Local Work Group development of local EQIP.

Sibley Soil and Water Conservation District FY06 EQIP

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

1) Water	2) Soil	3) Animals	4) Plants	5) Air
High -	- -	- -	- -	Low

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

   All resource concerns in the shoreland area, Conservation and Ag. District areas as shown on County Zoning map.

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	2	High	9
A2 Gully Control	6	Medium	9
B1 Water Resource	1	High	10
B2 Wastewater/CNMP	4	Medium	8
C Habitat Improvement	7	Low	6
D Air Quality	8	Low	5
E Impaired Water	3	Medium	9
F Distance	5	Medium	9
G Grazing System	10	Low	4
H Forest Mgt.	9	Low	4
Additional Local*	*		2

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

   When located in the geographic priority area as listed above they will receive 6 points with weight factor of 2.

4. Attach the scoring worksheet as recommended for the district.

   See above table.

5. List any recommended practices to be deleted from the state Conservation Practice Payment Document.

   No deletion recommended.

   Would like to add tile intakes protections / Blind intakes, rock intakes etc.

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 06 EQIP. Attached is a roster of participation in the Local Work Group.

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Chair, Local Work Group — Date