

## Appendix D: Agricultural Stewardship Plan Template and Checklist

Section one of the Individual Agricultural Stewardship Plan (below) will be used to better understand past conservation efforts and help identify future conservation needs. This information will also be used to assess trends in conservation efforts and will help guide funding needs. External reporting of provided information will only occur at the watershed level to protect the privacy of the landowner(s) and operation. Personally identifiable information will be held in confidentiality by the Asotin County Conservation District (ACCD).

**Today's Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION 1. LANDOWNER INFORMATION

Your Name	
Farm or Ranch Name	
Mailing Address	
Email	
Phone Number(s)	
What form of communication do you prefer?	

**Type of Ownership. Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Landowner – Cooperator (and Spouse) owned
- ☐ Multiple Party Ownership – Cooperator jointly owns property and is not the sole decision maker
- ☐ Leased/Rented – Cooperator is not the owner of the property

### SECTION 2. OPERATION INFORMATION

**How do you use your land? Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Confined Livestock Area – Land used for high intensity animals including barn lots, feed pens, corrals, etc.
- ☐ Non-Irrigated Crop – Land used primarily for the production and harvest of annual crops, forage, food, and/or fiber
- ☐ Irrigated Crop – Land used primarily for the production and harvest of annual crops, forage, food, and/or fiber
- ☐ Forest – Land on which the primary vegetation is tree cover
- ☐ Hay – Land on which perennial plants are managed and primarily harvested for forage
- ☐ Pasture – Grazed land that periodically receives renovation through tillage, fertilization, etc., but not part of a crop rotation

- ☐ Range – Land primarily used for animal grazing
- ☐ Orchard – Land used to grow fruit trees
- ☐ Vineyard – Land used to grow grapes
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Historically, how was your land used or operation conducted?**

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**What are your operation goals currently, in 3 years, and 5 years in the future?**

Currently:

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Three years:

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Five years:

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**What type of concerns do you have on your property?**

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### SECTION 3. CONSERVATION PROJECTS

**Have you ever implemented any conservation projects?**

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

**Are you currently implementing any conservation projects?**

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

If yes, explain what conservation projects:

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**Please fill in the table on the next page.**

Stewardship Strategies and Conservation Practice Examples	Yes	No	No, but interested	N/A	Comments
Residue and Tillage Management					
Residue/Tillage Management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Chemical and Nutrient Management					
Pest Management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Nutrient Management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Range/Pasture Management					
Prescribed/Managed Grazing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Range Planting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Stock Watering Facilities/Wells	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Fencing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Soil Management					
Conservation Crop Rotation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Cover Crop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Mulch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Critical Area Planting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Habitat Management					
Conservation/Perennial Cover	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Noxious Weed and Invasive Species Control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Tree/Shrub Establishment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Timberland Management					
Commercial Harvest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Managed Grazing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Fuels Reduction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Forest Health Practices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Water Resource Management					
Riparian Buffers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Livestock Access Control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Instream Habitat Structures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Wetland Management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	
Other(s): _____	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	

**Have any of the conservation projects been with assistance, technical or financial, from any of the following agencies? Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Asotin County Conservation District (ACCD)
- ☐ Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS)
- ☐ Farm Service Agency (FSA)
- ☐ None
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Explain how assistance was provided:

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## SECTION 4. CRITICAL AREAS

**Which of the following critical areas are on your property? Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Fish and Wildlife Conservation Areas
- ☐ Frequently Flooded Areas
- ☐ Geologically Hazardous Areas
- ☐ Wetlands
- ☐ Critical Aquifer Recharge Areas

If you checked one or multiple boxes above, please explain the critical area in more detail (e.g., size, river or stream length, fish and wildlife species)

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## SECTION 5. LAND INVENTORY

**What type of water resources do you have on your land(s)? Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Perennial Stream – year-round flow
- ☐ Intermittent Stream – seasonal flow
- ☐ Ephemeral Stream – rain or spring thawing dependent flow

- ☐ Natural Spring – surface water that is fed by groundwater
- ☐ Wetland – areas that are inundated or saturated by surface or groundwater
- ☐ Pond – natural or manmade body of standing water
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**If a perennial stream is on your land, are steelhead and/or salmon present?**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not sure

**What type of native terrestrial habitats occur on your land(s)? Check all that apply.**

- ☐ Forests – Trees are the dominant vegetation type, grasses and shrubs may be present
- ☐ Grasslands – Grasses are the dominant vegetation type, shrubs may be present
- ☐ Riparian – Shrubs and trees adjacent to a river, stream, or creek
- ☐ Rocky – Cliffs, rocky outcrops, rockslides, etc.
- ☐ Shrub-steppe – An even mixture of shrubs and grasses

**What wildlife species have you observed on your property?**

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**Are there any components of your land you would like to know more about? For example, soil types.**

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**Would you like a complete resource management plan done on the entire or portion of your land/operation?**

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not sure

Please explain:

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**Additional Comments or Information**

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