

Conservation Agriculture Policy Course

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Federal Conservation Policy

- USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) and Conservation Districts (NRCD)
- Conservation Planning

Read:

- 2018 Farm Bill Title II Primer <https://fas.org/sgp/crs/misc/IF11199.pdf>
- Food Security Act <https://www.agriculture.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/99-198%20-%20Food%20Security%20Act%20Of%201985.pdf> **Skim pg 79-89, pg 94-109** Chapter 4 - Environmental Quality Incentives Program and Conservation Stewardship Program
- Explore the White River NRCD and NRCS website (especially EQIP)
www.whiterivernrcd.org
<https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/site/national/home/>