

Conservation Stewardship Program Enhancements, Bundles, and Practices

Applicable to the associated ag land use.

Associated Agricultural Land: Land associated with farms and ranches that are not purposefully managed for food, forage, or fiber and are typically associated with nearby production or conservation lands. This could include incidental areas, such as idle center pivot corners, odd areas, ditches and watercourses, riparian areas, field edges, seasonal and permanent wetlands, and other similar areas.

See the [Montana CSP webpage](#) for more information.

Enhancements

- [Brush management to improve wildlife habitat \(E314A with Montana Supplement\)](#) (163.7 KB)
- [Herbaceous weed treatment to create desired plant communities consistent with ecological site \(E315A with Montana Supplement\)](#) (414.84 KB)
- [Establish Monarch butterfly habitat \(E327B with Montana supplement\)](#) (231.78 KB)
- [Wildlife habitat for nesting and brooding on non-cropped areas \(E327C\)](#) (212.46 KB)
- [Short-interval burns to promote a healthy herbaceous plant community \(E338B\)](#) (685.33 KB)
- [E372A Switch to Renewable Power Source](#) (247.58 KB)
- [E372B Renewable energy source for large internal combustion engines](#) (248.04 KB)
- [Silvopasture to improve wildlife habitat \(E381A with MT supplement\)](#) (252.28 KB)
- [Incorporating wildlife-friendly fencing for connectivity of wildlife food resources \(E382A with MT supplement\)](#) (309.76 KB)
- [Biochar production from woody residue \(E384A\)](#) (188.31 KB)
- [Enhanced field borders to reduce soil erosion along the edge\(s\) of a field \(E386A\)](#) (197.65 KB)
- [Enhanced field borders to increase carbon storage along the edge\(s\) of a field \(E386B\)](#) (195.7 KB)
- [Enhanced field borders to decrease particulate emissions along the edge\(s\) of a field \(E386C\)](#) (195.41 KB)
- [Enhanced field borders to increase food for pollinators along the edge\(s\) of a field \(E386D\)](#) (196.31 KB)
- [Enhanced field borders to increase wildlife food and habitat along the edge\(s\) of a field \(E386E\)](#) (265.56 KB)



- [Increase Riparian Herbaceous Cover Width to Enhance Wildlife Habitat \(E390B with Montana Supplement\)](#) (308.26 KB)
- [Increase riparian forest buffer width for sediment and nutrient reduction \(E391A with MT supplement\)](#) (226.45 KB)
- [Increase stream shading for stream temperature reduction \(E391B with MT supplement\)](#) (190.54 KB)
- [Increase riparian forest buffer width to enhance wildlife habitat \(E391C with Montana Supplement\)](#) (355.29 KB)
- [Extend existing filter strip to reduce water quality impacts \(E393A\)](#) (220.12 KB)
- [Establish pollinator habitat \(E420A with Montana Supplement\)](#) (668.98 KB)
- [Complete pumping plant evaluation for water savings \(E449A with Montana Supplement\)](#) (311.17 KB)
- [Manage livestock access to waterbodies to reduce nutrients or pathogens to surface water \(E472A\)](#) (184.16 KB)
- [Establish pollinator and/or beneficial insect and/or Monarch habitat \(E512I with Montana supplement\)](#) (602.25 KB)
- [Establish wildlife corridors to provide habitat continuity or access to water \(E512J\)](#) (360.08 KB)
- [Diversifying forage base with interseeding forbs and legumes to increase pasture quality \(E512L with MT supplement\)](#) (302.58 KB)
- [Forage plantings that improve wildlife habitat cover and shelter or structure and composition \(E512M with MT supplement\)](#) (290.34 KB)
- [Maintaining quantity and quality of forage for animal health and productivity \(E528A with Montana supplement\)](#) (250.08 KB)
- [Improved grazing management for enhanced plant structure and composition for wildlife \(E528E with Montana Supplement\)](#) (381.37 KB)
- [Stockpiling cool season forage to improve structure and composition \(E528F with Montana Supplement\)](#) (242.9 KB)
- [Use of body condition scoring for livestock on a monthly basis to keep track of herd health \(E528Q with Montana Supplement\)](#) (266.51 KB)
- [Grazing to Reduce Wildfire Risks on Forests \(E528T\)](#) (276.94 KB)
- [Complete pumping plant evaluation for energy savings \(E533B\)](#) (338.31 KB)
- [Install variable frequency drive\(s\) on pump\(s\) \(E533C\)](#) (372.21 KB)
- [Switch fuel source for pumps \(E533D\)](#) (366.05 KB)
- [Enhanced Rain Gardens for Wildlife \(E570A\)](#) (293.22 KB)
- [Stream crossing elimination \(E578A\)](#) (264.55 KB)
- [Stream corridor bank stability improvement \(E580A\)](#) (286.88 KB)



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- [Stream corridor bank vegetation improvement \(E580B\)](#) (286.7 KB)
- [Adding food-producing trees/shrubs to an agroforestry system \(E612D with MT supplement\)](#) (227.82 KB)
- [Cultural plantings \(E612E with Montana Supplement\)](#) (294.2 KB)
- [Tree/shrub planting for wildlife habitat \(E612G with Montana supplement\)](#) (311.57 KB)
- [Adding telemetry to a watering facility to monitor water levels remotely \(E614A\)](#) (222.08 KB)
- [Low-tech process-based restoration to enhance floodplain connectivity \(E643D with Montana Supplement\)](#) (713.5 KB)
- [Reduction of attractants to human-subsidized predators in sensitive wildlife species habitat \(E645A with Montana Supplement\)](#) (284.1 KB)
- [Manage existing shrub thickets to provide adequate shelter for wildlife \(E645B\)](#) (190.66 KB)
- [Edge feathering for wildlife cover \(E645C\)](#) (184.89 KB)
- [Enhanced Wildlife Habitat Management for Upland Landscapes \(E645D with Montana Supplement\)](#) (351.95 KB)
- [Increase on-site carbon storage \(E666H\)](#) (361.77 KB)
- [Creating structural diversity with patch openings \(E666K with Montana Supplement\)](#) (268.38 KB)
- [Snags, den trees, and coarse woody debris for wildlife habitat \(E666O with Montana supplement\)](#) (304.84 KB)
- [Summer roosting habitat for native forest-dwelling bat species \(E666P with Montana Supplement\)](#) (294.5 KB)

Bundles

These bundles are applicable to the associated ag land use.

- [B0000BFF1 - Buffer Bundle #1](#) (626.59 KB)

Practices

Not all conservation practices are used for the Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP) in Montana. Available practices are listed here.

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- [314 Brush Management](#)
- [315 Herbaceous Weed Control](#)
- [317 Composting Facility](#) **



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- [319 On-Farm Secondary Containment Facility](#)
- [325 High Tunnel System](#)
- [327 Conservation Cover](#)
- [336 Soil Carbon Amendment](#)
- [338 Prescribed Burning](#)
- [342 Critical Area Planting](#)
- [348 Dam, Diversion](#)
- [367 Roofs and Covers **](#)
- [372 Combustion System Improvement](#)
- [374 Farmstead Energy Improvement](#)
- [380 Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment](#)
- [381 Silvopasture Establishment](#)
- [382 Fence](#)
- [383 Fuel break](#)
- [384 Woody Residue Treatment](#)
- [386 Field Border](#)
- [390 Riparian Herbaceous Cover](#)
- [391 Riparian Forest Buffer](#)
- [393 Filter Strip](#)
- [394 Firebreak](#)
- [395 Stream Habitat Improvement and Management](#)
- [396 Aquatic Organism Passage](#)
- [410 Grade Stabilization Structure](#)
- [412 Grassed Waterway](#)
- [420 Wildlife Habitat Planting](#)
- [422 Hedgerow](#)
- [430 Irrigation Pipeline](#)
- [441 Irrigation System, Microirrigation](#)
- [442 Sprinkler system](#)
- [449 Irrigation Water Management](#)
- [462 Precision Land Forming](#)
- [472 Access Control](#)
- [484 Mulching](#)
- [490 Tree/Shrub Site Preparation](#)
- [500 Obstruction Removal](#)
- [512 Pasture and Hay Planting](#)



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- [516 Livestock Pipeline](#)
- [528 Prescribed Grazing](#)
- [533 Pumping Plant](#)
- [550 Range Planting](#)
- [558 Roof Runoff Structure](#)
- [561 Heavy Use Area Protection](#)
- [570 Stormwater Runoff Control](#)
- [574 Spring Development](#)
- [576 Livestock Shelter Structure](#)
- [578 Stream Crossing](#)
- [580 Streambank and Shoreline Protection](#)
- [606 Subsurface Drain](#)
- [610 Salinity and Sodic Soil Management](#)
- [612 Tree/Shrub Establishment](#)
- [614 Watering Facility](#)
- [620 Underground Outlet](#)
- [635 Vegetative Treatment Area](#) **
- [643 Restoration and Management of Rare and Declining Habitats](#)
- [644 Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management](#)
- [645 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management](#)
- [646 Shallow Water Development and Management](#)
- [647 Early Successional Habitat Development/Management](#)
- [649 Structures for Wildlife](#)
- [650 Windbreak/Shelterbelt Renovation](#)
- [660 Tree/Shrub Pruning](#)
- [666 Forest Stand Improvement](#)
- [670 Energy Efficient Lighting System](#)
- [672 Energy Efficient Building Envelope](#)

**Practice scenarios related to Animal Waste Systems are prohibited from payment per CPM 440-Part 530.306 (6) (i) for CSP.