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Kentucky Conservation Districts are governmental subdivisions of the state, organized under Kentucky Revised Statute 262. They were established by a referendum of the citizens of the district. Conservation Districts are responsible for protecting our soil, water and other natural resources. Each district is governed by seven locally-elected officials who serve a four-year term without pay. Conservation Districts make technical and financial help available to landowners to reduce soil erosion, prevent water pollution, and maintain and improve the quality and productivity of our farmlands, forests, and other natural resources. Assistance is available to everyone in dealing with natural resources issues, including homeowners, businesses, schools, organizations, agencies, cities and local governments.

All programs and services of the Conservation District are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, disability, political beliefs, and marital or familial status.

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Conservation District Cost Share Program Announced

(10 March 2009 - Burlington, KY) The Boone, Campbell and Kenton County Conservation Districts will be accepting applications for cost share funding under the Kentucky Soil Erosion and Water Quality Cost Share Program March 16, 2009 through April 15, 2009.

The Kentucky Soil Erosion and Water Quality Cost Share Program was started in 1994 by the Kentucky General Assembly to help agricultural operations protect the soil and water resources of the Commonwealth. This program provides annual cost share funds to be administered by conservation districts with priority given to animal waste related problems and agricultural district participants where pollution problems have been identified. Funding for this program comes from the Kentucky Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement. Funding for practices will be approved by the Soil and Water Conservation Commission at the Kentucky Division of Conservation, located in Frankfort, based on an established statewide ranking system. The applications will be ranked according to the criteria established, which gives a high priority to addressing animal waste problems, landowners in Agricultural Districts and applicants who have their Agriculture Water Quality Plans on file with their county conservation district.

To apply, contact your county conservation district. Campbell County Conservation District, 8351 East Main Street, Suite 104, Alexandria, KY 41001, phone 859-635-9587, E-mail at campbellcd@fuse.net. Office hours are Mon., Wed., and Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Boone and Kenton County Conservation Districts, 6028 Camp Ernst Road, Burlington, KY 41005; Phone 859-586-7903; E-mail: sally.aaron@ky.nacdnet.net. Office hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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