

## **NW Area: Alexandria CST**

Top Resource Concerns based on LWG rankings for Fiscal Year 2025

**Cropland** 

Concentrated Erosion: Classic gully erosion

Field Sediment, Nutrient, and Pathogen Loss: Sediment transported to surface water

Wind and Water Erosion: Sheet and rill erosion Soil Quality Limitations: Aggregate instability

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**Forestland** 

Degraded Plant Condition: Plant structure and composition

Terrestrial Habitat: Terrestrial habitat for wildlife and invertebrates

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Pest Pressure: Plant pest pressure

**Farmstead** 

Inefficient Energy Use: Energy efficient equipment and facilities

Livestock Production Limitation: Inadequate livestock shelter

Storage and Handling of Pollutants: Nutrients transported to surface water

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water

Weather Resilience: Drifted snow

**Pastureland** 

Livestock Production Limitation: Inadequate livestock water quantity, quality, and distribution

Degraded Plant Condition: Plant productivity and health

Pest Pressure: Plant pest pressure

Field Sediment, Nutrient, and Pathogen Loss: Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids, or compost

applications transported to surface water

Terrestrial Habitat: Terrestrial habitat for wildlife and invertebrates