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This notice announces the posting of an updated Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications to the Montana eFOTG. Section IV updates some Conservation Practice Standards, Specifications and Jobsheets.

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Note: The State Office will maintain an archived copy of all outdated Practice Standards and associated Specifications and Job Sheets on the Montana eFOTG site under Section IV, Conservation Practices, Archived Practices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 Field Offices need to remove outdated files, but do not need to archive.

The new and updated conservation practices are listed below:

- 591—Amendments for Treatment of Agricultural Waste: STANDARD
- 589C—Cross Wind Strips: STANDARD, SPECIFICATION, JOB SHEET
- 353—Monitoring Well: STANDARD
- 572—Spoil Spreading: STANDARD

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FOTG, Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications	FOTG, Section IV—Practice Standards and Specifications
	591—Amendments for Treatment of Agricultural Waste (ANIMAL UNITS), Standard, pages 591-1 through 592-2, dated July 2005.
589C—Cross Wind Strips (ACRE), Standard, pages Standard MT589C-1 through Standard MT589C-4, dated August 2000; Specification, pages MT589C-1 through MT589C-2, dated August 2000.	589C—Cross Wind Strips (ACRE), Standard, pages 589C-1 to 589C-3, dated July 2005; Specification, pages Specification MT589C-1 through Specification MT589C-3, dated July 2005; Job Sheet, pages MT589C-JS1 through MT589C-JS2, dated July 2005.

	353—Monitoring Well (NUMBER), Standard, pages 353-1 through 353-3, dated July 2005.
572—Spoil Spreading (ACRE), Statewide Standard, page 572-1, dated July 1989; National Supplement, pages 572-NS-1, dated July 1989.	572—Spoil Spreading (ACRE), Standard, pages 572-1 through 572-2, dated July 2005.

If you have any questions regarding the vegetative practice, please contact Jerry Schaefer, Economist, at (406) 587-6829, gerald.schaefer@mt.usda.gov; or Ronald Nadwornick, State Resource Conservationist, at (406) 587-6998, ronald.nadwornick@mt.usda.gov.

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