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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE IL-237

Purpose: To inform employees of revisions to the Field Office Technical Guide for selected conservation practice standards, statements of work and practice documentation requirements, as well as for the index of conservation practices.

The FOTG can be accessed through the Illinois home page by clicking on "FOTG" or at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg/>.

Location

Summary of Significant Changes

Section IV.

A. Index of Conservation Practices

Index of Conservation Practices – Alphabetical
Index of Conservation Practices - Numerical

For both Alphabetical and Numerical: added column with latest date for each standard.

B. Conservation Practices

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Anaerobic Digester – Ambient Temperature
(365) Standard and Statement of Work

Removed from FOTG. Combined with Anaerobic Digester – Controlled Temperature (366)

Anaerobic Digester (366)
Standard

Name change. Combined Anaerobic Digester – Ambient Temperature (365) and Anaerobic Digester – Controlled Temperature (366).

Anaerobic Digester (366)
Statement of Work

Added detailed information on plans and specifications. Created links to references.

Constructed Wetland (656)
Standard and Specification

Updated to reflect new national standard. Added Construction Specification and Operation and Maintenance (O&M) sheets.

Constructed Wetland (656)
Statement of Work

Added details on required design documentation.

Irrigation Pipeline (430)
Standard and Specification

Name change. All national Irrigation Water Conveyance Pipeline standards (430AA-430GG) combined into Irrigation Pipeline (430). Added O&M sheet.

Irrigation Pipeline (430)
Statement of Work

Added detailed information on required design documentation, plans and specifications, and as-built documentation.

Irrigation Water Conveyance, High-Pressure, Underground, Plastic Pipeline (430DD)

Removed from FOTG. Combined into one standard, *Irrigation Pipeline (430)*.

and

Irrigation Water Conveyance, Low Pressure, Underground, Plastic Pipeline (430EE)
Standards, Specifications and Statements of Work

Terrace (600)
Standard and Specification

Updated to reflect new national standard. Added O&M sheet.

Terrace (600)
Statement of Work

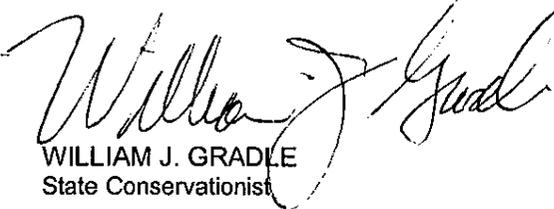
Added detailed information on required design documentation, and as-built documentation.

Documentation and Certification (general list)

Removed from Documentation and Certification general list: *Anaerobic Digester – Ambient Temperature (365), Anaerobic Digester – Controlled Temperature (366), Constructed Wetland (656), Irrigation Water Conveyance, Pipeline (430DD and 430EE), and Terrace (600), along with any associated linked documents.*

Documentation requirements for practices released in TG Notice 237 shall follow the appropriate Statement of Work.

Technical Guide Notice 237 is filed under Section I, "FOTG transmittals" at the FOTG site.



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Attachments

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