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The following Missouri conservation practice standard, specifications, drawings and statement of work have been posted on the Missouri eFOTG:

Fence (382) – Standard, Specifications, Drawings and Statement of Work

The Missouri Conservation Practice Standard for 382, Fence has been revised to reflect changes in the National Conservation Practice Standard. The specifications have been separated from the standard and are contained in 2 separate documents: 382 Fence Specifications – Barbed Wire, Woven Wire & Suspension; 382 Fence Specifications – Electric. Also, wire height and number, corner post size and bracing, and line post size and spacing specifications have been summarized in table form and are attached to each specification. Major changes have been made in the minimum number of wires for different types of livestock and purposes. Refer to Table 1 of the specifications for current minimum number and spacing on wire. There are minor changes to some of the post sizes and materials which will be reflected in Tables 2 and 3. Personnel assisting landowners with the planning and design of fences should become familiar with these new specifications.

If you have any questions regarding the material in this transmittal, please contact Mark Kennedy, State Grassland Conservationist, Top of the Ozarks RC&D, Houston, MO.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Roger A. Hansen".

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