



Forage and Biomass Planting (512) Conservation Practice Job Sheet

Colorado

Cooperator: _____ Date: _____
 Tract/Field No.: _____ Planner/Location: _____
 Acres: _____ Irrigated (Y/N): _____
 Contract No.: _____ CIN: _____

Purpose for Planning and Applying this Practice (check all that apply)

- Improve or maintain livestock nutrition and/or health
- Provide or increase forage supply during periods of low forage production
- Reduce soil erosion
- Improve soil and water quality
- Produce feedstock for biofuel or energy production

Specifications

Previous Crop/Cover:	
Weed Management:	<i>See attached Herbaceous Weed Control 315, or IPM 595 Job Sheet</i>
Site/Seedbed Preparation:	
Cover Crop:	<i>See attached Cover Crop 340 Job Sheet</i>
Seeding/Planting Method:	<i>See attached CO-ECS-5, Grass Seeding Planned and Applied</i>
Fertilizer/Soil Amendments:	<i>See attached Nutrient Management 590 Job Sheet</i>
Species Selection/Seeding Rates:	<i>See attached CO-ECS-5, Grass Seeding Planned and Applied</i>
Recommended Legume Inoculant:	
Seed Source:	
Recommended Planting Dates:	<i>See attached CO-ECS-5, Grass Seeding Planned and Applied</i>

Specifications (continued)

Supplemental Water for Establishment:

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Protection of Plantings:

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Additional Requirements/Recommendations

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Operation and Maintenance

Inspect and calibrate equipment prior to use. Continually monitor during planting to maintain proper rate, distribution and depth of planting material.

Monitor new plantings for water stress. Depending on the severity of drought, water stress may require reducing weeds, early harvest of any companion crops, irrigating when possible, or replanting failed stands.

Certification

I have reviewed this plan including the Operation and Maintenance requirements and agree to implement as designed.		
<i>Cooperator</i>		<i>Date</i>
I certify that this application meets practice planning criteria and complies with applicable laws and regulations.		
<i>Conservationist</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Date</i>