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FIELD OFFICE TECHNICAL GUIDE

LOUISIANA NOTICE 450-238

To provide guidance to NRCS Conservationists on the use and planning of conservation buffer practices, the following National Conservation Practice Job Sheets and Plant Material Technical Notes associated with buffer practices will be incorporated into the Louisiana eFOTG in Section IV under conservation practice Contour Buffer Strips (332), Field Border (386), and Filter Strip (393).

- Conservation Practice Job Sheet - Contour Buffer Strips
- Plant Materials Technical Note No. 5 - Plant Materials for Contour Buffer Strips
- Conservation Practice Job Sheet - Field Border
- Plant Materials Technical Note No. 6 - Plant Materials for Field Borders
- Conservation Practice Job Sheet - Filter Strip
- Plant Materials Technical Note No. 7 - Plant Materials for Filter Strips

In Louisiana other buffer practices that could be planned under a conservation system include: Alley Cropping, Grassed Waterway, Hedgerow, Vegetative Barrier, Riparian Forest Buffer, and Riparian Herbaceous Cover.

Conservationists should become familiar with conservation buffers and utilize the practice whenever possible.

Questions regarding the planning and use of conservation buffers should be directed to Morris Houck, State Plant Materials Specialist, at (318) 473-7761

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