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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE IL-320

Purpose: To provide notice of revisions to the Electronic Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG). The eFOTG can be accessed through the Illinois home page by clicking on "eFOTG" or at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg/>.

Location

Summary of Changes

Section IV.A. Index of Conservation Practices

Index of Conservation Practice Standards – Alphabetical

- Updated to include new and revised practice standards
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Index of Conservation Practice Standards - Numerical

Section IV. B. Conservation Practices

Channel Bed Stabilization (584) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Updated Rock Riffle construction specification to Plain Language.

Denitrifying Bioreactor (605) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Adopted new national standard. This standard replaces Interim Standard 747.
- Adopted new national Statement of Work (SOW).
- Added construction specifications, operation and maintenance, and Information sheet to support new standard.

Denitrifying Bioreactor (747) Interim Standard and Supporting Documents

- Interim standard and all supporting documents are removed and replaced with standard Denitrifying Bioreactor (605).

Irrigation System, Microirrigation (441) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.

Pond (378) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard. Added criteria for flows in excess of design flow when no auxiliary spillway present. Criteria for requirement of seepage control for pipes no longer depend on pipe size.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.

Roofs and Covers (367) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard. Specific criteria for treated wood preservatives and compatible fasteners have been added.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Construction specification documents for Roof Structure, Winter Feeding Station, and Compost Bins have been updated with treated wood and fastener criteria.
- Operation and maintenance document for Floating Modular Cover has been updated to match the new standard.

Sprinkler System (442) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard. Minimum value for CU for Center Pivot systems has changed to 85%
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.

Surface Drain, Field Ditch (607) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.

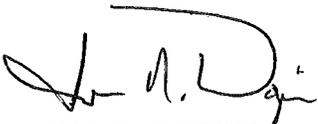
Surface Drain, Main or Lateral (608) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.

Vertical Drain (630) Standard and Supporting Documents

- Standard updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Statement of Work (SOW) updated to reflect changes in the national standard.
- Construction specifications document was updated for clarity.

Technical Guide Notice 320 is filed under Section I, "FOTG transmittals" at the FOTG site.



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Attachments

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