

# Consulting Services for Habitat Restoration and Compensation

SUSTAINABLE HABITAT RESTORATION SOLUTIONS TO  
OFFSET LOSS OF NATURAL HABITATS AND COMPLY  
WITH DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

## Aquatic and Terrestrial Habitats

Ducks Unlimited Canada provides habitat restoration solutions to offset loss of wetland, aquatic and upland habitats. We design, construct and manage sustainable ecosystems across Canada. Our techniques are based on natural processes:

- + Naturalized stormwater pond design and construction
- + Habitat restoration for aquatic and terrestrial Species at Risk
- + Wetland design, construction and maintenance
- + Aggregate pit rehabilitation
- + Altered landscapes reclamation and restoration
- + Industrial brownfield naturalization
- + Invasive plant control and management

We can answer your questions about ecosystem establishment and management. And we can customize the right habitat solution for your site's environmental conditions.

## A Science-based Approach to Establishing Ecosystems

Ducks Unlimited Canada is a national leader in habitat restoration and management. Our talented staff across the country have a range of skills, including biology, agrology, engineering, mapping, landscape architecture and project management.

We manage rehabilitation projects of any size—from planning, permitting and construction to follow-up monitoring programs. Our national team of experts draws from decades of in-house research and deep experience in adaptive management of wetland, aquatic and upland habitats across Canada. We employ verified best-management practices to harness natural processes and native vegetation to create and remediate landscapes that withstand variable environmental conditions.



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**Upland restoration for grassland birds**



**Aquatic invasive plant control**



**Wetland habitat restoration and maintenance**



**Coastal fish habitat**





## Eight Decades of Expertise & Experience

Ducks Unlimited Canada is one of Canada's largest and most trusted environmental charities. We have a long history as a strong partner. We take pride in our ability to collaborate broadly across jurisdictions to deliver exceptional return on conservation investments.

Since 1938, we have worked with partners and landowners to conserve and restore habitats that are critical to waterfowl, wildlife and communities. In Ontario, we have completed more than 4,000 habitat projects and conserved almost one million acres of wetlands and associated aquatic and upland habitats.

## Cost-effective Results with Immediate Ecological Benefits

Ducks Unlimited Canada's consulting branch operates on a cost-recovery basis with net revenues directed to our conservation programs.

### Our advantages:

- + Custom design-build services
- + One-stop shop from start to finish
- + Cost-effective, sustainable solutions
- + Unique and remote project experience
- + Able to showcase projects on multiple channels
- + National team of experts
- + Flexible payment options
- + HST exempt

**We always respect your bottom line.**



*"The City of Waterloo is very impressed with the work Ducks Unlimited has done to date and would not hesitate to work with Michael and the rest of the team should the need arise again."*

– SANDY LITTLE, BES, MCIP, RPP, SENIOR  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICER,  
CITY OF WATERLOO



*"Ducks Unlimited offered a personal approach to their service and were very quick to offer cost-effective solutions for our habitat restoration needs."*

– JIM MULVALE, SENIOR DIRECTOR,  
ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH & SAFETY,  
NORTHLAND POWER



*"CN has been fortunate enough to work collaboratively with Ducks Unlimited Canada in many provinces over the last 10+ years."*

– LUANNE PATTERSON, SENIOR SYSTEM  
MANAGER, ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT,  
CN



*"Ducks Unlimited's knowledge in their field of expertise, ability to engage and communicate with stakeholders, and provide timely project management contributed to the success of these projects."*

– SHARON WESTENDORP, SENIOR  
ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNER, ONTARIO  
MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION

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