

Ranking Utah Mendon South Canal Irrigation Water

Pool: Conservation SFP ACT Now-FY24

Pool Active Status: States: UT (Admin) Program: EQIP

Template: EQIP General National Ranking Template - Amended October 2023 Template Active

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Land Uses and Modifiers

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Land Use	Grazed	Wildlife	Irrigated	Hayed	Drained	Organic	Water Feature	Protected	Urban	Aquaculture
Associated Ag Land					N/A					
Crop										
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	5	100		
Inefficient energy use	0	5	100		
Livestock production limitation	0	5	100		
Pest pressure	0	5	100		
Salt losses to water	0	5	100		
Soil quality limitations	0	5	100		
Source water depletion	0	10	100		
Storage and handling of pollutants	0	5	100		
Terrestrial habitat	0	5	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	70	100		
Classic gully erosion	0	15	100		
Ephemeral gully erosion	0	15	100		

Degraded plant condition			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Plant productivity and health	0	50	100
Plant structure and composition	0	50	100

Field pesticide loss			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Pesticides transported to groundwater	0	50	100
Pesticides transported to surface water	0	50	100

Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Nutrients transported to groundwater	0	20	100
Nutrients transported to surface water	0	20	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	20	100	
Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids or compost applications transported to surface water	0	20	100	
Sediment transported to surface water	0	20	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	15	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	20	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	15	90
Inefficient irrigation water use	0	70	90
Surface water depletion	0	15	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 Pipeline	430	Conservation Practices
Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface	443	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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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	Cache-Rich		
	Otherwise		
Does this application address the resource concerns consistent with the Mendon South Canal Irrigation Water Conservation SFP	YES		
	NO		

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

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Section: Program Questions			
Question	Answer Choices	Points	
How many sperate agricultural operations will benefit from this application?	1-5	10	
	6-10	25	
	11-15	50	
	16-20	75	
	More than 20	100	
Is the planned application for irrigation water conveyance?	YES	100	
	NO	0	

Survey: Resource Questions

Section: Resource Priorities			
Question	Answer Choices	Points	
What is the expected change of the irrigation efficiency? Use the FY24 Irrigation efficiency calculator	Less than 10%	20	
	10-20%	40	
	20.1-40%	60	
	Greater than 40%	100	
What is the sand percentage in the soil of the open ditch conveyance system?	0-20%	10	
	20.1-40%	25	
	40.1-60%	50	
	60.1-80%	75	
	80.1-100%	100	

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