



**U.S. Department of Agriculture  
Conservation Reserve Program CP42 Pollinator Habitat**

**Documentation of Suitability and Feasibility Worksheet (Version 2.1 May 2019)**

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| Name of Client: |                  | Client Phone Number: (      ) _____ - _____ |         |
|                 |                  | Client email:                               |         |
| Farm Number:    | Field Number(s): | Location Description:                       | State:  |
| Tract Number:   |                  |   | County: |

**\*Refer to the *Worksheet Instructions* for guidance on completing a Suitability and Feasibility Determination.**

**CP42, Pollinator Habitat Practice Purpose:** Establish habitat to support a diversity of pollinator species.

**Element #1 Site Conditions/Program Requirements**

Identify if offer area meets CP42 site condition criteria by checking all of the following:

- Offer does not exceed 100 acres of CP42 per FSA farm number.
- If planted in strips, each strip must be a minimum of 20 feet wide.
- Individual habitat areas of CP42 must be at least 0.5 acres in size.

Current Cover Type in Offer Area: cropland OR existing CRA (ex. CP1)

Current Land Use in Offer Area: crop - if not crop, not eligible

- YES – Site Condition Referenced Above is Met                       NO – Site Conditions Not Met

**Element #2 Practice Needs**

Is there a resource concern within the offer area that is targeted by CP42 per 2-CRP per the practice purpose?

*[* \*If existing cover is solving the resource concern(s) in the practice purpose, then the determination must be that the CP is not needed. Reference *Worksheet Instructions* for guidance on CRP contract re-enrollment. *]*

Indicate which NRCS resource concern causes are present within the offer area:

Primary Resource Concern Cause (The following resource concern cause must be present to meet practice need):

- Inadequate Habitat for Fish and Wildlife: Habitat degradation Should use state Wildlife Assessment (WHEG)

Secondary Resource Concern Cause (Not required to be present to meet practice need):

- Soil Erosion: Sheet, rill and wind RUSLE 2

- YES – Practice is Needed     NO – Practice Not Needed

**Element #3 Practice Feasibility**

Will the implementation of CP42 solve or address the resource concern(s) listed in the practice purpose?

- YES – Practice is Feasible     NO – Practice is Not Feasible

Results from WHEG and/or RUSLE2

**Element #4 Practice Suitability**

Are the offered acres suitable for installation of the NRCS conservation practices needed to apply CP42?

- YES – Practice is Suitable     NO – Practice is Not Suitable

**Suitability and Feasibility Determination Findings:**



The location and size of the offered acres as shown on the CRP-2C, digital imagery/map meet all four elements of the Suitability and Feasibility determination.



The offer **DOES NOT** meet the Suitability and Feasibility requirements. Check the element(s) that were not met.

- Site Conditions/Program Requirements
- Practice Needs
- Practice Feasibility
- Practice Suitability



Modification of the offer (either location, size or practice) would result in meeting all four S&F determination elements. See documentation.

**Documentation:**

Provide information supporting the determination of each element in this section.

Conservation Planner has attached or provided to FSA (check all that applies):

 Notes on form NRCS CPA-6 Photo's Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Map Electronic File with GPS Points or GIS Shapefile

Field Visit Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date returned to FSA: \_\_\_\_\_

Suitability and Feasibility Determination Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_



# U.S. Department of Agriculture

## Conservation Reserve Program CP8A Grass Waterway

### Documentation of Suitability and Feasibility Worksheet (Version 2.1 May 2019)

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|                 |                  | Client email:                              |         |
| Farm Number:    | Field Number(s): | Location Description:                      | State:  |
| Tract Number:   |                  |  | County: |

**\*Refer to the *Worksheet Instructions* for guidance on completing a Suitability and Feasibility Determination.**

**CP8A, Grass Waterway Practice Purpose:** Convey runoff from terraces, diversions, or other water concentrations without causing erosion or flooding and improve water quality.

#### Element #1 Site Conditions/Program Requirements

Identify if offer area meets CP8A site condition criteria by checking the following:

- Offer area meets minimum NRCS practice design standard.  
Note: producer may request a width up to 2 times the minimum design standard up to 100 feet wide (increased width must meet NRCS practice design standards)

Current Cover Type in Offer Area: CRP or CRP that may be reverting to cropland and  
 Current Land Use in Offer Area: CRP Waterway is needed

- YES – Site Condition Referenced Above is Met                       NO – Site Conditions Not Met

#### Element #2 Practice Needs

Is there a resource concern within the offer area that is targeted by CP8A per the practice purpose?  
 \*If existing cover is solving the resource concern(s) in the practice purpose, then the determination must be that the CP is not needed. Reference *Worksheet Instructions* for guidance on CRP contract re-enrollment.  
 \*In most cases, offers for existing grass waterways do not meet needs. See 2-CRP for policy details.

Indicate which NRCS resource concern causes are present within the offer area (minimum of 1 to meet practice need):

- Water Quality Degradation: Excessive sediment in surface waters
  - Soil Erosion: Concentrated flow
- YES – Practice is Needed                       NO – Practice Not Needed
- Planner observation / Aerial photos  
May also use sediment reduction calc tool if available.*

#### Element #3 Practice Feasibility

Will the implementation of CP8A solve or address the resource concern(s) listed in the practice purpose?  
 \*Client must be willing to install a grass waterway to the minimum NRCS practice design standards (including a stable outlet), or practice feasibility not met.

- YES – Practice is Feasible                       NO – Practice is Not Feasible

#### Element #4 Practice Suitability

Are the offered acres suitable for installation of the NRCS conservation practices needed to apply CP8A?

- YES – Practice is Suitable                       NO – Practice is Not Suitable

**Suitability and Feasibility Determination Findings:**



The location and size of the offered acres as shown on the CRP-2C, digital imagery/ map meet all four elements of the Suitability and Feasibility determination.



The offer **DOES NOT** meet the Suitability and Feasibility requirements. Check the element(s) that were not met.

- Site Conditions/Program Requirements
- Practice Needs
- Practice Feasibility
- Practice Suitability



Modification of the offer (either location, size or practice) would result in meeting all four S&F determination elements. See documentation.

**Documentation:**

Provide information supporting the determination of each element in this section.

Conservation Planner has attached or provided to FSA (check all that applies):

- Notes on form NRCS CPA-6
- Photo's
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Map
- Electronic File with GPS Points or GIS Shapefile

Field Visit Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date returned to FSA: \_\_\_\_\_

Suitability and Feasibility Determination Completed by: \_\_\_\_\_