Good afternoon,

Purdue University, NRCS and MyFarm collaborated to update MMP to resolve the starting date issue along with other improvements. Here are the improvement with MMP v4.0.

- **Starting Year** The starting year input on the "General" page (and downstream features) has been extended to support new plan creation through 2040.
- Soil Info The SSURGO soil type data was updated on 2/10/2021. This update can be observed by clicking "Fields" then "Soil Info" and reading the "Soil File Rev" date in the upper right corner.
- **Erosion Data** The RUSLE2 Management options and related erosion values have been updated to the latest version published by USDA.

In addition to improving the MMP application itself, they also implemented a MMP Support Site, which contains <u>Tips</u>, <u>FAQs</u> and in-depth <u>Help</u> documentation. They also built this new <u>Contact</u> form, which enables you to submit a formal MMP Support request. Note that the old "MMP Home Page", hosted at <u>Purdue.edu</u>, automatically redirects all visitors to the new MMP Support Site.

ITSD has a deployment setup to run tonight (3/25/2021) after 10:00 PM to update the MMP on the district machines that are on today. We realize there is limitation on employees that are in the offices. If a district employee is in the office and can turn on all district computers, this will help with the deployment. If the computers are not on tonight, please leave them on the next time it is used. The deployment will happen to that computer after 10:00 PM the day it is left on. If you are working in the office today, you just need to log off your computer when leaving.

In the information we received from MyFarm, they stated the old version needs removed prior to installing the new version. Removing the old version is part of the ITSD deployment. However removing the old version will not remove any of the files of plans that you have saved. You will access to your plans with the new version. If you have a shortcut to the old version on your desktop, the shortcut may be removed during the deployment or may have to be updated to link to the new MMP 4.0 version.

Thanks.

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