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MEMORANDUM
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DATE: January 18, 2023

TO: All Soil and Water Conservation Districts

FROM: Jim Plassmeyer, Director 
Soil and Water Conservation Program

SUBJECT: Cost-Share Handbook Updates

The Soil and Water Conservation Program has updated the Cost-Share Handbook. An electronic version of the updated handbook is available on the district intranet home page at: <https://mosoilandwater.land/internal/cost-share-handbook>.

There were minor edits completed throughout the Eligible Practices section to help clarify policy. The handbook also reflects the practice policy adjustments the Soil and Water Districts Commission made for Fiscal Year 2023. Please refer to Memorandum 2023-001 for details regarding the practice policy changes.

In addition, the DSP-02 Permanent Vegetative Cover Enhancement was updated.

- Updated practice policy stating that poor pasture condition shall include an individual indicator Score of “1” and “2” with a numeric value of 25 or less as determined by the use of the NRCS Pasture Condition Score sheet. The Pasture Condition Score sheet replaced the Agron 24 Sheet.

If you have any questions regarding this memorandum, please contact your district coordinator.
Thank you.