$:** 2 billion to implement the goals of the Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan. The Long Island Sound Study is currently conducting a planning process to update this estimate.
- **Population:** 28 million people live within 50 miles of the Sound.
- **States:** CT, NY, RI

CHESAPEAKE BAY

- **\$:** 15–19 billion. This projection is based on assessment conducted in 2003. The total cost of restoration is now expected to be much higher.
- **Population:** 17 million
- **States:** DE, MD, NY, PA, WV, VA

SAN FRANCISCO BAY

- **\$:** 4.3 billion over 20 years to implement the twelve largest projects and for long term management.
- **Population:** 8 million
- **State:** CA

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

- **\$:** No comprehensive plan for the entire river has been developed, but restoration estimates for the Upper Mississippi range from \$1.5–5.7 billion.
- **Population:** 30 million in the region undergoing restoration.
- **States:** IA, IL, MN, MO, SD, WI

COASTAL LOUISIANA

- **\$:** 14–100 billion to implement the Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration plan to create a sustainable coast.
- **Population:** 2 million
- **State:** LA

EVERGLADES

- **\$:** 10.5 billion to implement the Comprehensive Everglades Restoration Plan.
- **Population:** 6 million
- **State:** FL

AMERICA'S GREAT WATERS