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MARYLAND TECHNICAL GUIDE  
CHANGE NOTICE NO. 102

**Purpose.** To announce the new location for Maryland-specific CRP technical references, and distribute existing and revised Maryland Continuous-CRP (CCRP) and CREP technical references and documents.

**Effective Date.** Upon receipt.

**Explanation.** Section I:

- A new subsection of Section I of the FOTG, subsection *I-I CRP/CREP Technical References* was created, and will be the new location for NRCS technical references and documents related specifically to the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) in Maryland, including CCRP and CREP.
- The following Maryland CCRP and CREP technical references and documents will be filed in this new subsection:
  - CRP Soils Database Management and EI Calculator (web link)
  - Habitat for Upland Birds (CP33) Job Sheet (PDF)
  - Habitat for Upland Birds (CP33) Job Sheet (Word Template)
  - Habitat for Upland Birds (CP33) Technical Criteria
  - Maryland CREP Technical Reference
  - MD CRP/CREP Attachment to Implementation Requirements
  - Summary of Continuous-CRP Practices
  - Summary of Maryland CREP Practices

These technical references will be removed from the CRP section of the Maryland NRCS website.

- The *MD CRP/CREP Attachment to Implementation Requirements*, formerly the *MD CRP/CREP Attachment to Job Sheets*, has been revised to incorporate reference to implementation requirements, and include information on customary forestry activities.

**Filing Instructions.**

Section I:

- File this Change Notice, the Change Notice Register, and Section I Contents in the front of Section I of the FOTG.
- Create a new subsection: *I-I CRP/CREP Technical References*.
- File all of the documents listed above in the new subsection *I-I*.

Distribution. All documents may be downloaded from the MD NRCS eFOTG web page:  
<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg>

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#### Attachments

DIST: Maryland NRCS Field Offices (w/attachments)  
Maryland State Technical Committee (Change Notice only)