

State Cost Share Ranking Priority List

Ranking Priority of Conservation Practices in Kentucky State Cost Share Program

Practices that address livestock waste related issues in pastureland and/or animal feeding operations receive priority per 416 KAR 1:010. The following list is an aid for field staff and may not include all practices available.

High Priority Practices:

- 316** Animal Mortality Facility
- 317** Composting Facility
- 102** Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP)
- 382** Fence (to remove livestock from stream, sinkhole, pond)
- 393** Filter Strip
- 512** Pasture & Hay Planting (converting cropland to hay/pasture)
- 410** Grade Stabilization Structure
- 412** Grassed Waterway
- 561** Heavy Use Area (livestock feeding pads)
- 391** Riparian Forest Buffer
- 390** Riparian Herbaceous Cover
- 558** Roof Runoff Structure
- 367** Roofs and Covers
- 578** Stream Crossing (livestock)
- 575** Trails and Walkways
- 612** Tree and Shrub Establishment
- 635** Vegetative Treatment Area
- 313** Waste Storage Facility
- 634** Waste Transfer
- 359** Waste Treatment Lagoon
- 614** Water Facility (remove livestock from stream, sinkhole, pond)
- 638** Water and Sediment Control Basin

Medium Priority Practices:

- 342** Critical Area
- 340** Cover Crop
- 362** Diversion
- 382** Fence (cross fence for rotational grazing)
- 386** Field Border
- 516** Livestock Pipeline
- 484** Mulching (erosion control blanket)
- 104** Nutrient Management Plan (fertilizer only)
- 590** Nutrient Management- Manure Application
- 329** Residue and Tillage Management
- 574** Spring Development
- 578** Stream Crossing (equipment)
- 600** Terrace
- 606** Subsurface Drain
- 620** Underground Outlet
- 614** Water Facility (promote rotational grazing)

Low Priority Practices:

- 314** Brush Management
- 382** Fence (fencing to protect forestland)
- 561** Heavy Use Area (gate openings)
- 590** Nutrient Management (fertilizer application)
- 378** Pond
- 614** Water Facility (ramp in pond)
- 512** Pasture & Hay Planting (pasture renovation)
- 642** Water Well