

Conservation Effects

Land use: Headquarters

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Resource Setting: Headquarters with livestock, adjacent to surface water.

RMS Alternative #2

Agrichemical Containment Facility (702)

Diversion (362)

Fence (382)

Grade Stabilization Structure (410)

Heavy Use Area Protection (561)

Riparian Forest Buffer (391)

Streambank and Shoreline Protection (580)

Waste Utilization (633)

Watering Facility (614)

Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (380)

Typical Resource Concerns	Practice(s) that treat the resource concern to Quality Criteria levels*	Comments
SOIL Erosion		
1) Classic gully/concentrated flow erosion	Diversion (362) Grade Stabilization Structure (410)	gullies stabilized
2) Other erosion	Heavy Use Area Protection (561) Streambank and Shoreline Protection (580)	areas stabilized
WATER Quality – ground water		
1) Pesticides	Agrichemical Containment Facility (702)	pesticide movement minimized
2) Nutrients	Agrichemical Containment Facility (702) Waste Utilization (633)	nutrient movement minimized
3) Pathogens	Waste Utilization (633)	Pathogen movement to groundwater is minimized
WATER Quality – surface water		
1) Pesticides	Agrichemical Containment Facility (702) Riparian Forest Buffer (391)	Pesticide movement minimized
2) Livestock operations	Riparian Forest Buffer (391) Waste Utilization (633)	Manure and nutrient movement minimized.
WATER Quantity – no concern		
AIR		
1) Airborne Chemical Drift	Agrichemical Containment Facility (702)	Application in compliance with laws and consistent with Drift Management Plan.
2) Airborne Odors		No complaints or complaints resolved.
PLANTS - no concern		

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ANIMAL Habitat		
1) Warmwater and coldwater fisheries	Riparian Forest Buffer (391)	35 feet of permanent vegetation along watercourses
ANIMAL Management		
1) Domestic animal wellbeing	Fence (382) Heavy Use Area Protection (561) Watering Facility (614) Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (380)	Care of animals regarding food, water, shelter and safety consistent with GAAMPs.

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