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PRACTICE INTRODUCTION

USDA, Natural Resources Conservation Service - practice code 633

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Applying agricultural waste or other waste on the land in an environmentally acceptable manner while maintaining or improving the natural resources.

PRACTICE INFORMATION

This practice may be used on any land suitable for application of waste as a fertilizer. This includes waste from barnyards, feedlots, dairy operations and other agriculture sources. The waste material may also come from municipal treatment plants and food processing plants.

The purposes of applying this practice include the following:

1. Provide safe disposal of waste material
2. Provide fertility for food and fiber production
3. Improve soil tilth and fertility
4. Reduce erosion
5. Protect water and other natural resources

Additional information including specifications are filed in the local NRCS Field Office Technical Guide.