

**FIELD OFFICE TECHNICAL GUIDE (FOTG)
450-VI
AMENDMENT WA5**

The eFOTG-Section IV is the official repository for all NRCS-WA conservation practice standards, jobsheets, worksheets, and specifications for every office. There is an archive folder on the eFOTG-Section IV. There is no need to print and file hardcopies in the local FOTG of the documents being transmitted by this amendment. Only the Index of Conservation Practices needs to be printed and filed.

Purposes.

- Transmit new contents for Tab 2. Index of Conservation Practices.
- Remove Prescribed Burning (338) conservation practice standard from NRCS-Washington's FOTG.

Effective Date. This notice is effective when received.

Explanation.

The following practice is no longer available for use in Washington State.

Table 1 NHCP Standards removed from NRCS-WA FOTG				
Conservation Practices	Code	WA Index Date	WA Std Date	NTL Date
Prescribed Burning	338	1/2001		1/2001

Table 2 Revised Standards				
Conservation Practice s	Code	Revision Date	WA Std Date	
Filter Strip	393	5/2003	1/13/2004	

Instructions.

1. Print a copy of the current NRCS-WA Index of Conservation Practices (March 4, 2004) index from the eFOTG and replace the index in the hardcopy eFOTG-Section IV, Tab 2.
2. Archive as appropriate the standard, specification, and documentation checklist of the conservation practice listed in Table 1 NHCP Standards removed from NRCS-WA FOTG
3. Archive as appropriate the previous standard for Filter Strip (393).

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