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SECTION IV
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Purpose

To inform WV NRCS offices about the new or revised conservation practices and materials, located within Section IV of the West Virginia Field Office Technical Guide (FOTG).

Any previous versions of these documents are archived and should no longer be used for conservation planning.

Revised West Virginia Practice Table of Contents

West Virginia Practice Table of Contents – May 2016

New/Revised/Removed Conservation Practice Standards

National Conservation Practice Standards are now being created in a new one-column format. WV is beginning to update the WV Conservation Practice Standards to this new format as new National Conservation Practice Standards are issued.

Riparian Forest Buffer (391) – May 2016 – Revised

Revised for 5-year update – minor changes included increasing requirement for planted species from at least two (2) species to at least three (3) species, limiting to cultivars to 30% of the planting stock, requiring that a seed source be within 250 feet for natural regeneration and giving parameters for success when determining success of planting (Operation and Maintenance).

Statements of Work

None

New/Revised Job Sheet, Technical Notes, Worksheets, Guide, O&M, Specification, Check Out, other

Job Sheets

WV Riparian Forest Buffer – May 2016 - Revised to reflect changes to the standard described above.

Other

Riparian Forest Buffer (391) WV Supplement – Recommended Tree/Shrub Species – May 2016

Riparian Forest Buffer (391) WV Supplement – Recommended Tree/Shrub Planting Maintenance – May 2016

WV Riparian Forest Buffer Management/Maintenance Supplement – CRP and CREP – May 2016

WV Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program Site Visit Documentation Worksheet – May 2016

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Archived Materials

Riparian Forest Buffer (391) Standard – April 2011

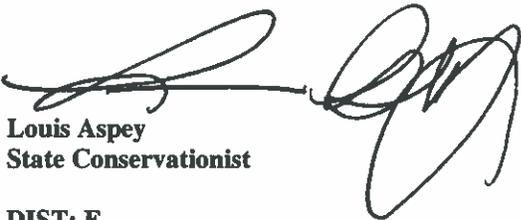
Riparian Forest Buffer (391) Job Sheet – April 2011

Riparian Forest Buffer (391) WV Supplement – Recommended Tree/Shrub Species – October 2003

WV Riparian Forest Buffer Management/Maintenance Supplement – CRP and CREP – April 2004

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