

**REQUEST FOR A WAIVER TO
THE CONTRACT REQUIREMENT TO APPLY OR COMMENCE
A FINANCIALLY ASSISTED PRACTICE WITHIN THE FIRST 12 MONTHS OF A
CONSERVATION PROGRAM CONTRACT**

County:

Program:

Contract No.:

Obligation Date of Contract:

Participant(s) requesting waiver:

Meritorious reason for requesting a waiver (Select one):

- Alleviation of imminent and significant environmental problems

- Prevention of endangerment of life or property

- Seasonal weather constraints

- Other significant reasons hindering the installation of a planned practice that is beyond the control of the contract holder

By signing this document participant(s) acknowledges that:

- Failure to start a practice within the first 12 months of this contract constitutes a contract violation, unless a waiver is approved by the state conservationist.
- I (we) understand if a practice has not been started prior to the expiration of this waiver, if approved, the Natural Resources Conservation Service will terminate the contract and may assess liquidated damages.

With the approval of this waiver, I (we) agree to the revised practice installation schedule and understand that if not adhered to, as noted on the Form NRCS-CPA-153, Agreement Covering Noncompliance with Provisions of Contract (copy attached to this request), my contract will be terminated.

The supervisory district conservationist/district conservationist will provide a copy of the approved request, Form NRCS-CPA-153, and the revised Conservation Plan of Operations to the participant when they have been approved/disapproved by the state conservationist.

THIS WAIVER EXPIRES ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE SIGNED BY THE STATE CONSERVATIONIST OR TWO YEARS FROM THE DATE OF OBLIGATION, WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.

Participant	Date	Participant	Date
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CHECK ONE:

Concur Disagree by: _____
District Conservationist Date

CHECK ONE:

Concur Disagree by: _____
Assistant State Conservationist for Field Operations Date

CHECK ONE:

Approve Disapprove by: _____
State Conservationist Date