

Tygart's Valley Conservation District

**Waste storage facility to address animal waste concerns
Environmental Ranking Criteria 2004**

Points can only be earned when there is an environmental concern to be addressed by the implementation of a Conservation Management System. If the applicant is already doing the conservation practice that eliminates an environmental concern, the points will not be assigned. Points will be awarded as written on the worksheet and not arbitrarily reduced. Practices completed on tracts that have received prior cost share programs can not be awarded points or additional cost share.

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____
FSN _____ TRACT _____

Limited Resource Farmer: Yes or No **Circle One**
Beginning Farmer: Yes or No **Circle One**

1. ___ Is the site being considered to comply with any regulations, law or informal WVDEP complaint.

(Copy of complaint required)

10 pts. = YES
0 pts. = NO

2. ___ Currently manure or contaminated runoff from barnyards and or / field storage is in proximity to a stream, pond or active sinkhole.

<100 ft from surface water/active sinkhole = 15
100-300 ft from surface water/active sinkhole = 10
300-500 ft from surface water/active sinkhole = 5

3. ___ Entire waste handling system, including existing components, are being relocated out of a flood prone area. *(According to soils map.)*

25 pts. = YES
0 pts. = NO

4. ___ Fence stream from feeding area. *(Alternative water may be addressed with cost sharing.)*

10 pts. = YES
0 pts. = NO

5. ___ Does cooperator have less than 60 days storage currently.

5 pts. = YES
0 pts. = NO

TOTAL _____