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Di fdcgY. The purpose of this checklist is to provide guidance for components that need to be addressed or included in a Fish and Wildlife Habitat Plan. This checklist is designed for use by NRCS staff as well as Technical Service Providers. Please refer to CAP Development Criteria for specific elements to be addressed.

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<p>5 :]g\ `UbX`K]X`]ZY` < U]H]hD`Ub` is s site-specific plan developed for a client who is ready to plan and implement decisions with consideration for fish and wildlife habitat and other biological resources.</p> <p>Technical Guidance, Criteria, and Content for the Fish & Wildlife Plan is found at the URL: eDirectives http://directives.sc.egov.usda.gov/. Navigate to: Handbooks Title 190 Ecological Sciences, Part 620 – National Biology Handbook.</p> <p>A]b]a i a `W`a dcbYb]g`cZU:]g\ / `K]X`]ZY` < U]H]hD`Ub`g\ U`]bWi XY.`</p>	

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	<p>A. Background and Site Information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Landowner information – name, address, operation, size; 2. Location and plan map of parcel; 3. Documentation of existing practices/history; 4. Resource inventory; 5. Fish and wildlife resource concerns.
	<p>B. Client Objectives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manage working lands for fish and wildlife habitat; 2. Increase populations of selected species or groups; 3. Maintain populations of selected species or groups; 4. Improve habitat for aquatic, wetland, and terrestrial species; 5. Considerations for pollinator habitat and pollinator protection.

	<p>C. Document Existing Criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Conservation plan map – boundaries, fields, streams, surface waters, wetlands, fences, riparian areas, land uses, etc. 2. Soils map - legend, interpretations for fish and wildlife resources; 3. Client's decisions – conservation practices needed to achieve objectives; 4. Habitat assessment (ME-WHEP), written evaluation, or Habitat Suitability Index (HSI) models; 5. Current management activities; 6.
	<p>D. Desired Future Conditions/Goals:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fish and wildlife population levels; 2. Restoration of fish and wildlife species or habitat types
	<p>E. Assessing effects on fish and wildlife populations using statespecific habitat assessment guides, including ME-WHEP and ME-ECS-1</p>
	<p>F. Conservation Practices and/or Activities and Support Documents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fish and wildlife-related Conservation Practice Standards; 2. Habitat assessment guides (State-specific); 3. Requirements from State-specific Field Office Technical Guide.

Yes	No	Checklist Approval
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I have reviewed this Fish and Wildlife Habitat Plan and it meets all the requirements of this checklist.
Notes (If "No" is checked, include reasons for denial, comments, missing items that need to be added, etc.):		
NRCS Representative Name and Title (print or type):		
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