

Ranking Pool: FY24 FB NWQI Mill Creek

Program: EQIP Pool Status: Active States: WA (Admin)

Template: NWQI (National Water Quality Initiative) FY2022

Template Active

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Land Uses and Modifiers

| Land Use | Grazed | Wildlife | Irrigated | Hayed | Drained | Organic | Water Feature | Protected | Urban | Aquaculture |
|--------------------|--------|----------|-----------|-------|---------|---------|---------------|-----------|-------|-------------|
| Associated Ag Land | | | | | N/A | | | | | |
| Crop | | | | | | | | | | |
| Farmstead | | | | N/A | N/A | | | | | |
| Forest | х | | | N/A | N/A | | | | | |
| Other Rural Land | | | | N/A | N/A | | | | | |
| Pasture | | | | | | | | | | |
| Range | | | N/A | | N/A | | | | | |
| Water | N/A | | N/A | N/A | N/A | | | | | |

Resource Concern Categories

| Categories | | | |
|--|-------|-----------|-------|
| Category | Min % | Default % | Max % |
| Aquatic habitat | 0 | 5 | 10 |
| Concentrated erosion | 10 | 15 | 40 |
| Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss | 20 | 55 | 80 |
| Soil quality limitations | 0 | 10 | 10 |
| Storage and handling of pollutants | 10 | 10 | 50 |
| Wind and water erosion | 5 | 5 | 20 |

| Aquatic habitat | | | |
|--|-------|-----------|-------|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % |
| Aquatic habitat for fish and other organisms | 0 | 50 | 100 |
| Elevated water temperature | 0 | 50 | 100 |

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| Concentrated erosion | | | | |
|--|-------|-----------|-------|--|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % | |
| Bank erosion from streams, shorelines or water conveyance channels | 20 | 50 | 60 | |
| Classic gully erosion | 20 | 35 | 60 | |
| Ephemeral gully erosion | 15 | 15 | 60 | |

| Field sediment, nutrient and pathogen loss | | | | |
|---|-------|-----------|-------|--|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % | |
| Nutrients transported to groundwater | 10 | 20 | 60 | |
| Nutrients transported to surface water | 10 | 20 | 60 | |
| Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids or compost applications transported to groundwater | 10 | 20 | 60 | |
| Pathogens and chemicals from manure, biosolids or compost applications transported to surface water | 10 | 20 | 60 | |
| Sediment transported to surface water | 10 | 20 | 60 | |

| Soil quality limitations | | | | | |
|---|-------|-----------|-------|--|--|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % | | |
| Aggregate instability | 0 | 20 | 100 | | |
| Compaction | 0 | 20 | 100 | | |
| Concentration of salts or other chemicals | 0 | 20 | 100 | | |
| Organic matter depletion | 0 | 20 | 100 | | |
| Soil organism habitat loss or degradation | 0 | 10 | 100 | | |
| Subsidence | 0 | 10 | 100 | | |

| Storage and handling of pollutants | | | | | |
|---|-------|-----------|-------|--|--|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % | | |
| Nutrients transported to groundwater | 10 | 30 | 80 | | |
| Nutrients transported to surface water | 10 | 30 | 80 | | |
| Petroleum, heavy metals and other pollutants transported to groundwater | 10 | 20 | 80 | | |
| Petroleum, heavy metals and other pollutants transported to surface water | 10 | 20 | 80 | | |

| Wind and water erosion | | | |
|------------------------|-------|-----------|-------|
| Resource Concern | Min % | Default % | Max % |
| Sheet and rill erosion | 10 | 80 | 100 |
| Wind erosion | 0 | 20 | 90 |

Practices

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| Practice Name | | Practice Type |
|--|-----|---------------------------|
| Waste Storage Facility | 313 | Conservation Practices |
| Animal Mortality Facility | 316 | Conservation Practices |
| Composting Facility | 317 | Conservation Practices |
| Conservation Cover | 327 | Conservation Practices |
| Conservation Crop Rotation | 328 | Conservation Practices |
| Residue and Tillage Management, No Till | 329 | Conservation Practices |
| Contour Farming | 330 | Conservation Practices |
| Contour Orchard and Other Perennial Crops | 331 | Conservation Practices |
| Contour Buffer Strips | 332 | Conservation Practices |
| Cover Crop | 340 | Conservation Practices |
| Critical Area Planting | 342 | Conservation Practices |
| Residue and Tillage Management, Reduced Till | 345 | Conservation Practices |
| Groundwater Testing | 355 | Conservation Practices |
| Waste Treatment Lagoon | 359 | Conservation Practices |
| Waste Facility Closure | 360 | Conservation Practices |
| Anaerobic Digester | 366 | Conservation Practices |
| Field Border | 386 | Conservation Practices |
| Riparian Herbaceous Cover | 390 | Conservation Practices |
| Riparian Forest Buffer | 391 | Conservation Practices |
| Filter Strip | 393 | Conservation Practices |
| Stream Habitat Improvement and Management | 395 | Conservation Practices |
| Grade Stabilization Structure | 410 | Conservation Practices |
| Grassed Waterway | 412 | Conservation Practices |
| Irrigation Reservoir | 436 | Conservation Practices |
| Irrigation Water Management | 449 | Conservation Practices |
| Access Control | 472 | Conservation Practices |
| Prescribed Grazing | 528 | Conservation Practices |

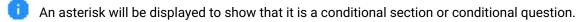
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| Practice Name | Practice Code | Practice Type |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Practice Name | Practice Code | |
| Drainage Water Management | 554 | Conservation Practices |
| Heavy Use Area Protection | 561 | Conservation Practices |
| Trails and Walkways | 575 | Conservation Practices |
| Streambank and Shoreline Protection | 580 | Conservation Practices |
| Nutrient Management | 590 | Conservation Practices |
| Terrace | 600 | Conservation Practices |
| Vegetative Barrier | 601 | Conservation Practices |
| Saturated Buffer | 604 | Conservation Practices |
| Denitrifying Bioreactor | 605 | Conservation Practices |
| Waste Treatment | 629 | Conservation Practices |
| Waste Recycling | 633 | Conservation Practices |
| Waste Transfer | 634 | Conservation Practices |
| Vegetated Treatment Area | 635 | Conservation Practices |
| Water and Sediment Control Basin | 638 | Conservation Practices |
| Constructed Wetland | 656 | Conservation Practices |

Ranking Weights

| Factors | Algorithm | Allowable Min | Default | Allowable Max |
|--------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|---------------|
| Vulnerabilities | Default | 15 | 15 | 40 |
| Planned Practice Effects | Adjustment (D) | 10 | 10 | 15 |
| Resource Priorities | Default | 20 | 50 | 60 |
| Program Priorities | Default | 5 | 15 | 15 |
| Efficiencies | Default | 10 | 10 | 10 |

Display Group: FY24 FB NWQI Mill Creek (Active)



Survey: Applicability Questions

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| Section: Location Location | | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------|--------|--|--|--|
| Question | Answer Choices | Points | | | |
| Mill Crook Watershad | Mill Creek watershed | | | | |
| Mill Creek Watershed | No | | | | |

Survey: Category Questions

| Section: Category Question | | | | |
|--|----------------|--------|--|--|
| Question | Answer Choices | Points | | |
| Does 51% or more of the PLU fall within NWQI Mill Creek Watershed? (if not, STOP this ranking and decline this pool) | YES | | | |
| | NO | | | |

Survey: Program Questions

| Question | Answer Choices | Points |
|--|----------------|--------|
| On the CCC1200 application did the applicant select a livestock type; or after site visit did employee witness livestock at the participants property, AND that livestock type information has been entered into Protracts? Point value: 40 pts | YES | 40 |
| | NO | 0 |
| On the CCC1200 application, did the applicant self-certify as a Historically Underserved (HU) client (Beginning Farmer Rancher, Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Rancher, Limited Resource Farmer Rancher, Veteran Farmer Rancher) participant, AND the same HU status has been entered into Protracts applicant information? Point value: 50 pts | YES | 50 |
| | NO | 0 |
| Application includes at least three different Climate Smart Agriculture and Forestry conservation practices from listed practices. (CPS311, CPS313, CPS314, CPS315, CPS317, CPS327, CPS328, CPS329, CPS332, CPS336, CPS340, CPS342, CPS345, CPS366, CPS367, CPS372, CPS374, CPS379, CPS380, CPS381, CPS383, CPS384, CPS386, CPS390, CPS391, CPS393, CPS412, CPS420, CPS422, CPS430, CPS441, CPS442, CPS484, CPS512, CPS528, CPS533, CPS550, CPS585, CPS590, CPS592, CPS601, CPS603, CPS612, CPS632, CPS643, CPS650, CPS657, CPS666, CPS670, CPS672). Point value: 20 pts | YES | 20 |
| | NO | 0 |
| Contract expiration date is four years or less (expiration date ending 12/31/2028 or earlier). Point Value: 50 pts | YES | 50 |
| | NO | 0 |
| Application is located within Source Water Protection (SWP) area (see map), AND application includes at least three different SWP conservation practice from listed practices. (CPS313, CPS316, CPS317, CPS327, CPS328, CPS329, CPS330, CPS331, CPS332, CPS340, PCPS342, CPS345, CPS355, CPS359, CPS360, CPS366, CPS386, CPS390, CPS391, CPS393, CPS395, CPS410, CPS412, CPS436, CPS449, CPS472, CPS528, CPS554, CPS561, CPS575, CPS580, CPS590, CPS600, CPS601, CPS604, CPS605, CPS612, CPS629, CPS633, CPS634, CPS635, CPS638, CPS656). Point Value: 10 pts | YES | 10 |
| | NO | 0 |
| Application(s) Planned Land Unit is an existing ACEP-ALE, GRP, or FRPP easement. Point value: 10 pts | YES | 10 |
| | NO | 0 |

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| Section: Program Questions | | | |
| Question | Answer Choices | Points | |
| Application has at least one management practice (CPS395, CPS643, CPS644, CPS645, CPS647), AND at least one wildlife conservation practice from listed practices (CPS314, CPS315, CPS327, CPS328, | YES | 20 | |
| CPS340, CPS342, CPS378, CPS380, CPS384, CPS390, CPS391, CPS394, CPS396, CPS420, CPS472, CPS516, CPS612, CPS614, CPS642, CPS649, CPS657, CPS659). Point value: 20 pts | NO | 0 | |

Survey: Resource Questions

| Question | Answer Choices | Points |
|--|---|--------|
| NMFS Critical Salmonid Habitat | NMFS Critical Salmonid Habitat | 80 |
| | Otherwise | 0 |
| Will the proposed project improve water quality by (select all that apply) | The applicant will implement three of the four below practices: CPS328, CPS329 or CPS345, CPS 340 on 50 percent or more of their PLUs within this contract. 80 pts | 80 |
| | Reducing impacts from sediment, nutrients, salinity, or pesticides on land adjoining a designated impaired water body? (TMDL, 303D listed waterbody, or other State designation) 35 pts | 35 |
| | Reducing the impacts from sediment, nutrients, salinity, or pesticides in a non-impaired water body? 5 pts | 5 |
| | None of the above | 0 |

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