

U.S. Department Of Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service
Nevada

**Operation and Maintenance Plan
Access Road (560)**

Landowner/Operator: _____
Project: _____
Location: _____ Sec. _____ T. _____ R. _____
NRCS Office: _____ Phone: _____

A properly operated and maintained access road is an asset to the farm. The estimated life span of the installation is at least 10 years and can be assured and usually increased by carrying out the following recommendations.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST

- ✓ Check all rock riprap sections and other structural sections for accelerated weathering and displacement. Replace to original grades if necessary.
- Maintain vigorous growth of desirable vegetation. This includes reseeding, fertilization, weeding by hand, and application of herbicides when necessary. Periodic mowing may also be needed to control height.
- All erosion or settlement or cracks in the soil should be investigated (to determine the cause) and repaired. Regrade road surface as needed.
- Maintain installed fences to control access.
- Remove debris that may become unsightly or cause damage.
- Remove rodents or burrowing animals that are causing damage. Repair any damage caused by their activity.
- Repair any vandalism, vehicular or livestock damage.

Other _____

