# NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE (NRCS)

# DISTRICT CONSERVATIONIST'S MONLTY REPORT

# 8/15/2024

## **PERSONNEL/OFFICE**

• The Lancaster and Cass County Service Centers are under normal operations.

### LPSNRD LAND TREATMENT

- LPSNRD currently has the following land treatment cost-share program applications:
  - o Lancaster County
    - 5 Summer 2024 Structural Applications
    - 10 Fall 2024 Structural Applications
    - 2 Fall 2024 Cover Crop Applications
  - Cass County
    - 4 Summer 2024 Structural Applications
    - 15 Fall 2024 Structural Applications

### USDA PROGRAMS

- Technicians are working on structural projects and checking completed projects. Finishing up summer projects and preparing for fall projects.
- Planning staff have finished FY24 contract obligations for FY24 EQIP/CSP applications. They are finishing up with writing CRP plans/contracts and beginning to do field work and planning for general conservation plans and FY25 program applications.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

• 9/1/24 – CSP-Grassland Conservation Initiative Application Deadline

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