

# Local Work Group development of local EQIP.

Crow Wing Soil and Water Conservation District FY04 EQIP

1. List the local resource concerns that EQIP can address:

Erosion Control esp Organic Farming

Water Resource

Forest Management

Wildlife Habitat

2. If applicable, list any geographic regions (i.e. watersheds, townships, etc.) and their respective resource concerns within the District to receive priority:

Practices located within 300' of a stream or 1000' of a lake.

3. Prioritize and weight each local resource concern for the district. Weight must be between 1 and 10:

Factor	Resource Priority	Weight
A1. Erosion Control	1	6(organic only)
A2 Gully Control		
B1 Water Resource	2	
B2 Wastewater/CNMP		
C Habitat Improvement	5	
D Air Quality		
E Impaired Water		
F Distance		
G Grazing System	3	6
H Forest Mgt.	4	
Additional Local*	1	6

\* If the additional local concern is scored, describe the concern here and how points will be scored. Include any geographic priorities.

Near Lake or Stream

4. Attach the scoring worksheet as recommended for the district.
5. List any recommended practices to be deleted from the state Conservation Practice Payment Document   None

The local EQIP program description, cost-share docket changes, and ranking worksheet must be reviewed and approved by the State Conservationist before any EQIP contract is approved and signed.

This document serves as the Local Work Group recommendation for FY 03 EQIP. Attached is a roster of participation in the Local Work Group.

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Chair, Local Work Group

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