



Grant All-Detail Report Buffer Law 2016

Grant Title - 2016 - Buffer Law (Douglas SWCD)

Grant ID - P16-1091

Organization - Douglas SWCD

Grant Awarded Amount	\$20,000.00	Grant Execution Date	1/6/2016
Required Match Amount	\$0.00	Grant End Date	12/31/2017
Required Match %	0%	Grant Day To Day Contact	Jerome Haggemiller

Budget Summary

	Budgeted	Spent	Balance Remaining*
Total Grant Amount	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$0.00
Total Match Amount			\$0.00
Total Other Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$0.00

**Grant balance remaining is the difference between the Awarded Amount and the Spent Amount. Other values compare budgeted and spent amounts.*

Budget Details

Activity Name	Activity Category	Source Type	Source Description	Budgeted	Spent	Last Transaction Date	Match
2016 Buffer Law implementation	Agricultural Practices	Current State Grant	2016 - Buffer Law (Douglas SWCD)	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	12/30/2016	N

Activity Details Summary

Activity Details	Total Action Count	Total Activity Mapped	Proposed Size / Unit	Actual Size / Unit
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Proposed Activity Indicators

Activity Name	Indicator Name	Value & Units	Waterbody	Calculation Tool	Comments
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Final Indicators Summary

Indicator Name	Total Value	Unit
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Grant Activity

Grant Activity - 2016 Buffer Law implementation			
Description	2016 Buffer Law implementation		
Category	AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES		
Start Date	31-Jan-16	End Date	31-Dec-16
Has Rates and Hours?	No		
Actual Results	<p>No funds spent in 2015.</p> <p>In 2016, Douglas SWCD spoke at the annual Douglas County Feedlot meeting and the annual Douglas County Corn and Soybean Growers meeting on the Minnesota Buffer Law. We also attended an irrigation clinic to be available for landowners to sit down and review their land to see if they would be affected by the MN Buffer Law. Douglas SWCD completed an initial parcel review based off of aerial imagery in BWSR's Buffer Compliance and Tracking Desktop Tool to identify those areas that are compliant. Douglas SWCD has met with many landowners throughout the year to go over the parcels they own and operator to see how they would be affected with the law. We have discussed different options with landowners to be compliant with the law that include conservation programs and alternative practices. We have been creating maps for interested landowners showing buffer areas that would be required to be installed come November 1, 2017. Along with this, the District has made many field reviews and staked sites where buffers will be required. We included information on the Buffer Law in our Annual Newsletter. We have been interviewed by the local newspaper to provide information for an article on the Buffer Law along with providing the newspaper with a couple of articles on water quality and buffers.</p>		

Grant Attachments

Document Name	Document Type	Description
2016 Buffer Law Final Financial Report	Progress	Progress Dated - 01/31/2017
2016 Buffer Law and MAWQCP Grants	Grant Agreement	2016 Buffer Law & MAWQCP - Douglas SWCD
2016 Buffer Law and MAWQCP Grants executed	Grant Agreement	2016 Buffer Law & MAWQCP - Douglas SWCD