

FISCAL YEAR 2011
KANSAS ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY INCENTIVES PROGRAM
ELIGIBLE PRACTICE LIST
Ranking Category–Tribal ¹

Practice Code	Practice Name	Reporting Units
<u>Structural and Vegetative Practices</u>		
314	Brush Management ¹	Acre
317	Composting Facility ¹⁴	No.
322	Channel Bank Vegetation	Acre
332	Contour Buffer Strips	Acre
338	Prescribed Burning	Acre
340	Cover Crop	Acre
342	Critical Area Planting	Acre
350	Sediment Basin	No.
351	Well Decommissioning	No.
356	Dike	Ft.
362	Diversion	Ft.
378	Pond (\$6,000/no. payment-rate cap)	No.
380	Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment	Acre
382	Fence ¹⁷	Ft.
386	Field Border	Ft.
391	Riparian Forest Buffer	Acre
393	Filter Strip	Acre
394	Firebreak	Ft.
410	Grade Stabilization Structure	No.
412	Grassed Waterway	Acre
441	Irrigation System, Microirrigation ²	No. and Acre
462	Precision Land Forming	Acre
466	Land Smoothing	Acre
468	Lined Waterway or Outlet	Ft.
484	Mulching	Acre
490	Tree/Shrub Site Preparation	Acre
512	Pasture and Hay Planting	Acre
516	Pipeline	Ft.
521A	Pond Sealing and Lining–Flexible Membrane	No.
521B	Pond Sealing and Lining–Soil Dispersant	No.
521C	Pond Sealing and Lining–Bentonite Sealant	No.
521D	Pond Sealing and Lining–Clay Treatment	No.
533	Pumping Plant ³	No.
550	Range Planting	Acre
561	Heavy Use Area Protection ¹³	Acre
574	Spring Development	No.
578	Stream Crossing	No.
580	Streambank and Shoreline Protection	Ft.
587	Structure for Water Control	No.
589C	Cross Wind Trap Strips	Acre
595	Pest Management ¹	Acre
600	Terrace	Ft.
603	Herbaceous Wind Barrier	Ft.
606	Subsurface Drain	Ft.
612	Tree/Shrub Establishment	Acre

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614	Watering Facility ¹²	No.
620	Underground Outlet	Ft.
638	Water and Sediment Control Basin	No.
642	Water Well	No.
645	Upland Wildlife Habitat Management	Acre
650	Windbreak/Shelterbelt Renovation	Acre
656	Constructed Wetland	Acre
657	Wetland Restoration	Acre
658	Wetland Creation	Acre
666	Forest Stand Improvement	Acre
Management Practices		
328	Conservation Crop Rotation ^{7,10}	Acre
329	Residue and Tillage Management, No-Till/Strip-Till/Direct Seed ^{4,7}	Acre
345	Residue and Tillage Management, Mulch-Till ^{4,7}	Acre
346	Residue and Tillage Management, Ridge-Till ^{4,7}	Acre
472	Access Control ⁵	Acre
528	Prescribed Grazing ^{6,7}	Acre
585	Stripcropping ⁷	Acre
590	Nutrient Management ⁷	Acre
633	Waste Utilization ⁷	Acre
644	Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management ^{7,15,16}	Acre
645	Upland Wildlife Habitat Management ^{7,8}	Acre
645	Upland Wildlife Habitat Management ^{7,9}	Acre
645	Upland Wildlife Habitat Management ¹¹	Acre
	¹ Broadcast and aerial treatment will be eligible <u>only</u> where mechanical or spot treatment are not practical. If broadcast or aerial treatment is needed, justification will be documented in the producer's case file. This practice is not eligible on cropland.	
	² Practice eligible for payment for use with tree and shrub plantings associated with the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) electronic Field Office Technical Guide (eFOTG) practices 380, 612 and 650.	
	³ Practice is eligible for a solar pump to be used for the purpose of pumping water from a water body, in order to remove livestock from the water body (e.g., pond or stream). Practice is also eligible on new wells.	
	⁴ This practice will be installed for the entire crop rotation or contract length, whichever is longer; a minimum three crop type rotation will be installed.	
	⁵ Practice is eligible for management payment <u>only</u> where livestock are excluded for twelve consecutive months and followed by two years of prescribed grazing. Practice codes 472 and 528 will not be applied for incentive on the same acres in the same year.	
	⁶ Two payment rates have been set: 1) Requires at least 30 to 73.9 percent deferment during the growing season, and 2) Requires at least 74 percent deferment during the growing season.	
	⁷ Practice will be implemented a minimum of three years. Payment will be made upon annual implementation of the practice.	
	⁸ Management payment to leave brood strips in wheat stubble. Strips must be a minimum of one acre and must not exceed ten percent of an individual field. Pivot corners and fields \leq one acre are eligible in their entirety. No stubble manipulation (tillage, mowing, spraying, grazing, etc.) allowed following crop harvest until after March 31 of the following year.	

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9	Management payment to leave unharvested strips in hayland fields of warm season grasses or alfalfa. Harvest must start in the middle of the field and proceed outward or begin on one side and move across the field.
10	Payment for 328 is not eligible on the same acres where payment is being received for 329, 345, or 346.
11	Management payment to burn all acres in the treatment unit only one out of three years. The payment is eligible from a north south line from Washington County to Cowley County and all counties east thereof. Each acre in the treatment unit must be burned but shall only be burned only one out of three years. Burning shall not occur between May 1 and July 31. Payment will be made on actual acres to be burned every year.
12	Wildlife escape ramps required where wildlife is deemed a secondary concern.
13	Practice is eligible for the purpose of providing suitable points of livestock entry to water bodies. Permanent fencing is required in this practice to exclude livestock access from unsuitable points of entry to the water body.
14	Practice must be part of a Nutrient Management Plan that is developed prior to payment for this practice. For imported waste, the payment is limited to the storage needed for the contracted waste.
15	Water Level Manipulations –this practice will be used ONLY after installation of practice 587 in a constructed, enhanced, or restored wetland/shallow water area. <u>Drawdowns</u> will be completed in one of the three seasons annually: Early –March 15 through May 1; Mid–season –May 1 through July 15 or Late –after July 15. Water levels should (1) be reduced slowly to increase annual vegetation diversity, AND (2) have no more than 25 percent of the flooded area remaining saturated/flooded after drawdown is complete. <u>Reflooding</u> shall begin no later than August 15 and be completed gradually with all boards/stop logs installed by November 15 of that year. This practice is not eligible on rangeland.
16	Vegetation Management will be completed annually to provide optimum food and structure for migratory birds. This practice will include herbaceous weed control, brush management, prescribed burning, and mechanical disturbances to create desirable migratory bird habitat, control trees and brush, and/or control other undesirable vegetation annually within the flooded areas ONLY. <u>Disking</u> will be completed on at least 25 percent of the flooded or saturated areas AND will be completed no fewer than two times in three years. Disking will be completed January 1 through April 1 and/or after July 15 through August 15 OR after drawdowns are complete and before reflooding begins for wetland with water control structures. Disking will be completed to a depth appropriate to achieve the desired response. Practices 644 and 645 will not be paid for on the same acres in the same year. This practice is not eligible on rangeland.
17	Financial assistance available for cross fences and perimeter/boundary fences. Perimeter/boundary fences are only eligible around expired/expiring Conservation Reserve Program fields. Prior to beginning design on any perimeter/boundary fence, scheduled for financial assistance, a participant shall provide assurances of legal property line locations AND agreements with adjoining landowners. As a minimum this may include a notarized agreement with adjoining landowners regarding location and maintenance; notarized agreement with township, county, or state in the case of road right of ways; and/or a legal survey. Expenses for legal surveys and agreements are the responsibility of the participant. Failure to provide needed documentation of location and agreement with adjoining landowners may result in contract termination.