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CRP Note #12²
REVISION TO CP5A

Changes were made to the eligibility criteria for CP5A, Field Windbreaks due to changes in the 2-CRP. For eligibility requirements, the practice shall improve environmental benefits to less than the soil loss tolerance in the area affected by the practice; not necessarily the entire field. By definition, every windbreak has zero wind erosion in the downwind area protected by the windbreak. There is no requirement that the location of the CP5A practice need to be above 'T' before establishing this practice; the requirement is below 'T' after establishment.

DCs need to share this revised information with SWCD staff working on CRP.

Direct all questions on CRP to Paul Flynn, State Resource Conservationist, at (651) 602-7870.

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