

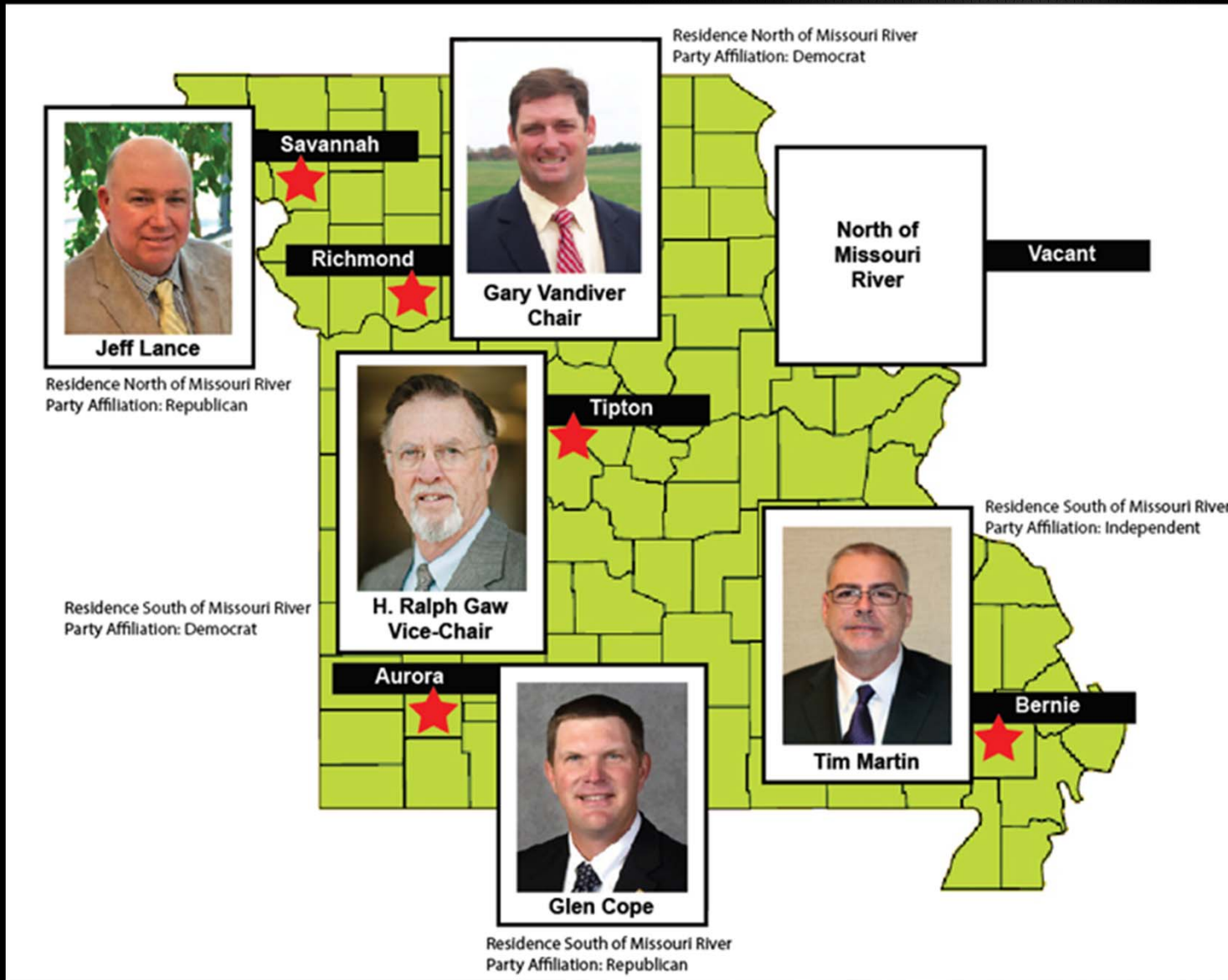


MISSOURI
DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES

Soil & Water Conservation Program/ Commission

MASWCD Area Meetings
July 31 - Aug 3, 2017

Soil and Water Districts Commission



**State Cost-Share
FY2017
(Ending June 30)**

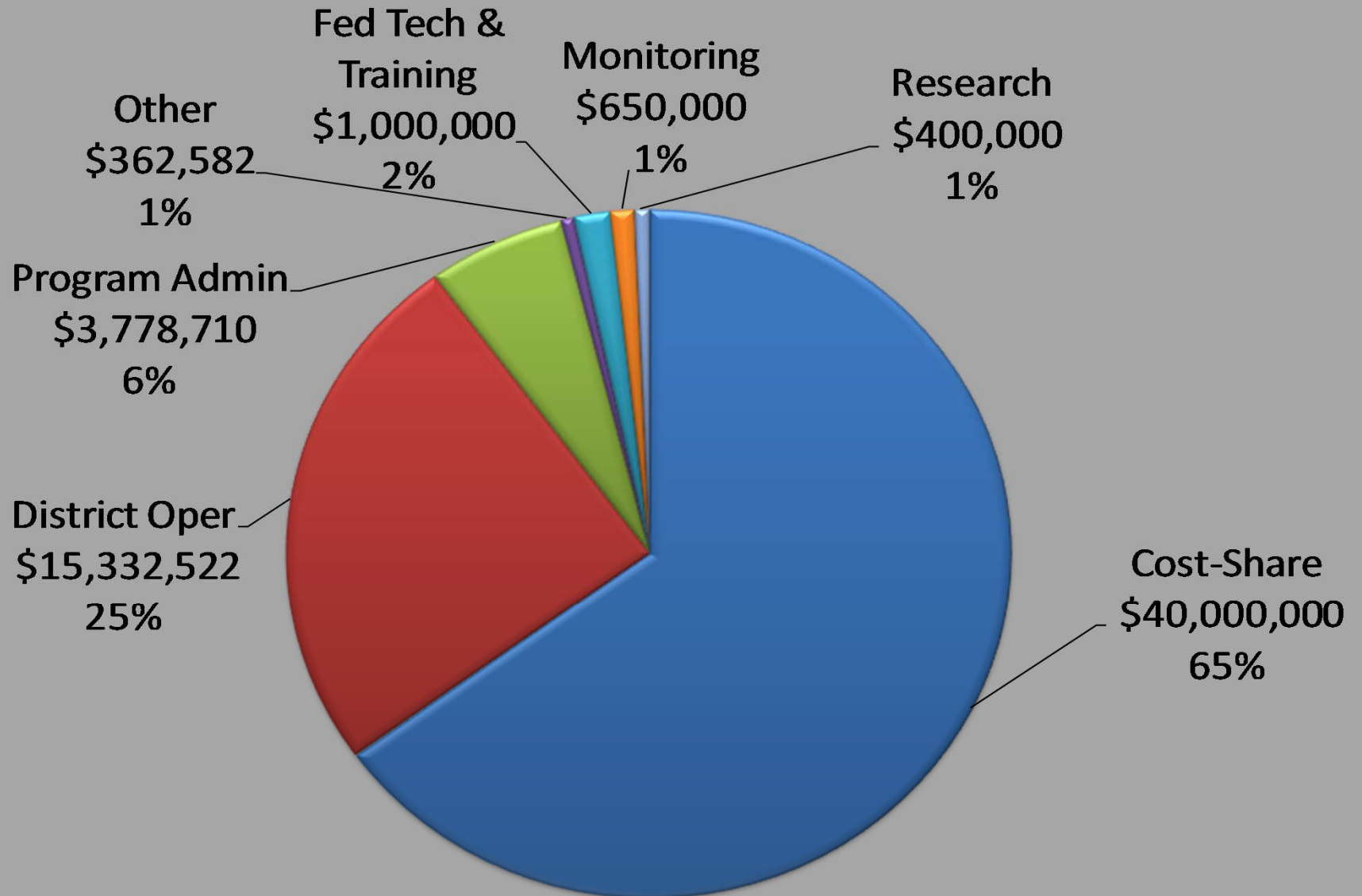
Resource Concern	Number of Contracts	Contract Payments
Animal Waste Management	39	\$1,037,964
Grazing Management	1,068	\$3,957,445
Irrigation Management	219	\$1,258,491
Nutrient & Pest Management	717	\$590,984
Sensitive Areas	314	\$1,620,713
Sheet and Rill/Gully	5,210	\$28,181,171
Woodland Erosion	297	\$1,012,679
TOTAL	7,864	\$37,659,447

Includes Cover

Crops

\$3.8 Million
1782 Contracts
117,000 acres

FY18 Budget - \$61,523,814



2017 Commission & Program Actions

- ✓ DNR/NRCS Joint SWCD Positions - 27
- ✓ Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan Funding

A flat rate incentive payment of \$2,000 for a CNMP completed by a Technical Service Provider for practices handling animal waste.

- ✓ Clarification for DSL-01 Permanent Vegetative Cover Seeding on Cleared Land

To be eligible, the land must be in crop or pasture/hayland for 3 years prior to the DSL-01 contract.

- ✓ DWC-01 Water Impoundment Reservoir (pond)

Commission raised the cost-share maximum from \$10,000 to \$15,000.

✓ Grazing School Funding
Assistance

Offer a one-time grazing school incentive of \$75 at the time of contract payment for a landowner that implements a Grazing System practice.

✓ Increase the per acre maximums for
Grazing System Practices for FY18

Practice	Current Max	New Max
Water Development	\$95	\$110
Water Distribution	\$85	\$120
Fence	\$60	\$70
Lime	\$50	\$50
Seed	\$40	\$40

- ✓ Variance to reconstruction policies for FEMA-4317-DR (48 Counties)
 - **Variance until December 31, 2017 in the declared area**
 - **Reconstruction of soil and water conservation practices currently under a maintenance agreement; assistance on fence reconstruction at 50%; and group components to be paid based on individual components damaged**
 - **Case-by-case basis variance to the no-till requirement in the N340 Cover Crop practice for the incorporation of sand deposits and smoothing areas of flood damage**

- ✓ Variance to reconstruction policies for FEMA-4317-DR
- Allow landowners who repaired the practices under maintenance to receive cost-share provided they have appropriate documentation
- Allow the footage of fence that was damaged on practices under construction to be added to the cost-share contract at 50% cost-share

Soil Health Assessment Center



- Over 1,740 soil health samples for cover crops in cooperation with the cost-share program
- Soil and Water Conservation Program
Cover Crop Incentives on Approximately 117,000 acres

Thank you!

Questions?