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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE NO. 130

This notice announces the posting of an updated Section I, Critical Wind Erosion Period Method and a Table of Contents for Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications to the Montana eFOTG. Additionally, posted are new and updated standards, specifications, and conservation practice job sheets—which have been updated to reflect the current technology, National policy, and Montana NRCS policy in Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications of the Montana FOTG.

These updates can be accessed on the Montana eFOTG website under Section I and Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications of the FOTG. You can access the Montana eFOTG site at <http://my.nrcs.usda.gov> or <http://www.mt.nrcs.usda.gov>.

Note: The State Office will maintain an archived copy of all outdated Section I additions and Practice Standards and associated Specifications and Job Sheets on the Montana eFOTG site under Section IV, Conservation Practices. Field Offices need to remove outdated files, but do not need to archive.

The new and updated Section IV conservation practice standards, specifications, and job sheets are listed below:

- 560—Access Road: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 316—Animal Mortality Facility: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 370—Atmospheric Resource Quality Management: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 317—Composting Facility: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 342—Critical Area Planting: JOB SHEET.
- 402—Dam: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 554—Drainage Water Management: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 320—Irrigation Canal or Lateral: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 443—Irrigation System, Surface, and Subsurface: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 460—Land Clearing: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 468—Lined Waterway or Outlet: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 457—Mine Shaft and Adit Closing: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 512—Pasture and Hayland Planting: JOB SHEET.
- 555—Rock Barrier: PRACTICE STANDARD.
- 645—Upland Wildlife Habitat Management: SPECIFICATION.
- 642—Water Well: PRACTICE STANDARD.

Filing Instructions:

REMOVE

FOTG, Section I

FOTG, Section I, Part 1, Critical Wind Erosion Period Method, pages Forward and Title Page and A1 through C-43, dated June 1993.

FOTG, Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications.

Table of Contents, pages 1-11, dated September 2004.

560—Access Road (FEET), Standard, pages 560-1 through 560-5, dated February 2004.

317—Composting Facility (No.), Standard, pages 317-1 through 328(317)-3, dated September 2004.

342—Critical Area Planting (ACRE), Job Sheet, pages MT342-JS1 through MT342-JS2, dated August 2003.

402—Dam (NUMBER and ACRE-FEET), Standard, pages 402-1 through 402-4, dated January 2004.

554—Drainage Water Management, Montana Statewide Standard, page 554-1, dated July 1989; National Supplement, page 554-NS-1, dated July 1989; Montana Statewide (Water Table Control), pages 641(554)-1 through 641(554)-3, dated July 1989.

320—Irrigation Canal or Lateral (FEET), Standard, pages 320-1 through 320-3, dated February 2004.

INSERT

FOTG, Section I

FOTG, Section I, Erosion Prediction, pages 1 through 22, dated July 2004; Erosion Prediction Appendix, pages 1 through 42, dated July 2004.

FOTG, Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications.

Table of Contents, pages 1-11, dated October 2004.

560—Access Road (FEET), Standard, pages, 560-1 through 560-5, dated October 2004.

316—Animal Mortality Facility (No.), Standard, pages 316-1 through 316-6, dated October 2004.

370—Atmospheric Resource Quality Management (Ac.), Standard, pages 370-1 through 370-3, dated October 2004.

317—Composting Facility (No.), Standard, pages 317-1 through 317-3, dated October 2004.

342—Critical Area Planting (ACRE), Job Sheet, pages MT342-JS1 through MT342-JS2, dated October 2004.

402—Dam (NUMBER and ACRE-FEET), Standard, pages 402-1 through 402-4, dated October 2004.

554—Drainage Water Management (ACRE), Standard, pages 554-1 through 554-2, dated October 2004.

320—Irrigation Canal or Lateral (FEET), Standard, pages 320-1 through 320-3, dated October 2004.

443—Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface (NO. & ACRE), Standard, pages 443-1 through 443-4, dated February 2004.

443—Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface (NO. & ACRE), Standard, pages 443-1 through 443-4, dated October 2004

460—Land Clearing (ACRE), Standard, pages 460-1 through 460-2, dated February 2004.

460—Land Clearing (ACRE), Standard, pages 460-1 through 460-2, dated October 2004.

468—Lined Waterway or Outlet (FEET), Montana Statewide Standard, pages 468-1 through 468-5, dated July 1989; National Supplement, page 468-NS-1, dated July 1989.

468—Lined Waterway or Outlet (FEET), Standard, pages 468-1 through 468-4, dated October 2004.

457—Mine Shaft and Adit Closing (No.), Standard, pages 457-1 through 457-3, dated April 2004.

457—Mine Shaft and Adit Closing (No.), Standard, pages 457-1 through 457-3, dated October 2004.

555—Rock Barrier (Ft), Montana Statewide Standard, pages 555-1 through 555-3, dated July 1989; National Supplement, page 555-NS-1, dated July 1989.

555—Rock Barrier (FEET), Standard, pages 555-1 through 555-2, dated October 2004.

645—Upland Wildlife Habitat Management (ACRE), Specification, pages Specification MT645-1 through MT645-25, dated September 2004.

645—Upland Wildlife Habitat Management (ACRE), Specification, pages Specification MT645-1 through MT645-20, dated October 2004.

642—Water Well (No.), Standard, pages MT642-1 through MT642-4, dated June 1995.

642—Water Well (No.), Standard, pages 642-1 through 642-5, dated October 2004.

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