

AGENDA

Tribal Conservation Advisory Council Meeting

Virtual Meeting – Teams Meeting
May 19, 2022, 2022
10 a.m. (CDT)

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| 1. Welcome and Introduction | Tony Sunseri |
| 2. Follow-up from Our Last Meeting | Tony Sunseri |
| 3. COVID Update | Tony Sunseri |
| 4. Introduction of New Executive Directors for the Farm Service Agency and Rural Development | Tony Sunseri |
| 5. Introduction of new Tribal Liaisons/TL Updates | Darrel DuVall |
| 6. Tribal Liaison/Partner Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keya Wakpala Gardens at Rosebud | Matte Wilson, Food Sovereignty
Director of Sicangu Community
Development Corporation and
Mary Scott, Tribal Liaison,
Rosebud Sioux Tribe |
| 7. Soil Health Update | Kent Vlieger |
| 8. Financial Assistance Program Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regional Conservation Partnership Program• Environmental Quality Incentives Program• Conservation Stewardship Program | Jeff Vander Wilt
Jennifer Wurtz
Joyce Trevithick |
| 9. Woody Encroachment Effort | Tony Sunseri |
| 10. Farm Service Agency Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conservation Reserve Program | Owen Fagerhaug, FSA |
| 11. Farmers.gov Updates Access | Darrel DuVall |
| 12. Partner Topics | |
| 13. Other | |
| 14. Next Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next TCAC Tentative Meeting Dates (August 18)• Suggested Agenda Items | |

Dave Pesicka, NRCS Tribal Liaison Cheyenne River Tribe;
May 19, 2022 Tribal Conservation Advisory Council meeting NRCS update:



Figure 1: Sammy Soil Saver

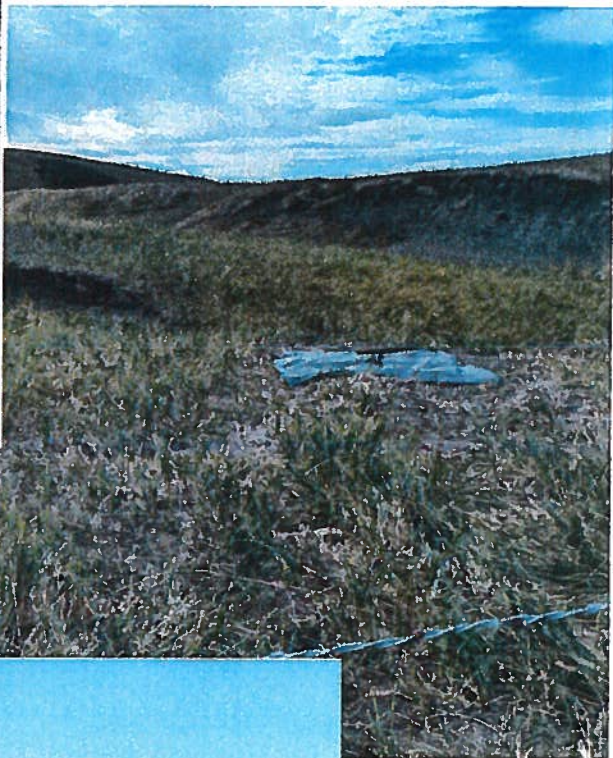
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Figure 2 Dugan Bad Warrior







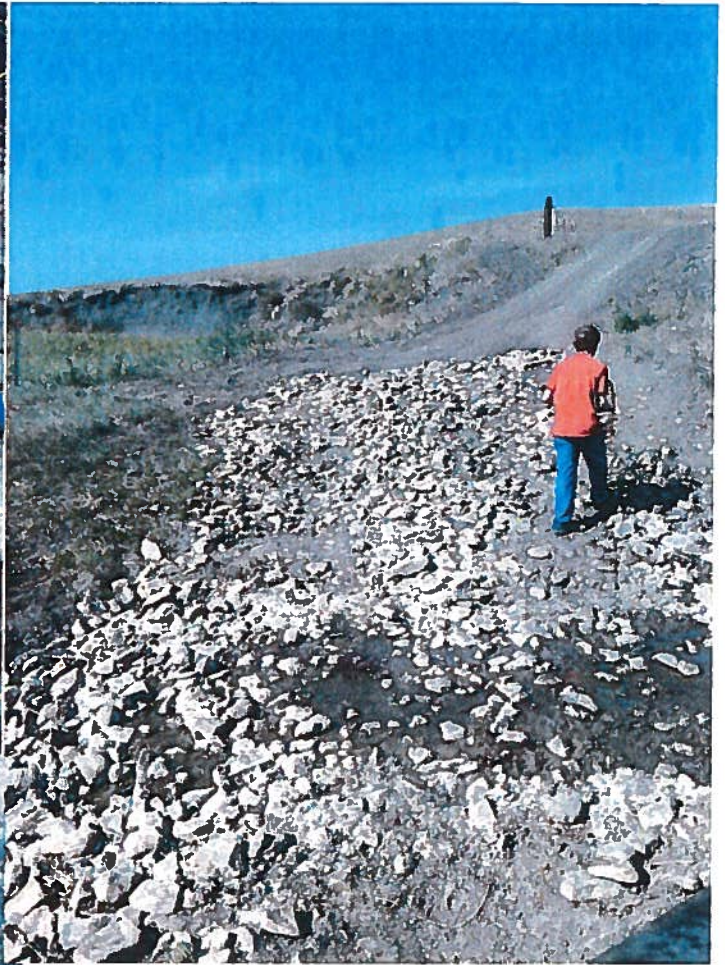
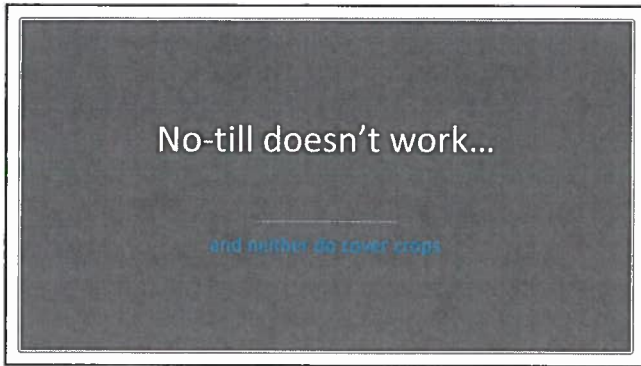
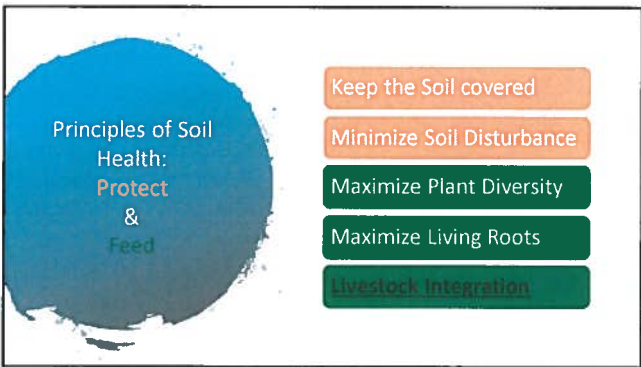


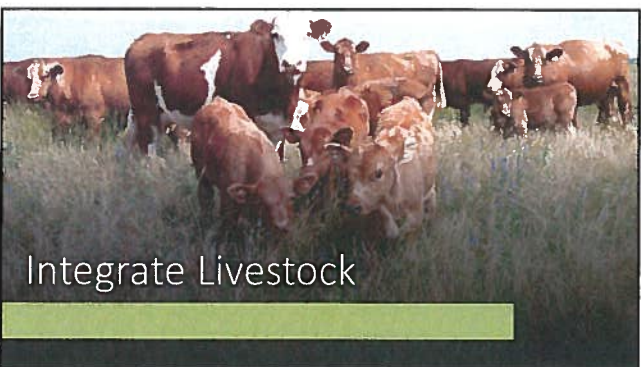
Figure 4: MW Crossing



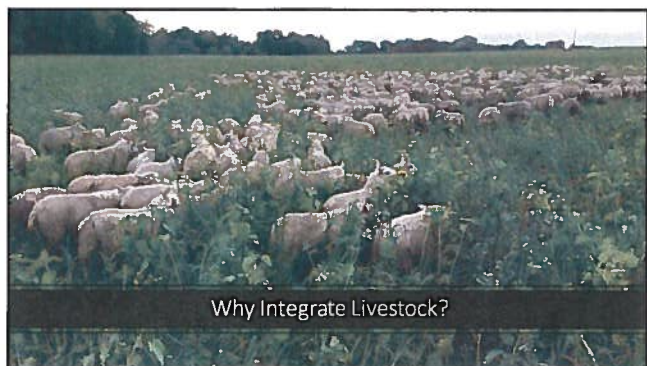
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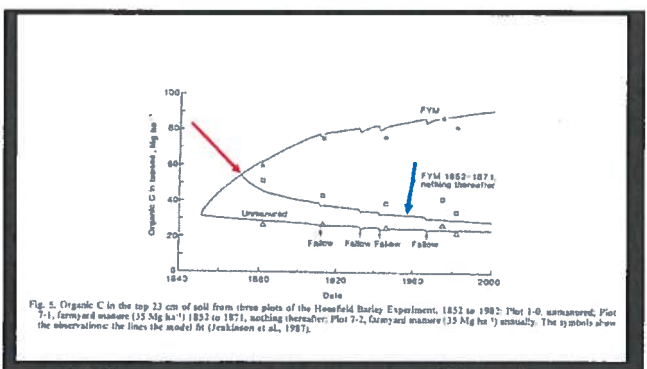
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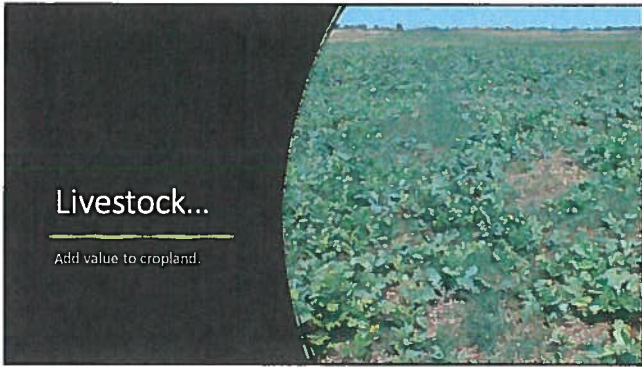
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
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How do we do this???

- Fencing and Water
- Crop rotation
- Cover crops & interseeding
- Integrating perennials into rotation
- Grazing management, management, management!!!

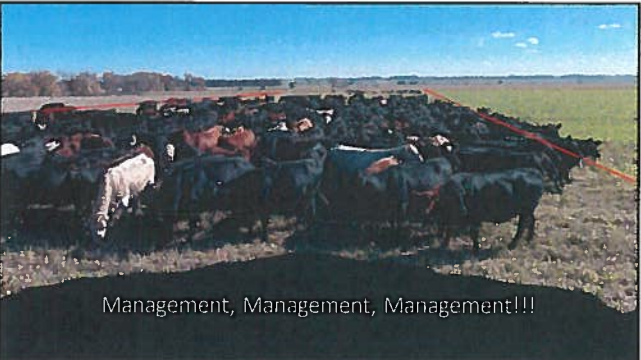


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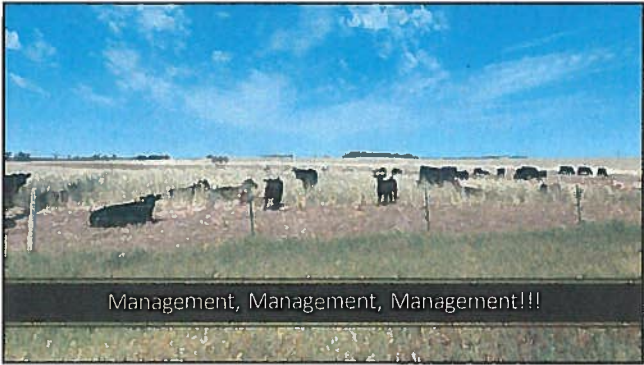
Get Creative with infrastructure

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Management, Management, Management!!!

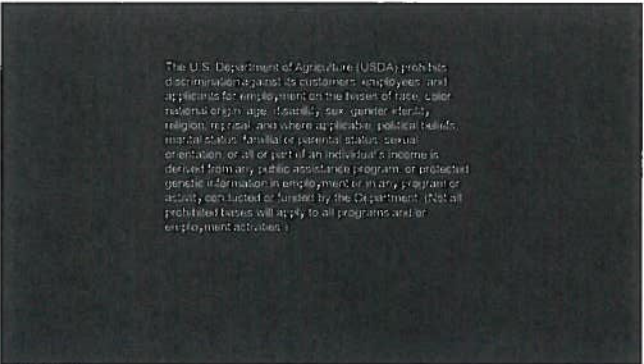
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Conservation Stewardship Program Report
Tribal Conservation Advisory Council Meeting
May 19, 2022
Joyce Trevithick, CSP Coordinator
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CSP Classic 2022


- Application deadline was January 21, 2022
- 523 applications received
- South Dakota had an initial allocation of \$8,640,000
- Organic allocation of \$200,000, no applications so had to return \$\$
- Obligation deadline was April 29, 2022
- Funded 59 contracts
- Additional \$4,004,000 Received May 9, 2022, for possibly 19 more contracts
- Obligation deadline June 3, 2022

Classic 2022		# RU contracts	Other	Total \$\$ Spent in RU
Resource Fund Pool				
NIPF	No applications			\$0.00
Organic	No applications			\$0.00
Big Sioux	3			\$544,116.00
Coteau	4	1 BFR		\$627,099.00
Glacial Lakes	2			\$400,000.00
Upper James	4	1 BFR		\$757,728.00
Vermillion	3	1 BFR		\$431,125.00
Central Plains	3	3 BFR		\$536,013.00
Lower James	3	2BFR		\$496,503.00
Lower Missouri	2			\$219,667.00
Mid Missouri	2			\$546,327.00
North Missouri	2	2 BFR		\$509,714.00
River Hills	3			\$413,364.00
Hills	3			\$522,696.00
Northwest	2	1BFR		\$485,795.00
Prairie	1	1 SDFR		\$291,039.00
Southwest	3			\$636,904.00
Three Rivers	2	4 SDFR		\$1,164,053.00
These funds are separated here for informational purposes				
Beginning Farmer/Rancher (BFR)				\$973,201.00
Socially Disadvantaged Farmer/Rancher (SDFR)				\$855,092.00

CSP Renewals 2023

- Application deadline was April 15, 2022
- 333 applications received
- Obligation deadline will be after October 1, 2022


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