Policy Statement
The American Society of Landscape Architects believes waterways are vital corridors of natural and cultural value, comprised of and sustained by diverse biological resources of terrestrial and aquatic origin. In addition, they also contain compelling elements of our heritage while providing recreational potential. The Society supports the protection, enhancement and/or rehabilitation of waterways and their corridors through wise planning and use of best management practices. In addition, the designation of national, state and local river systems and greenways ensures their integrity and function as well as use by all citizens for present and future generations.