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DATE: July 15, 2021

TO: All Soil and Water Conservation Districts

FROM: Kurt Boeckmann, Director *KOB*
Soil and Water Conservation Program

SUBJECT: Request for Comments on Irrigation Management Practices

The practices committee will be meeting within a couple of months to review practice policies and Missouri Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts (MASWCD) resolutions to present recommendations to the Soil and Water Conservation Districts Commission for consideration. The Irrigation Management practices is the group of practices up for review at the next committee meeting therefore districts are asked to provide comments on the following practices.

N430 Irrigation Water Conveyance
N442 Irrigation System, Sprinkler
N443 Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface
N447 Irrigation System, Tailwater Recovery
N554 Drainage Water Management
N587 Structure for Water Control

When providing comments, the board and staff may want to consider the following questions for discussion purposes.

- What currently makes the practice successful and needs to continue?
- Are there any practice policies that are prohibiting the practice from being implemented? If so, which policies?
- Does the district have any suggestions for improvements or changes to the current policies?
- Does the district have any suggestion on policies that need added to the practice?

Comments are not limited to answering the questions nor does the district have to provide comments on every practice. When submitting comments, make sure to indicate which practice the comment applies. Please compile all comments from the district in one document and submit via email to soil&waterconservationprogram@swcd.mo.gov by September 10, 2021. The committee members will receive all the comments provided.