



Conservation Planner Certification Groups

Situation

1. Have never been NRCS conservation planner certified

- 2A. Have taken NRCS required certification courses since January 1, 2013 or are in the process of taking them.

- 2B. Persons previously certified through NRCS that expired prior to January 1, 2016

3. Currently NRCS-certified or NRCS-certified as of January 1, 2016 or after

Action

- Must complete DCR's required certification course work (DCR-provided or approved) and submit a DCR Conservation Plan for review and approval.
- Must complete all required certification course work, submit a DCR Conservation Plan for review and approval, and provide to DCR documentation in the Module of all courses taken and when courses were taken.
- Must submit to DCR a scanned copy of their NRCS Certification, complete highlighted courses, and submit a DCR Conservation Plan for review and approval before DCR certification can be issued. Additional course work may be required by DCR based upon deficiencies identified in the Conservation Plan Review.
- Must submit to DCR a scanned copy of their NRCS Certification and the Certification will be recognized.