

Ranking Pool: Utah Delta Irrigation SFP-FY24

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Land Uses and Modifiers

Land Use	Grazed	Wildlife	Irrigated	Hayed	Drained	Organic	Water Feature	Protected	Urban	Aquaculture
Associated Ag Land					N/A					
Crop										
Farmstead				N/A	N/A					
Pasture										

Resource Concern Categories

Categories					
Category	Min %	Default %	Max %		
Air quality emissions	0	5	100		
Aquatic habitat	0	5	100		
Concentrated erosion	0	10	100		
Degraded plant condition	0	5	100		
Field pesticide loss	0	5	100		
Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss	0	5	100		
Fire management	0	1	100		
Inefficient energy use	0	5	100		
Livestock production limitation	0	5	100		
Pest pressure	0	5	100		
Salt losses to water	0	1	100		
Soil quality limitations	0	5	100		
Source water depletion	0	25	100		
Storage and handling of pollutants	0	1	100		
Terrestrial habitat	0	2	100		
Weather resilience	0	5	100		

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Categories			
Category	Min %	Default %	Max %
Wind and water erosion	0	10	100

Air quality emissions					
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %		
Emissions of airborne reactive nitrogen	0	20	100		
Emissions of greenhouse gases - GHGs	0	20	100		
Emissions of ozone precursors	0	20	100		
Emissions of particulate matter (PM) and PM precursors	0	20	100		
Objectionable odor	0	20	100		

Aquatic habitat			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Aquatic habitat for fish and other organisms	0	50	100
Elevated water temperature	0	50	100

Concentrated erosion					
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %		
Bank erosion from streams, shorelines or water conveyance channels	0	60	100		
Classic gully erosion	0	20	100		
Ephemeral gully erosion	0	20	100		

Degraded plant condition			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Plant productivity and health	0	75	100
Plant structure and composition	0	25	100

Field pesticide loss			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Pesticides transported to groundwater	0	40	100
Pesticides transported to surface water	0	60	100

Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Nutrients transported to groundwater	0	15	100
Nutrients transported to surface water	0	25	100

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Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss				
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %	
Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids or compost applications transported to groundwater	0	15	100	
Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids or compost applications transported to surface water	0	20	100	
Sediment transported to surface water	0	25	100	

Fire management			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Wildfire hazard from biomass accumulation	0	100	100

Inefficient energy use			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Energy efficiency of equipment and facilities	0	50	100
Energy efficiency of farming/ranching practices and field operations	0	50	100

Livestock production limitation			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Feed and forage balance	0	35	100
Inadequate livestock shelter	0	30	100
Inadequate livestock water quantity, quality and distribution	0	35	100

Pest pressure			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Plant pest pressure	0	100	100

Salt losses to water			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Salts transported to groundwater	0	50	100
Salts transported to surface water	0	50	100

Soil quality limitations			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Aggregate instability	0	20	100
Compaction	0	20	100
Concentration of salts or other chemicals	0	15	80
Organic matter depletion	0	20	100
Soil organism habitat loss or degradation	0	15	100

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Soil quality limitations			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Subsidence	0	10	100

Source water depletion			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Groundwater depletion	0	10	90
Inefficient irrigation water use	0	55	90
Surface water depletion	0	35	90

Storage and handling of pollutants			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Nutrients transported to groundwater	0	25	100
Nutrients transported to surface water	0	25	100
Petroleum, heavy metals and other pollutants transported to groundwater	0	25	100
Petroleum, heavy metals and other pollutants transported to surface water	0	25	100

Terrestrial habitat			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Terrestrial habitat for wildlife and invertebrates	0	100	100

Weather resilience			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Drifted snow	0	20	100
Naturally available moisture use	0	20	100
Ponding and flooding	0	20	100
Seasonal high water table	0	20	100
Seeps	0	20	100

Wind and water erosion			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Sheet and rill erosion	0	50	100
Wind erosion	0	50	100

Practices

Practice Name	Practice Code	Practice Type
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Practice Name	Practice Code	Practice Type
Irrigation Ditch Lining	428	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Water Conveyance, Ditch and Canal Lining, Plain Concrete	428A	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Water Conveyance, Ditch and Canal Lining, Flexible Membrane	428B	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Water Conveyance, Ditch and Canal Lining, Galvanized Steel	428C	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Pipeline	430	Conservation Practices
Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface	443	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Water Management	449	Conservation Practices
Irrigation Land Leveling	464	Conservation Practices
Obstruction Removal	500	Conservation Practices
Structure for Water Control	587	Conservation Practices

Ranking Weights

Factors	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	20	40
Planned Practice Effects	Adjustment (D)	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	50	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	5	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

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1 An asterisk will be displayed to show that it is a conditional section or conditional question.

Survey: Applicability Questions

Section: Applicablity			
Question	Answer Choices	Points	
NRCS Team	Lower Sevier		
INCO Team	Otherwise		
Is this project within the goals of the Delta Irrigation SFP?	YES		
is this project within the goals of the Delta Inigation SFF?	NO		

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Survey: Category Questions

Section: Spending Plan Category			
Question	Answer Choices	Points	
Did the applicant self-certify as a beginning farmer or rancher, a veteran farmer or rancher, or NA on the NRCS-CPA-1200, Conservation Program Application?	Other		
	BFR		
	VFR		

Survey: Program Questions

Section: Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Will the proposed project include?	Irrigation land leveling, on field delivery system, and conveyance	200
	Irrigation land leveling and on field delivery system	150
	On field delivery system and conveyance	100
	On field delivery system only	50
	Conveyance system only	0

Survey: Resource Questions

Section: Resource Priorities		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Will the ratio of feet of earthen ditch eliminated per acre treated be?	Greater than 81	100
	Between 71 and 80	80
	Between 61 and 70	60
	Between 51 and 60	40
	Between 41 and 50	20
	Between 31 and 40	10
	30 or below	0
What is the sand % in the soil of the earthen ditch system being replaced?	0-20%	0
	20.01-40%	20
	40.01-60%	30
	60.01%-80%	75
	80.01-100%	100
	Conveyance system is lined. (Concrete or other liner in the current conveyance system)	0

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