

**NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE**  
**STATEMENT OF WORK**  
**CONTOUR FARMING**  
**CODE 330**

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

**DESIGN (PLANNING REQUIREMENTS)**

---

**Deliverables:**

1. Complete documentation requirements to support Colorado NRCS planning criteria and compatibility with other 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. List all required and/or facilitating practices
  - d. Practice standard criteria-related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
    - i. Minimum/maximum row grade
    - ii. Critical slope length
    - iii. Erosion calculations
    - iv. Minimum ridge height
    - v. Outlet stability
2. Provide written plans and specifications to the client including sketches and drawings that adequately describe the requirements to apply the practice and obtain necessary permits. Develop plans and specifications in accordance with the NRCS Colorado Contour Farming (Code 330) Conservation Practice Standard and Implementation Requirements.
3. Provide a written operation and maintenance plan
4. Provide written certification that the design meets practice standard criteria and complies with applicable laws and regulations
5. Design modifications during application as required documented on the 330 Implementation Requirements Document.
6. Complete Cultural Resources Site Review and Documentation Form (CO-SSC-1), and New Site Report Form (CO-SSC-2), as applicable.

**INSTALLATION**

---

**Deliverables:**

1. Conduct a pre-application conference with the client.
2. Verify that the client has obtained any required permits.
3. Provide application guidance as needed.
4. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer.

5. Advise the client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during the application.
6. Provide certification that the application process and materials meet design and permit requirements.

## **CHECK OUT**

---

### **Deliverables**

1. Records of application
  - a. Actual row grade and ridge height applied
  - b. Extent of practice units applied
2. Certification that the application meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits documented on the 330 Implementation Requirements Document.
3. Progress reporting

## **REFERENCES**

---

USDA, NRCS. 2014. Colorado Field Office Technical Guide, Section IV, Contour Farming 330 Standard. Denver, CO. <http://efotg.sc.egov.usda.gov/references/public/CO/CO330.pdf>

USDA, NRCS. 2014. Colorado Field Office Technical Guide, Section IV, Contour Farming 330 Implementation requirements. Denver, CO.  
[http://efotg.sc.egov.usda.gov/references/public/CO/CO330\\_IR.pdf](http://efotg.sc.egov.usda.gov/references/public/CO/CO330_IR.pdf)

USDA, NRCS. 2011. National Agronomy Manual. Washington, D.C.  
<http://directives.sc.egov.usda.gov/viewerFS.aspx?hid=29606>

USDA, NRCS. 2011. National Environmental Compliance Handbook. Washington, D.C.  
<http://directives.sc.egov.usda.gov/RollupViewer.aspx?hid=29769>

USDA, NRCS. 2003. Cultural Resources Handbook. Washington, D.C.  
<http://directives.sc.egov.usda.gov/RollupViewer.aspx?hid=17090>