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Have a Farm? Interested in Financial Assistance for BMPs?

MIDDLEBURG – The Snyder County Conservation District (SCCD) is gathering a list of farmers, agricultural operators, livestock and equine owners and farm landowners interested in best management practices (BMPs). Potential BMPs to be funded may include riparian and vegetative buffers, streambank fencing, improved barnyards, manure storages and pasture watering systems.

Although the SCCD currently does not have any funds, we may find possible financial assistance in the near future for agricultural and streamside BMPs. If interested, either contact Jason Winey, SCCD Watershed Specialist, at 570-837-3000, extension 112 or Barry Spangler, SCCD Agricultural Conservation Technician, at 570-837-3000, extension 118. The SCCD office is located at 10541 Route 522, Middleburg, and is open from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Note: Interested people may also check with the USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) at 401 West Market Street, Middleburg, (570-837-0007, extension 3) for possible financial assistance.

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