

**STATEMENT OF WORK**  
**Woody Residue Treatment (384)**  
**New York State**

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

Items marked with an asterisk (\*) will be delivered to the Designated Conservationist.

## DESIGN

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### 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. Practice standard criteria-related computations and analyses to develop plans and specifications including but not limited to:
    - i. Condition, amount and extent of residual slash
    - ii. Slash treatment method (i.e. burning, chipping, lop and scatter, removal, crushing)
    - iii. Timing of treatment
    - iv. Special requirements for identified additional practice standard criteria
2. **Written plans and specifications including sketches and drawings shall be provided to the client that adequately describes the requirements to install the practice and obtain necessary permits.**
3. **\*Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations**
4. Design modifications during installation as required.

## INSTALLATION

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### Deliverables:

1. Delay of installation until TSP receives written verification from NRCS that all NEPA requirements have been satisfied for this practice.
2. Pre-application conference with client
3. Verification that client has obtained required permits.
4. Layout and applicable layout notes.
5. Application guidance as needed.
6. Facilitate and implement required design modifications with client and original designer.
7. **\*Advise client/NRCS on compliance issues with all federal, state, tribal, and local laws, regulations and NRCS policies during installation.**
8. **\*Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations**

## CHECK OUT

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### Deliverables:

1. **\*Records of application.**
  - a. **Extent of practice units applied**
  - b. **Actual amount of residue present during critical period to meet targeted standard criteria**

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2. **\*Signed *Warranty of Technical Services Provided* form indicating compliance with practice standard criteria and applicable laws and regulations**
3. Progress reporting.

**REFERENCES**

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- NRCS Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG), Section IV, Conservation Practice Standard – Forest Slash Treatment, 384
- NRCS National Forestry Handbook (NFH), Part 636
- NRCS National Environmental Compliance Handbook
- NRCS Cultural Resources Handbook