

BWSR Local Capacity Grant for FY 2018

Fillmore Soil and Water Conservation District

BWSR Grant Awarded \$ 102,000

Grant Period (incl. extensions) From: October 5, 2017 To: December 31, 2020

Funds Returned to State Type \$0 Date Fund Returned: N/A

Expenditures by Category	
As of 12/31/2017	
Technical/Eng. Asstbuffers	\$ O
Technical/Eng. Asst conserva- tion practice TA	\$ 1,910.00
Conservation Practice Cost Share	\$ O
Equipment and Supplies-Vehicle	\$ O
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,910.00
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The Local Capacity Grants represent a response to SWCD demand for increased funding to build local capacity for technology, equipment, staffing and programs and practices. Each SWCD in the state received \$100,000 plus a supplemental allocation based on their county's commitment to match additional state funds. Fillmore County approved \$2000 to be matched with state funds to increase funding for buffer law implementation.

Outputs and Outcomes

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2017: Two 3-year cover crop contracts approved by the SWCD Board (17 acres @\$30/ac and 35 acres @\$40/acre). First year payments were approved 11/16/17. JAA: Dean Thomas, Area Soil Health Technician



Outcomes:

Water pollution reduction estimates for projects completed: Estimated Soil Savings = 5.2 T/year Estimated Phosphorus reduction = 2.03 lbs./year Estimated Sediment (TSS) reduction = 1.73 T/year



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