



What do you want to take away from this retreat?





What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

Buffers are important

Trees

There's a lot of things that can be done

Larry is very long winded!

Funding is available. Just have to ask.

Partnerships and intersection of goals

Usc is flexible and the bomb

Opportunities

Utilize USC for funds and communicate with other organizations for assistance



What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

Funding information

There is a lot of money on the table

Connections with other partners

We're all part of the same larger group working towards a common goal

Use resources available

Larry is still long winded

Continue working together

Opportunities for Corp partnerships for funding

You all are doing a lot of great work.



What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

Reach out & be heard!

Listening to larry

Pick up the phone.

Communicate your needs.
Take small steps. Ask for
funding if you need it.

A better understanding of how
USC collaborates with other
agencies

Lots of opportunities

Buffers are cool

We need to speak up

Everyone wants to fund buffers



What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

There are a lot of opportunities that I wasn't aware of

Lots of money for different projects

More opportunity for collaboration

Work with partners

Partnership opportunities

How important we all are to each other through partnership

Streambank stabilization ideas

That USC is helpful across many counties and states with support, funding, design, and implementation for a variety of projects.

New partnership opportunities - updates on existing uses for the USC



What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

BUFFERS ARE KING

There's a lot of opportunity to get more great work done!

Lots of opportunities

Multiple funding opportunities exist. I would like to see how to get these out of the USC. What are the funding avenues.

The amount of thingz the usc doze

New implementation ideas

Speak up

Buffers: The Real MVP

Accomplishing more by working together



What are your take aways from the retreat so far?

Buffers



Where are your funding gaps?

Non ag buffers

Small farms/projects

Streambanks

Staff retention

Grasing

Technical assistance

Staffing

Funding for tree planting establishment and site prep

Project fixes



Where are your funding gaps?

We need more people resources.

Staffing

Material/labor costs

Implementation cost increases

Implementation stages of plans

Engineering

Project implementation

Staff

Staffing



Where are your funding gaps?

Staff

Staff

Engineer

People/employees

Green infrastructure

Low Estimates

Staff

Staff

We need more people resources



Where are your funding gaps?

Staff

Staff raises

Staff

NoTillDrill

Staff

Technical assistance

Events

Staff

Staff, but it needs to be multi year



Where are your funding gaps?

Gravel and dirt roads

Staff capacity

Big excavator

Money for staffing

Staff

Ditches/storm water

Staff

Stream projects on non-ag land

Non ag buffers



Where are your funding gaps?

Small projects

Capacity

Staff

Long term maintenance

Funding for manure storages

non ag buffers

Staffing

Stream bank stabilization projects

Finding community match for stream erosion stabilization projects.



Where are your funding gaps?

Capacity at districts

Maintenance

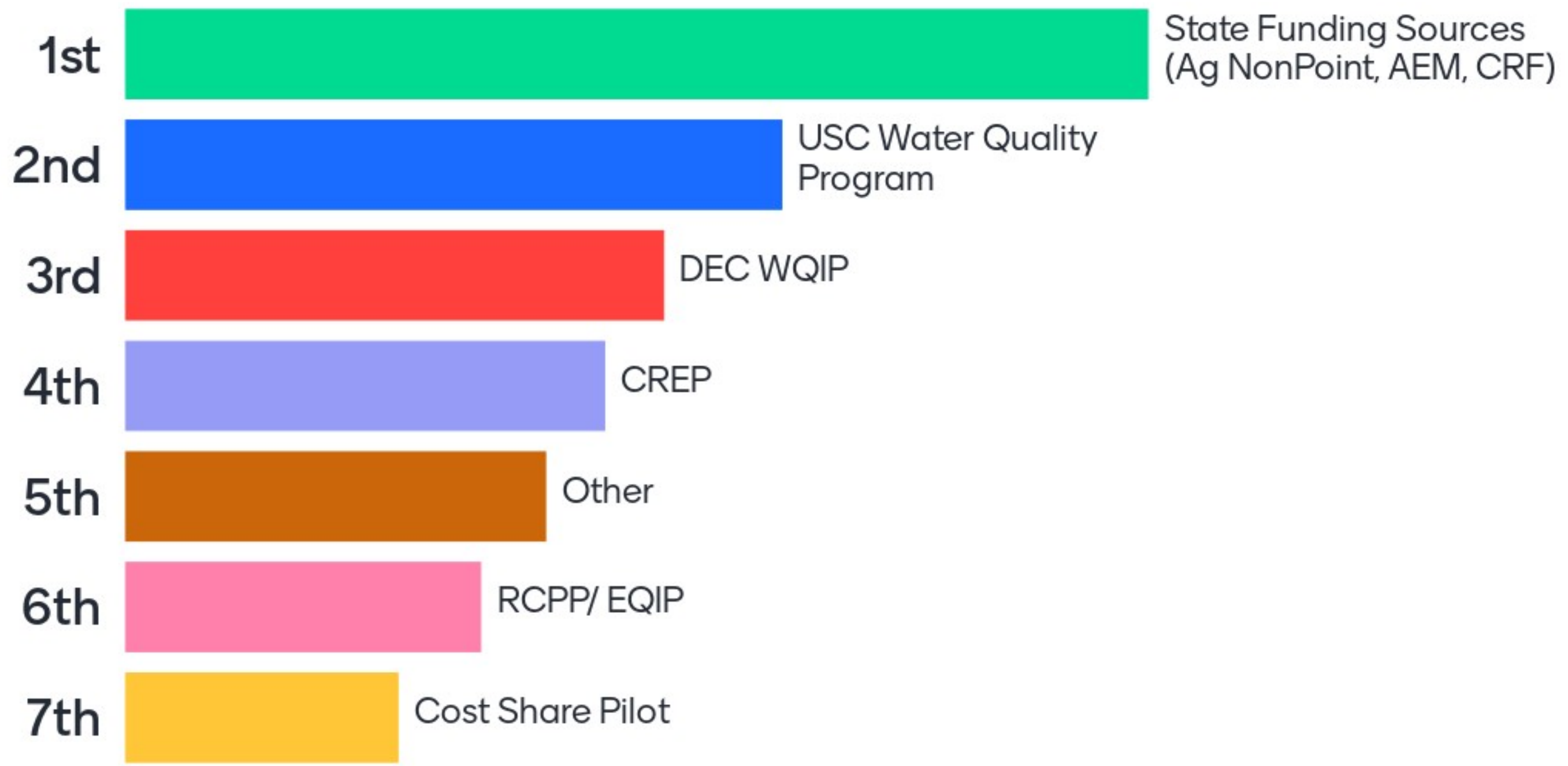
Projects related to trout streams and the need to address them. Funding for small farms and homes near streams
Staffing and engineering

Engineering

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Rank your funding sources from most to least common





What are your program priorities?





What should the USC's priorities be from your perspective?

