

Instructions

Conservation Planner Certification Form NE-CPA-92

Instructions for use of NE-CPA-92

This form is completed by the State Conservationist (approved by), dated and returned to the Conservation Planner and the Supervisor. A copy is kept in the State Office.

LEVEL I—Planner. One RMS conservation plan w/ minimum of two land uses covered in the plan.

LEVEL II—Planner. One RMS conservation plan w/ minimum of three land uses covered in the plan or one complex conservation plan with two land uses.

Level III ---Professional Planning Specialist. One RMS conservation plan with at least four land uses covered in the plan or one complex conservation plan with three land uses.

For definitions of types of plans, land uses, conservation management units, etc., see the glossary in the National Planning Procedures Handbook.

Support References

National Planning Procedure Handbook (NPPH) 600.23, 600.24, 600.27, 600.31, 600.40, 600.43, 600.44, 600.45
<http://policy.nrcs.usda.gov/viewerFS.aspx?id=73>

National Planning Procedure Handbook, Nebraska State Supplements
http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/Nebraska_Supplements_Index.pdf

Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard – Table of Contents,
http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/Sect4_TOC_Practice_Standards_and_Specifications.pdf

NE-CPA-52; including the required Guide Sheet attachments for the Field Inventory, Cultural Resources, and Endangered and Threatened Species [http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/NE-CPA-52_\(Instructions\).xls](http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/NE-CPA-52_(Instructions).xls)

Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Sec. III Resource Quality Criteria by Landuse
http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/Table2_RMS_Conservation_Planning_Guides.pdf

Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Sec. IV NE Conservation Planning Forms, Implementation Guidance and NEPA Tiering References)
http://efotg.nrcs.usda.gov/references/public/NE/Sect4_TOC_Practice_Standards_and_Specifications.pdf

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