

**NRCS CHECKLIST FOR DESIGNERS
FOR PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT ADJACENT TO
WATERSHED PROJECT DAMS**

- The proposal is addressed to the sponsor. (If the sponsor is unknown, contact your local NRCS field office. The local NRCS field office can be found at the following link:
<http://offices.sc.egov.usda.gov/locator/app?agency=nrcs>
- All plans and reports are submitted in duplicate.
- Easement elevations are clearly delineated on all plan view and cross-section drawings.
- Drawings clearly show the location of the dam and the auxiliary spillway in relation to the proposed development?
- The hydrology report includes pre and post development weighted runoff curve numbers.
- The hydrology report includes pre and post development hydrographs and flood pool stage elevations for the 100 year-24 hour storm. (This is not required if compensation volume is calculated from the change in the curve number.)
- Proposals without on site detention include justification of why it is not feasible.
- Calculations for all compensation of fill placed within the easement is included in the proposal.
- Detailed plans for all structures, utilities, fences, trails, play areas, and other changes within the impoundment area are included in proposal.
- Adequate cross-sections have been included to allow NRCS engineers to verify calculated compensation volumes.
- Cross-section locations are shown on the plan view.
- The proposal includes the following statement “This proposal complies with NRCS Review Guidelines for Proposed Development Adjacent to Watershed Project Dams”.
- All plans and documents have been signed and sealed by a professional engineer licensed in Georgia? (In some cases plans may be submitted by a professional landscape architect.)
- Proposals that include modifications to the dam include documented experience of the design engineer.

For questions regarding this document call the Georgia NRCS State Engineering Staff at (706)-546-2277.

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