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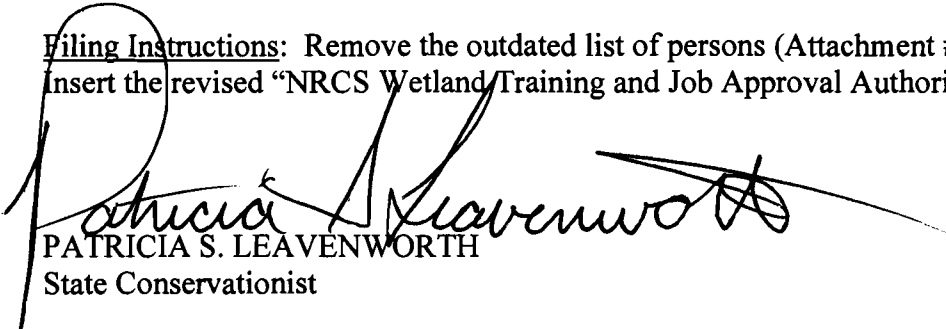
Purpose: To update the list of personnel with approval authority to complete the wetland conservation (WC) provisions of the 1985 Food Security Act (as amended).

Effective Date. Upon receipt.

Explanation: Part 513 of the NFSAM requires that personnel be trained in the use of the NFSAM when completing wetland determinations on agricultural lands and the Corps of Engineers 1987 Wetland Delineation Manual before completing wetland determinations where native vegetation has not been removed. The State Conservationist is to ensure that employees conducting activities related to the WC provisions receive adequate training and experience and is required to maintain a list of those qualified employees who are authorized to perform a particular wetland task (see NFSAM 180-V-NFSAM, Amendment WI 19, issued November 10, 1997).

Wetland Specialists will grant job approval to employees for wetland determinations and assessments. Area Engineers will grant job approval to employees for completion of scope and effects. The current list of persons with wetland approval authorities is being provided to all NRCS offices as an attachment to this amendment.

Filing Instructions: Remove the outdated list of persons (Attachment #2) after page 513-2. Insert the revised "NRCS Wetland Training and Job Approval Authority," dated March 12, 2004.


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Attachment

NRCS Wetland Training and Job Approval Authority - updated March 12, 2004

NAME	TITLE	LOCATION	MANUAL TRAINING			HYDROLOGY			SOIL TRNG.			VEGETATION		DETERMIN. ¹		DELINEATION ²		SCOPE & EFF.		HGM ASSESSMENT MODELS				MIN. EFFECTS		MITIGATION	
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Allan, Roger	DC	Janesville	Sep-97	Jun-97										Sep-97	Jun-97									Sep-97			
Allen, J. Eric	SCT	Baraboo			Feb-01																						
Beyer, Sherrie	DC	Whitehall	Sep-97		Feb-01									Oct-03													
Biel, Mark	DC	Ellsworth	Sep-97		Mar-00									Sep-97													
Bouzek, Christine	SC	Altoona	Apr-01	May-00	Feb-01									Oct-03	Oct-03												
Brereton, Nancy	DC	Baraboo	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01									Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Bricco, Robert	CET	Fond du Lac			Feb-01		Jul-97										Jul-96	Jul-96									
Brummund, Larry	SC	Whitehall		Jun-00	Feb-01				Yes			Aug-00		Jan-01	Jan-01												
Buelke, Mark	DC	Chilton	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01							Aug-00		Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Bush, Tony	TL	Oneida	Jun-97	Apr-95	Mar-94									Jun-97	Apr-95												
Christie, Scott	SC	Appleton	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01							Jun-00		Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Chroninger, Dan	SCT	Viroqua			Mar-00																						
Clarín, Caroline	ENG	Jefferson		Sep-99	Feb-01																						
Cockroft, Steve	SCT	Lancaster		Jun-97					Jun-97			Aug-96															
Cogger, Tom	TL	Ashland	Sep-97											Sep-97													
Conley, Ann	SC	Lancaster	Sep-97	Jun-97	Mar-00				Jun-97			Aug-96	Aug-97	Sep-97	Jun-97												
Coshow, Francis	SCT	Spooner			Feb-01																						
Cotter, Dan	DC	Darlington	Sep-97	Aug-96										Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Custer, Jay	SC	Baldwin	Apr-01	Jun-97	Feb-01									Apr-01	Jun-97												
Derricks, Judy	DC	Durand	Apr-01	Jun-00	Feb-01									Apr-01	Jun-00												
Dreischmeier, Mike	ENG	Richl. Center		May-00	Feb-01		Mar-98										Mar-98	Mar-98									
Drungil, Carol	ENG	Altoona		Sep-99	Feb-01																						
Eisberner, Tim	SC	Durand			Feb-01																						
Elmer, Gary	DC	Waupaca	Sep-97		Feb-01							Jun-00		Sep-97										Sep-97			
Feck, Thomas	SC	Jefferson																									
Field, Jon	SC	Mauston		Sep-99	Mar-00							Jun-99		Jun-01	Jun-01												
Fredrickson, Tom	DC	Spooner	Sep-97	Sep-94	Feb-01				Sep-97	Jan-86		Sep-94	Aug-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-94	Sep-97							Sep-97			
French, Paula	SC	Dodgeville		Aug-99	Mar-00				Jun-97			Jun-99		Jan-01	Jan-01												
Gagner, Dale	DC	Menomonie	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01							Aug-95	Aug-97	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Georgetta, Diane	C	West Bend		Jun-01																							
Gilbertson, Randy	SS	Spooner	Sep-97	Sep-94	Feb-01		Mar-98		Sep-94	Jan-86	Aug-98	Sep-94	Jul-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-94	Sep-94			Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Sep-97	Jan-02	Jan-02	
Goerg, Kim	C	Rhineland		Aug-95					Aug-95	Jan-86					Aug-95												
Gorichan, Kathryn	SC	Rhineland	Sep-97	Jun-97	Feb-01								Jun-00	Sep-97	Jun-97									Sep-97			
Gottier, George	DC	Manitowoc	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01								Jun-00	Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Haack, Pattie	SC	Madison		Jun-01	Feb-01								Jun-02	Feb-04	Feb-04												
Halvorson, Kevin	SCT	Stevens Pt.			Feb-01																						
Haughn, Gary	DC	Ashland	Yes	Yes	Feb-01				Yes			Yes		Sep-97	Aug-96												
Hausner, Gene	ARC	Richl. Center	Sep-97	Sep-94										Sep-97	Sep-94												
Hebard, Jerry	DC	Union Grove	Sep-97	Jun-00	Feb-01									Sep-97										Sep-97			
Henrich, Robert	ENG	Eau Claire			Feb-01		Jul-97										Sep-97	Sep-97									
Huffman, Terry	ARSS	Appleton	Sep-97	Sep-94	Feb-01		Mar-98		Sep-94	Jan-86	Aug-98	Sep-94	Jul-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-94	Sep-94			Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Sep-97	Jan-02	Jan-02	
Humpal, Annette	ENG	Appleton		Aug-96	Feb-01	Jun-96	Jun-96	Jun-96				Aug-98			Aug-96		Jul-96	Jul-96									
Hunt, Jim	DC	Green Bay	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01								Jun-00	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Hvizdak, Dave	RSS	Spooner		Aug-96						Jan-86																	
Igl, Greg	DC	Elkhorn	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01									Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			

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James, Peggie	DC	Dodgeville	Sep-97		Mar-00									Sep-97										Sep-97			
Johnson, Jim	DC	Monroe	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01									Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Johnson, Joe	DC	Kewaunee	Apr-01	Jun-00	Feb-01				Jun-98				Jun-00	Apr-01	Jun-01												
Johnson, Paul	SCT	Ashland			Feb-01																						
Kellermann, Steve	CET	Green Bay			Feb-01		Jul-97						Jun-00														
Kidd, Greg	BIOL	Madison		Sep-99	Feb-01																						
King, Mary	AE	Altoona		Jun-97	Feb-01	Jul-97	Jul-97								Jun-97	Jul-96	Jul-96										
Kite, Twyla	DC	Portage	Apr-01	Jun-00	Feb-01				Jun-99					Mar-03													
Kleisath, Beth	ENG	Viroqua			Feb-01																						
Knipfel, Melissa	SC	Alma			Feb-01																						
Koehler, Mike	DC	Ladysmith	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01				Aug-95	Jan-86			Aug-00	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Kugal, Ron	CET	Altoona			Feb-01		Jul-97																				
Lange, Rick	DC	Pr. du Chien	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01								Aug-96	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Langworthy, Al	CET	Blk. R. Falls			Feb-01																						
Larson, Tyrone	DC	Appleton	Apr-01	Oct-99	Apr-01								Jun-00	Apr-01	Oct-99												
Lesczynski, Erv	DC	Fond du Lac	Sep-97		Feb-01									Sep-97										Sep-97			
Lieurance, Mike	DC	Lancaster	Sep-97										Aug-96	Sep-97													
Lindgren, Peter	DC	Rhineland	Sep-97	Aug-95					Aug-95	Jan-86			Jun-00	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Lindsay, Tammy	DC	Chipp. Falls	Apr-01	Jun-00	Feb-01								Jun-00	Oct-03	Oct-03												
Lucasson, John	SSPL	Ashland		Yes					Yes	Jan-86																	
Lynch, Dan	DC	Port Wash.	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01								Aug-96	Aug-97	Sep-97	Aug-96								Sep-97			
Malovrh, Paul	SCT	Medford			Feb-01																						
Marshall, Barb	SC	Richl. Center	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01		Jul-97		Jun-97				Aug-95	Jul-97	Sep-97	Aug-95								Sep-97			
Martin, JB	DC	Madison	Apr-01	Sep-98	Feb-01				Sep-97				Jun-94	Mar-03													
Martzke, Jim	SC	Shawano	Sep-97	Aug-95					Aug-95	Jan-86			Jun-00	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Mau, Todd	DC	Alma	Sep-97		Feb-01									Sep-97										Sep-97			
Meyer, Tim	SSPL	Eau Claire		Jun-97					Jun-97	Jan-86				Jun-97													
Mortenson, Damarys	DC	Altoona	May-97	Jul-97	Apr-98				Jun-00					Oct-03	Oct-03												
Mueller, Scott	ASE	Madison		Jun-97	Feb-01	Jul-97	Jul-97								Jun-97	Jul-96	Jul-96										
Natzke, Larry	ARSS	Eau Claire	Sep-97	Sep-94	Feb-01				Sep-94	Jan-86	Aug-98	Sep-94	Jul-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-94	Sep-94	Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98		Sep-97	Jan-02	Jan-02		
Neigum, Amy	DC	Wausau	Apr-01	Jul-97	Apr-01				Aug-94				Jun-00	Feb-02	Jul-97												
Neuenfeldt, Lisa	SC	Waupaca	Feb-03	Jun-00	Feb-01				Aug-99				May-98	Feb-02	Jun-00												
Nimmer, Gene	AE	Juneau		Jun-97	Feb-01		Jul-97						Aug-98		Jun-97		Jul-96										
O' Shea, Mike	ENG	Spooner		Sep-99	Feb-01											Feb-04	Feb-04										
Otto, Becky	DC	Green Lake																									
Pellett, Tammy	SCT	Menomonie		Jun-97	Feb-01																						
Pernsteiner, Steve	DC	Baldwin	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01									Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Peterson, Dale	SCT	Portage		Jun-97	Mar-00										Jun-97												
Plawski, Robert	DC	Medford	Sep-97		Feb-01									Sep-97										Sep-97			
Porter, Dexter	DC	Sheboy. Falls	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01								Jun-00	Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Pribnow, Ron	DC	Jefferson	Sep-97	Jun-97	Feb-01									Sep-97	Jun-97									Sep-97			
Price, Vic	ARC	Eau Claire		Aug-95																							
Prissel, Steve	ARC	Juneau	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01								Aug-95	Aug-97	Sep-97	Aug-95								Sep-97			
Qualley, Lural	CET	Altoona			Feb-01																						
Rake, Steve	DC	Blk. R. Falls	Sep-97	Aug-95										Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			

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Rebman, Greg	ARC	Appleton	Sep-97	Jun-94							Jun-00			Sep-97	Jun-94									Sep-97			
Reed, Teresa	SC	Menomonie		Jun-03																							
Reigel, Jane	DC	Neillsville	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01						Aug-96	Aug-97		Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Reisner, Jodie	SC	Marinette	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-03						Jun-00			Sep-97	Aug-96												
Resch, Brian	SC	Ellsworth		Jun-03	Feb-01																						
Retzlaff, Dean	SC	Balsam Lake	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01						Aug-96			Sep-97													
Riggs, Abby	SC	Juneau		Jun-03																							
Roberts, Dave	ARSS	Juneau	Sep-97	Sep-94	Feb-01	Mar-98		Sep-94	Jan-86	Aug-98	Sep-94	Aug-97		Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-94	Sep-94			Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Jun-98	Sep-97	Jan-02	Jan-02	
Sampson, Mike	CET	Neillsville			Feb-01																						
Schuh, Brian	CET	Chilton		Jun-97	Feb-01										Jun-97												
Sengbusch, Keith	CET	Spooner			Feb-01	Jul-97										Feb-04	Feb-04										
Simonson, Duane	ARSS	Richl. Center		Aug-03			Apr-03			Jul-03				Feb-04	Feb-04												
Skemp, Sam Jr.	DC	Richl. Center	Sep-99	Mar-00				Jun-99	Jul-99		Jun-99			Jun-01	Jun-01												
Sorenson, Marlene	SC	Wautoma		Jun-03																							
Steinfest, Mark	CET	Janesville			Mar-00																						
Steinke, Gary	SCT	Barron			Feb-01																						
Sylla, Dean	AE	Appleton	Sep-99		Feb-01																						
Szulczewski, Lynn	DC	Wautoma		Jun-01	Feb-01																						
Teller, Luther	SCT	Montello			Feb-01																						
Teschner, Marshall	SC	Union Grove		Aug-96	Feb-01										Aug-96												
Thomas, Jason	SC	Madison		Jun-03																							
Wabrowetz, Kent	CET	Spooner			Feb-01	Jul-97																					
Walsh, Andy	DC	Oconto		Jun-01	Feb-01						Jun-00			Feb-02	Jun-01												
Weihrouch, Robert	BIOL	Madison	Sep-97	Aug-94	Feb-01	Mar-98		Aug-94	Jan-86	Jun-96	Aug-94	Jul-97		Sep-97	Sep-97	Aug-94	Aug-94			Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	Sep-97	
Wheeler, Greg	DC	Mauston	Sep-97	Aug-95	Feb-01		Apr-03	Jul-99			Aug-96	Aug-97		Sep-97	Aug-95									Sep-97			
Widdel, Keith	DC	Stevens Pt.	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01			Aug-96	Jan-86		Jun-00			Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Wienkes, Mark	DC	Sparta	Sep-97	Aug-96							Aug-96	Aug-97		Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			
Woodrich, Karen	DC	Merrill	Feb-02	May-00	Feb-01						Jun-00			Feb-02	May-00												
Yakel, Greg	DC	Onalaska		Aug-95	Feb-01																						
Zenk-Reed, Sherrie	TL	Keshena	Jan-01	May-95	Feb-01			Jul-99			Jun-98			Jan-01	May-95												
Zirk, Rick	GLS	Altoona	Sep-97	Sep-94	Mar-00									Sep-97	Sep-94									Sep-97			
Zygowicz, Keiith	DC	Balsam Lake	Sep-97	Aug-96	Feb-01									Sep-97	Aug-96									Sep-97			

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