

# DRAFT AGENDA

## Kentucky USDA State Technical Committee

September 6, 2012  
9:30 a.m.

NRCS State Office Conference Room  
Lexington, Kentucky

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9:30 a.m.                      **Welcome and Introductions**                      **Karen Woodrich**  
NRCS State Conservationist

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9:45 a.m.                      **Field Office of the Future**                      **Karen**

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10:10 a.m.                      **FSA Programs Updates**                      **Faye Brown**  
FSA  
➤ Emergency Haying and Grazing of CRP  
➤ Emergency Conservation Program (ECP)

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10:30 a.m.                      **Easements Updates**                      **Jack Kuhn**  
NRCS Assistant State  
Conservationist  
➤ Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) Compatible Use  
Process:  
    ○ Report on  
    ○ Solicit input  
➤ FY 12 Easement Enrollment Accomplishments

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10:50 a.m.                      **Quick Break**

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11:00 a.m.                      **Programs FY 12 Updates**                      **Kate Little**  
NRCS Resource  
Conservationist  
➤ Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)  
    ○ FY 12 Accomplishments  
    ○ Drought Emergency Effort  
➤ Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program (WHIP)  
➤ Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP)  
➤ Farm and Ranchlands Protection Program (FRPP)  
**FY 2013 Expectations**  
➤ Ranking Periods  
➤ Other                      **Marcia Kelly**  
NRCS Resource  
Conservationist  
**Deena Wheby**  
NRCS Assistant State  
Conservationist

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11:30 a.m.                      **State Conservation Innovation Grants (CIGs)**                      **Bobby Bradley**  
NRCS Resource  
Conservationist  
➤ FY 12 State CIGs  
➤ FY 12 National CIGs that include Kentucky

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11:40 a.m.                      **Ecological Sciences Updates**                      **Jerry Adams**  
NRCS State Technology  
Coordinator  
**Randy Smallwood**  
NRCS State Agronomist  
➤ Conservation Delivery Streamlining Initiative (CDSI)  
➤ Nutrient Management Standard 590  
➤ Cover Crops  
➤ Payment Schedules

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12:10 p.m.                      **Discussion, Announcements, etc.**                      **Group**

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**Determine Next Meeting Dates and  
Closing Comments**                      **Karen Woodrich**

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