

STATEMENT OF WORK
Residue Management – No-till and Strip Till (329a)
New York State

These deliverables apply to this individual practice. For other planned practice deliverables refer to those specific Statements of Work.

Items marked with an asterisk (*) will be delivered to the Designated Conservationist

DESIGN

Deliverables:

1. Design documents that demonstrate criteria in NRCS practice standard have been met and are compatible with planned and applied practices
 - a. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
 - b. List of required permits to be obtained by the client
 - c. Practice standard criteria-related computations and analyses to develop plans, specifications and operation and maintenance plan including but not limited to:
 - i. Results of NRCS erosion prediction tools or equivalent, and other applicable technical tools to address targeted criteria
 - ii. Planned residue amount
 - iii. Orientation of residue
 - iv. Distribution of residue
 - v. Timing of soil disturbance
2. ***In cases where the practice location has changed, a statement to NRCS notifying the agency of the change in location as well as a map showing the new practice location. The statement will include the landowner's name, program name, contract number and practice name.**
3. ***Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations.**
4. Design modifications during application as required
5. ***Written plans and specifications including sketches and drawings shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to install the practice and obtain necessary permits.**

INSTALLATION

Deliverables

1. Delay of installation until TSP receives written verification from NRCS that all NEPA requirements have been satisfied for this practice.
2. Pre-application conference with client
3. Verification that client has obtained required permits
4. Application guidance as needed
5. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer
6. ***Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during installation**
7. ***Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations.**

CHECK OUT

Deliverables

1. ***Records of application**
 - a. **Extent of practice units applied**
 - b. **Actual amount of residue present during critical period to meet targeted standard criteria**
2. ***Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations.**
3. Progress reporting

REFERENCES

- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard - Residue Management, No-till and Strip Till – 329a
- NRCS National Agronomy Manual (NAM) parts 501, 502 and 506
- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook