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STATEMENT OF WORK Feed Management (592) Maryland

These deliverables apply to this individual practice. For other planned practice deliverables, refer to those specific Statements of Work.

DESIGN

Deliverables:

1. Design documents that demonstrate criteria in NRCS practice standard have been met and are compatible with planned and applied practices
 - a. Practice purpose(s) as identified in the conservation plan.
 - b. List of required permits to be obtained by the client
 - c. List all required and/or facilitating practices
 - d. Practice standard criteria-related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
 - i. Kind, size and number of livestock
 - ii. Diet recommendations
 - iii. Feed analysis
 - iv. Manure analysis
2. Written plans and specifications shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to apply the practice and obtain necessary permits.
3. Operation and maintenance plan
4. Certification that the design meets practice standard criteria and complies with applicable laws and regulations
5. Design modifications during application as required
6. Design work shall be in accordance with the Maryland conservation practice standard. Plans shall be prepared in accordance with the **PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS** section of the Maryland standard.

INSTALLATION

Deliverables

1. Pre-application conference with client
2. Verification that client has obtained required permits
3. Application guidance as needed
4. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer
5. Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during application.
6. Certification that the application process and materials meets design and permit requirements
7. Implementation and certification shall be in accordance with the **OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE** and **SUPPORTING DATA AND DOCUMENTATION** sections of the Maryland conservation practice standard.

CHECK OUT

Deliverables

1. Records of application
 - a. Extent of practice units applied
 - b. Actual materials used
2. Certification that the application meets NRCS standards and specifications and is in compliance with permits
3. Progress reporting
4. Exit conference with client and contractor.
5. Check-out and certification shall be in accordance with the **SUPPORTING DATA AND DOCUMENTATION** section of the Maryland conservation practice standard.

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REFERENCES

- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard
Feed Management – 592
NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook

Note: *All references listed in the References section of the Maryland conservation practice standard are applicable.*