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CONSERVATION LOAN PROGRAM
The Farm Service Agency offers financial assistance to farmers to cover the cost of carrying out a qualified conservation project.
FSA Now Loans for a Variety of Conservation Practices

What FSA Offers Farmers:

- Over 70 years of experience in agricultural lending
- Agriculture Loans delivered in a timely fashion
- Agriculture Loans at low interest rates and extended repayment terms
- Individual financial planning and expertise
- A wide range of financial products and services
- Experienced loan officers familiar with cash flow lending
- Direct and guaranteed loan programs which offers more flexibility

Types of Conservation Loans:

- **Conservation Real Estate Loans**
  - Develop land to promote soil, water, or air conservation
  - Convert to Organic Operation
  - Up to 20 year term

- **Conservation Chattel Loans**
  - 1-7 years repayment
  - Loans for small agricultural-related operations

**General Information**

- Fixed rate
- No limits on size of operation (large or small)
- $300,000 loan limit
- Streamline Option available with reduced paperwork
- Project must be on NRCS Conservation Plan
- Must be Ag-related project

Where Do I Apply?

Apply for direct loan assistance at your local FSA office. Local FSA offices are listed on the back of this brochure.