

**NRCS CONSERVATION PRACTICE STANDARDS
EXEMPT FROM PERMITTING UNDER CLEAN WATER ACT SECTION 404(f)(1)(A)**

| Practice # | Practice Name | Creation Date |
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| 314 | Brush Management | Sep-09 |
| 315 | Herbaceous Weed Control | Apr-10 |
| 320 | Irrigation Canal or Lateral | Sep-10 |
| 326 | Clearing and Snagging | Jul-10 |
| 327 | Conservation Cover | Sep-10 |
| 338 | Prescribed Burning | Sep-10 |
| 342 | Critical Area Planting | Dec-13 |
| 353 | Monitoring Well | Sep-10 |
| 380 | Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment | May-11 |
| 382 | Fence | Apr-13 |
| 383 | Fuel Break | Apr-05 |
| 386 | Field Border | Dec-13 |
| 388 | Irrigation Field Ditch | Apr-11 |
| 390 | Riparian Herbaceous Cover | Sep-10 |
| 391 | Riparian Forest buffer | Jul-10 |
| 393 | Filter Strip | Dec- 13 |
| 394 | Firebreak | Sep-10 |
| 395 | Stream Habitat Improvement & Management | Sep-10 |
| 396 | Aquatic Organism Passage | Apr-11 |
| 398 | Fish Raceway or Tank | Sep-09 |
| 399 | Fishpond Management | Sep-11 |
| 400 | Bivalve Aquaculture Gear & Biofouling Control | Apr-11 |
| 412 | Grassed Waterway | Apr-10 |
| | NOTE: activities that convert waters to non-waters are not exempt | |
| 422 | Hedgerow Planting | Sep-10 |
| 423 | Hillside Ditch | May-08 |
| 453 | Land Reclamation, Landslide Treatment | Feb-05 |
| 455 | Land Reclamation, Toxic Discharge Control | May-05 |
| 460 | Land Clearing | Sep-11 |
| 484 | Mulching | May-11 |
| 490 | Tree/Shrub Site Preparation | Jan-06 |
| 500 | Obstruction Removal | Jan-10 |
| 511 | Forage Harvest Management | Apr-10 |
| 512 | Forage and Biomass Planting | Jan-10 |
| 528 | Prescribed Grazing | Sep-10 |
| 533 | Pumping Plant | May-11 |
| 543 | Land Reclamation, Abandoned Mined Land | Aug-06 |
| 544 | Land Reclamation, Currently Mined Land | Aug-06 |
| 548 | Grazing Land Mechanical Treatment | Sep-10 |
| | NOTE: chiseling or deep ripping in wetlands is not exempt | |
| 550 | Range Planting | Apr-10 |
| 568 | Trails and Walkways | Jan-10 |
| 575 | Animal Trails and Walkways | Apr-10 |

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| 578 | <u>Stream Crossing</u> | Sep-11 |
| 587 | <u>Structure for Water Control</u> | Apr-10 |
| 601 | <u>Vegetative Barrier</u> | Jan-10 |
| 612 | <u>Tree/Shrub Establishment</u> | May-11 |
| 643 | <u>Restoration and Management of Rare and Declining Habitats</u> | Sep-10 |
| 644 | <u>Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management</u> | Sep-10 |
| 646 | <u>Shallow Water Development and Management</u> | Sep-10 |
| 647 | <u>Early Successional Habitat Development /Management</u> | Sep-10 |
| 650 | <u>Windbreak/Shelterbelt Renovation</u> | Jul-10 |
| 654 | <u>Road/Trail/Landing Closure and Treatment</u> | Nov-08 |
| 655 | <u>Forest Trails and Landings</u> | Sep-11 |
| 657 | <u>Wetland Restoration</u> | Sep-10 |
| 659 | <u>Wetland Enhancement</u> | Sep-10 |
| 660 | <u>Tree/Shrub Pruning</u> | Jan-06 |
| 666 | <u>Forest Stand Improvement</u> | May-11 |