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Natural Resources Conservation Service

2017 Area District Meetings State Conservationist J.R. Flores

USDA Guiding Principles

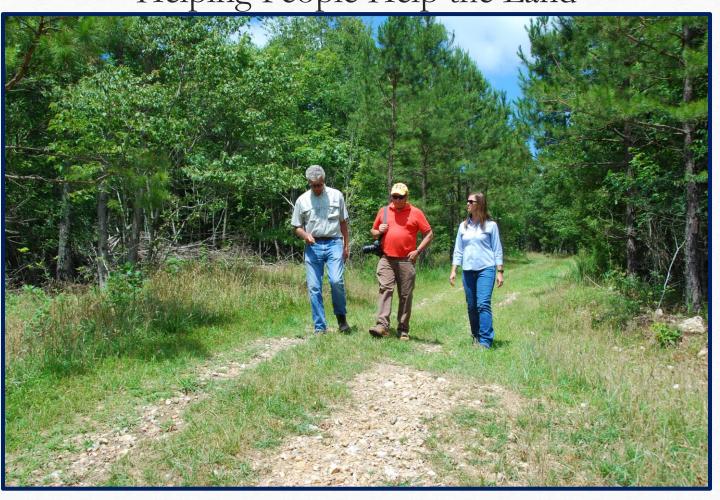
"The only legacy that I seek is the only one that any grandparent or parent seeks – to be good stewards, and to hand off our nation, our home, our fields, our forests, and our farms to the next generation in better shape than we found it."



Secretary of Agriculture, Sonny Perdue Confirmed: April 24, 2017

Missouri NRCS Vision

Helping People Help the Land



Missouri NRCS Priorities



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Conservation Planning



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Technical Assistance



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Soil Health



Luke Skinner Area 1



David Doctorian Area 2



Warren Cork Area 3



Drexel Atkisson Area 4

Technical Assistance

Soil Health





Increased Capacity



Core Partners



Increased Access Conservation Client Gateway



Deliver Farm Bill Programs



Farm Bill Programs FY17 Projected Totals

Program	Contracts	Obligation	Acres Impacted
EQIP	1,122	\$29.0 million	105,000
RCPP-EQIP	78	\$2.5 million	14,000
CSP	2,663	\$22.3 million	1,513,000
RCPP-CSP	40	\$0.43 million	20,000
ACEP (new)	7	\$15.5 million	3,425
ACEP (restoration)	8	\$0.8 million	1,736
EWP	45	\$15 million	200,000
СТА	2	\$5.6 million	2,600
Total	3,963	\$91.1 million	1.9 million

RCPP

Regional Conservation Partnership Program

On-going Projects	Upcoming Projects	
Urban and Rural Farmers - Jackson SWCD	NW MO Water Quality – Holt SWCD	
Grassland Bird – MDC	Improving Working Lands for Monarch – NFWF	
Glades and Woodlands - MDC	Conservation Ranching Program - MDC	
Targeted Watershed Conservation - DNR	Fox River Water Quality – Davis (Iowa) SWCD	
Rice Stewardship - DU		
Little Otter Creek – Caldwell County Commission		
Cover Crops for Soil Health - MDA		

CSPConservation Stewardship Program

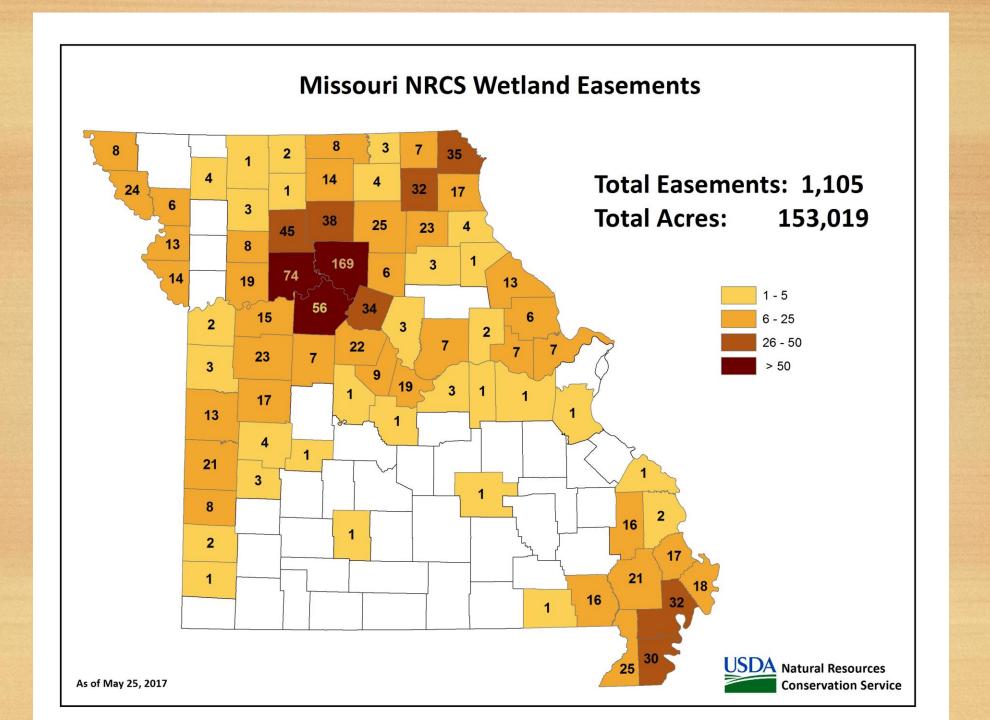


Farm Bill Programs Expectations for FY18 Financial Assistance



Farm Bill Programs Agricultural Conservation Easement Program





Farm Bill Programs
Emergency Watershed Protection Program (EWP)













After



Before







Before



After



After

Before



Before











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