

# Conservation & Planning

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“EM-Assist delivered a comprehensive cultural resources program. The company’s responsiveness and well-managed public outreach facilitated compliance and prevented costly delays, and their innovative mitigation solutions earned my program and our installation nationally-recognized U.S. Air Force Cultural Resources Awards.”

– Cultural Resources Program Manager (U.S. Air Force)

EM-Assist’s conservation and planning services protect our nation’s natural and cultural resources. Our experts develop and implement sustainable, integrated solutions to preserve natural habitats and protect environmental assets such as forests, wildlife, and endangered plant and animal species. We work closely with American Indian groups and historic preservation offices to protect our nation’s cultural assets, including archaeological and historic sites.

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Our technology, training, and public outreach expertise enables us to make awareness of natural and cultural resources interesting, interactive, and widely accessible. We excel at collaborating with government agencies and all relevant stakeholders to conceptualize, fund, and develop custom mitigation and public outreach projects that satisfy all parties’ long-term conservation and operational needs. Our comprehensive programs ensure compliance with all relevant federal, state, and local regulations, and we support sustainability by providing accurate inventories and assessments while delivering cost-effective, innovative mitigation solutions.

- › Throughout an implementation program for watershed protection, our **natural resources** and **public relations** work for the State of California involved building partnerships with local communities by providing them with extensive training, reference materials, and technical knowledge to increase their capacity to accurately assess and effectively manage critical watersheds at a local level.
- › In a **sustainability** and **natural resources** project for the Air Force, we conducted wet-season hydrological monitoring, dry-season protocol-level surveys, geographic information systems (GIS) mapping, pre-construction site visits, and training, which achieved the compliance our client required to meet operational needs while protecting natural habitat for threatened and endangered species.
- › During a **cultural resources** and **public relations** project for the Army, we combined our historic preservation and technology expertise to produce an interactive, Web-based, three-dimensional re-creation of a historic site, helping our client to cost-effectively achieve compliance, provide unprecedented public access to a cultural heritage resource, and earn accolades from the state historic preservation office.
- › As part of an American Indian **consultation** project for the Air Force, we developed an American Indian Consultation Program and provided Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) guidance and support, resulting in the transfer of human remains to the appropriate affiliated American Indian Tribe, preservation of the site, and improved stakeholder relations.