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NRCS OFFICE CONSOLIDATIONS ANNOUNCED FOR AREA I

The Natural Resources Conservation Service received approval from the USDA National Food and Agriculture Council to proceed with a proposal for consolidating NRCS stand alone offices at Heber City and Murray with other existing USDA offices in those counties. In summary:

- **The Heber Field Office** operations have been consolidated with the Utah County USDA Service Center at Provo and the Uinta Headwaters Resource Conservation and Development office has been co-located with the USDA Forest Service at Heber. This action occurred on October 31, 2007.

David Hanson, DC at Provo has been assigned responsibilities for Wasatch County. David can be reached at 801-377-5580 extension 21 or david.hanson@ut.usda.gov

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- **The Murray Field Office** will consolidate operations with the Tooele USDA Service Center. The Great Salt Lake Resource Conservation and Development office will be co-located with the NRCS state office in the Wallace F. Bennett Federal Building in Salt Lake City. This will occur by January 28, 2008.

Cindy Burton, District Conservationist at Murray, will be transferred to the Tooele Service Center and carry out her DC responsibilities for both Salt Lake and Tooele counties from this Service Center. Her contact information will be 435-882-2276; cindy.burton@ut.usda.gov

Jeff Williams, Great Salt Lake RC&D Coordinator, and Ray Grow, Soil Scientist, will be relocated to the Salt Lake State office. Jeff's new phone number will be 801-524-4254 and Ray will be at 801-524-4253. Their e-mail addresses will remain the same.

Individual contacts with our customers/USDA program participants are being made by NRCS local staff. General public notification of these actions is a joint effort by the field, area and

state office staff. Congressional notification has also occurred.

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