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SUBJECT: PER – MERIT PROMOTION AND INTERNAL PLACEMENT

PURPOSE: To provide recent personnel changes within Iowa NRCS.

EXPIRATION DATE: September 30, 2013

Richard W. Sims, State Conservationist, has been selected to fill the position of Regional Conservationist – North East. He began his new duties on July 1, 2012.

Jon A. Hubbert is serving as Acting State Conservationist through October 21, 2012.

Shawn A. Dettmann is serving as Acting Assistant State Conservationist (Operations) through October 21, 2012.

Jeffrey J. Zimprich, Assistant State Conservationist (FO) in the Atlantic Area Office, began his new duties as State Conservationist in the NRCS State Office in Huron, South Dakota, effective May 20, 2012.

Jamie D. Carpenter has been selected to fill the position of Assistant State Conservationist (FO) in the Atlantic Area Office, effective July 15, 2012. Jamie previously worked for the NRCS in Alabama.

Jeffrey J. Godwin will continue to serve as Acting Assistant State Conservationist (FO) in the Atlantic Area Office until Jamie Carpenter reports for duty.

Kevin J. McCall began his duties as Assistant State Conservationist (FO) in the Fort Dodge Area Office, effective June 3, 2012. Kevin has also been selected to serve in the collateral duty assignment as Vice Chair of the Civil Rights Advisory Committee (CRAC).

Damarys M. Mortenson, Assistant State Conservationist (FO) will serve in the collateral duty assignment as Chair of the CRAC.

Joseph A. Thompson, Geologist, has been selected to serve in the collateral duty assignment as the Special Emphasis Program Manager for the Disability/Veterans Employment Program (DEP).

Madison Linkenmeyer is serving under the Student Temporary Employment Program (STEP) as a Public Affairs Student Trainee on the Iowa State Office Public Affairs staff. In addition, Madison will also provide assistance to the National Earth Team Volunteer Coordinator.

/s/Jon A. Hubbert
Acting State Conservationist

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