



OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE
Obstruction Removal (WV500)

_____ Land Owner _____ Service Center
_____ County _____ Date

A properly operated and maintained **Obstruction Removal (500)** is an asset and with proper management will protect the natural resources. The safe removal and disposal of buildings, structures, other works of improvement, vegetation, debris or unwanted obstructions, in order to apply conservation practices or facilitate the planned land use, is an important asset to your conservation plan.

This practice will be maintained for the life span which is **10** years and if any component fails during this time frame, it shall be replaced. Correct, repair, or replace necessary parts as needed and

- Periodically check to ensure the site remains stable after the obstruction removal.
- When disposal of debris occurs on site, periodically check to ensure that the disposal site remains stable.
- Repair any problems, such as eroding areas as soon as possible.
- Maintain vegetation, where required, by mowing, fertilization, liming, or reseeding.

Other Specific Requirements:

Reference engineering plan: _____

<u>Inspection</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Items to be Repaired and Corrective Action Taken</u>	<u>Repair</u> <u>Date</u>
_____	_____	_____
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Contact your local NRCS office for any additional technical assistance you might need for implementation of this O&M plan.

This O&M Plan was discussed and a copy provided to the landowner/operator.

Signed by the Responsible NRCS Employee/Conservation Partner _____ *Date*