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Re: New and Revised Biology Materials

This Technical Guide Notice transmits the following new or revised biology tools and information:

- 1) The revised “[Colorado Wetland Evaluation Procedures Worksheet](#)”, (COWET) accessible in the [Colorado electronic Field Office Technical Guide](#) (eFOTG), go to Section I, H. Technical Notes, Biology, Wetland Habitat Assessment Models.
- 2) The revised “[Colorado State Threatened, Endangered and Candidate Species List](#)” accessible in the eFOTG under Section II, F. Threatened and Endangered Species, 2. Species Identification Aids
- 3) “A Field Guide to the Freshwater Mollusks of Colorado”
- 4) “A [Quick Key to Amphibians and Reptiles of Colorado](#)”
- 5) A revised Index to Biology Technical Notes.

Printing and filing instructions.

District Conservationists are not required to maintain hard copies of the FOTG in their respective Field offices. A copy of this TGN is located in the Transmittals folder in Section I of the eFOTG.

The existing COWET is part of a Colorado amendment to the General Manual (190 GM, Part 483) which will be cancelled under a separate transmittal.

Both the Field Guide to Mollusks and the Key to Amphibians and Reptiles should be added to the Field or Area Office library and listed under references in Section I of the eFOTG.

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Contact Terri Skadeland at 720-544-2813 or email terri.skadeland@co.usda.gov for questions regarding this transmittal. This is the only copy of this Technical Guide Notice you will receive from the State office.

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