

STATEMENT OF WORK
Stream Habitat Improvement and Management (395)
Maine

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

DESIGN

Deliverables:

1. Design documentation that will demonstrate that the criteria in NRCS practice standard have been met and are compatible with other planned and applied practices.
2. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
3. List of required permits to be obtained by the client.
4. List of facilitating practices
5. Practice standard criteria-related inventories and analyses to develop stream habitat management plans and specifications including but not limited to:
 - a. Resource inventories
 - b. Identification of wildlife targeted species
6. Operation and maintenance plan
7. 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.
8. Certifications that the design meets practice standard criteria and comply with applicable laws and regulations
9. Design modifications during installation as required.

INSTALLATION

Deliverables

1. Verification that client has obtained required permits.
2. Pre-installation conference with client and contractor.
3. Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during installation.
4. Staking and layout according to plans and specifications including applicable layout notes.
5. Installation inspection (according to inspection plan as appropriate).
 - a. Actual materials used.
 - b. Inspection records
6. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer.
7. Certification that the installation process and materials meets design and permit requirements.

CHECK OUT

Deliverables

1. Records of application
 - a. Extent of practice units applied
2. Certification that the installation meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits
3. Progress reporting

REFERENCES

- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard – Stream Habitat Improvement and Management – 395
- National Engineering Handbook, Part 654
- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook
- NRCS National Biology Manual
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