



Natural Resources Conservation Service
655 Parfet Street, Room E200C
Lakewood, Colorado 80215
Phone: (720) 544-2810
Fax: (720) 544-2865

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE: NO. 631

4 May 2010

RE: Transmit revised biology technical materials

This is the **only** notice and copy of this information you will receive; you will **not** receive a hard copy. Please follow filing instructions in this notice. Copies of materials may be obtained from the Colorado NRCS website [eFOTG](#).

This Technical Guide Notice:

- ❖ Transmits revised Colorado Threatened, Endangered, and Candidate Species List to eFOTG in Section II, F. Threatened and Endangered Species, 2. Species Identification Aids.
- ❖ Transmits revised wildlife habitat assessment models found in Biology Technical Note #8, found in the e-FOTG in Section I, H - Technical Notes, Biology:
 - Eastern Plains Riparian
 - Playas
 - Hayland
 - Pasture land
 - Mixed Grass
 - Marsh
 - Wet Meadow
- ❖ Transmits revised wildlife species models found in Biology Technical Note #40:
 - Sage-grouse
 - Lesser Prairie-chicken
 - Scaled Quail
 - Columbian Sharp-tailed Grouse
- ❖ Cancels Ferruginous Hawk wildlife species model found in Biology Technical Note #40.
- ❖ Cancels Colorado Wetland Evaluation Procedures Worksheet (COWET) found in Biology Technical Note #8.
- ❖ Issues revised index to Biology Technical Notes found in the e-FOTG in Section I, H - Technical Notes, Biology.
- ❖ Issues Irrigation Technical Note #4 found in the e-FOTG, Section 1, H - Technical Notes, Irrigation.



Printing and Filing Instructions

District Conservationists are not required to maintain a hard copy of the FOTG in their respective field offices. A copy of the Colorado FOTG is maintained at the National Information Technology Center (NITC) Web Farm, which is available to NRCS employees through <https://my.nrcs.usda.gov>.

This notice is filed in [Section I - Transmittals Index](#), which is now in PDF format to comply with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1998.

Contact Information

Contact Terri Sage, State Biologist, at (720) 544-2813 or terri.sage@co.usda.gov, for questions regarding the biology transmittals in this Technical Guide Notice.

Contact Jason Peel, Irrigation Water Management Specialist, at (720)544-2817 or jason.peel@co.usda.gov, for questions regarding Irrigation Technical Note #4, issued by this Technical Guide Notice.

This is the only copy of this notice you will receive from the State Office.

/s/

ALLEN GREEN
State Conservationist

Dist: A, D
SRCs West Region, KS, NE, and OK