

WA Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP)

**RCPP 2326 MID-COLUMBIA STEELHEAD PARTNERSHIP
SCREENING TOOL WORKSHEET - Fiscal Year 2023**

This screening tool is required for all RCPP 2326 Funding applications.

Instructions: Applications will be accepted according to the RCPP Partnership Agreement Schedule and “cut-off” dates are established for purposes of ranking and funding allocation.

The goal of this screening tool is to streamline workload and to ensure that conservation technical assistance and (RCPP benefits are efficiently allocated to address the RCPP projects priority resource concerns. If participant(s) are not FSA eligible, STOP. Do not screen participant until FSA eligibility (AGI, AD1026, FTE) has been met. Completion of this worksheet and documentation does not constitute agreement to provide RCPP program benefits nor approval of an RCPP contract. This original screening worksheet must be filed in the applicant case file and the screening priority (Low or High). Upon request, a copy of any completed screening worksheet will be provided to the applicant.

Applicant Name:	Fund Code:
Application Number:	Field Office:
Evaluator Name:	Date:

Resource Concern(s): _____

Landuse(s): _____

(LOW) Application is **LOW** priority if any of the elements below apply are answered ‘YES’.

1. In the last 3 fiscal years, did the Applicant have any NRCS contract terminated for cause within the participants control?
2. Is the Applicant on an active NRCS-CPA-153 and the Applicant failed to implement contract item as agreed to on the NRCS-CPA-153, Agreement Covering Non-Compliance with Provisions of Contract outside the participants control?
3. Does the Applicant have any contract(s) (active, completed, terminated), of which the Applicant did not meet the O&M requirements for the lifespan of the conservation practice contained within the contract(s)?
4. Does the Applicant have an active contract containing any CIN off schedule greater than 12 months not due to NRCS error or delay?

(HIGH) Application is **HIGH** priority if **ALL** of the elements below apply are answered ‘YES’.

1. Application contains land with total acres > 50% within the RCPP 2326 Mid-Columbia Steelhead Partnership project boundary.
2. Does the application treat at least one of the following listed Resource Concern Categories? Aquatic Habitat, Field Sediment/Nutrient Pathogen Loss, Terrestrial Habitat, or Weather Resilience?

DC Approval:

Date: