Finding Higher Ground

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Implementing NMPs

Who is:

- Writing
- Training
- Submitting
- Updating
- Checking
- Implementing NMPs ??



Phosphorus Loss Assessment

Transition to PI Plans?

-Other Phosphorus Assessment

-RUSLE2

* If not RUSLE2, what?

* Who is running RUSLE2?

* Training on RUSLE2?

Alternative Erosion Calculators?



CNMP Development

Why this approach?

- Whole Farm is Included (Big Picture)
- Conservation Plan is Starting Point
- Highlights Good Business Concepts
- Features Management Issues First
- Checklist of Accountabilities
- Satisfies Regulatory Needs
- Great Educational Tool



CNMP PLANS

Are you using Heartland Recommended Format?

- -Tab 2 for Regulatory Application
- -Narratives for Regulatory Application

Can regular state mandated NMP satisfy NRCS?

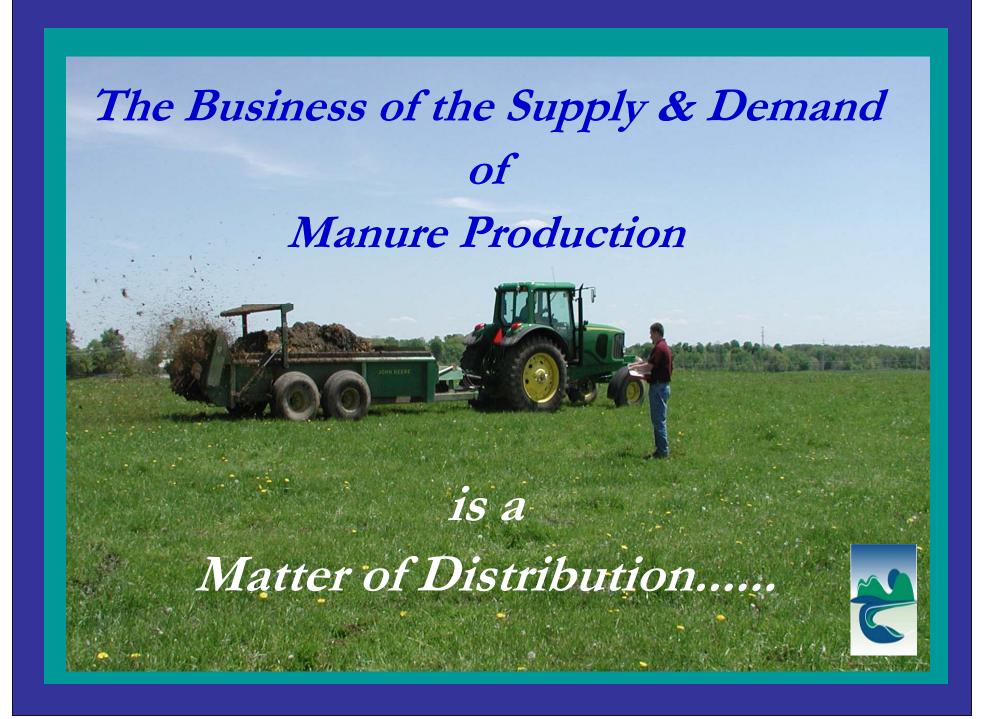
-If not, what's missing?



Manure Sales

- -Dry versus Liquids
- -NMP required
- -Sale vs Barter
- -3rd Party
- -Verification







Take Home

- Manure has valuable nutrients
- It is cost effective to haul farther
- Take efforts to preserve and recycle N
- What goes in comes out, where does it go
- Manage whole farm on a field by field basis



