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**TECHNICAL GUIDE  
NOTICE #210 (electronic)**

**Purpose:** To transmit information regarding the electronic NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG).

**Effective Date:** This notice is effective upon receipt.

**Notice of Changes:**

**SECTION I: General Resource References**

**Maps**

The eight-digit hydrologic map unit key has been updated. The Michigan Geology (Bedrock and Quaternary) Maps have new web links.

Technical questions pertaining to the above should be directed to Sean Duffey, State Geologist, at (517) 324-5247.

**SECTION II: Natural Resources Information**

**Climatic Data**

NRCS has updated the Michigan monthly precipitation data by county and the Michigan 24-hour precipitation by county.

Technical questions pertaining to the above should be directed to Steve Davis, State Conservation Engineer, at (517) 324-5232.

**SECTION IV: Practice Standards and Specifications**

Pasture and Hay Seeding Calculator has been added to the Technical Tools subsection, Pasture Tools folder.

Technical questions pertaining to the above should be directed to Betsy Dierberger, Grassland/Forage Specialist, at (517) 324-5265.

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DIST: All Holders of the Field Office Technical Guide

Questions regarding eFOTG content management should be directed to Gary Rinkenberger, Resource Conservationist, at (517) 324-5266.

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