performancereport

Fiscal Year 2022





Funding for FY2022*

TOTAL	\$1,215,885
Miscellaneous	\$1,138
USDA Forest Service	\$12,069
US Fish and Wildlife Service	\$26,154
Idaho Office of Species Cons.	\$402,767
Idaho Dept. of Lands	\$33,722
Idaho Dept. of Env. Quality	\$119,757
Bonneville Power Admin	\$558,831
State of Idaho	\$38,947
Local Units of Government	\$22,500

*The above represents Latah SWCD grant and contract income within FY22. Six new grants and contracts were *awarded* in FY22 totaling \$1,282,521 to be expended over the next several years.

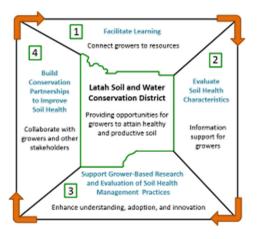


Mission Statement

Lead local efforts to promote the stewardship of natural resources through the development of comprehensive plans and the implementation of strategies for economic and ecological sustainability, on behalf of our citizens, through the coordination of leadership, information and funding.

Resources of Community Concern Prioritized in FY2022

- 1. Fisheries (wild steelhead habitat)
- 2. Threatened Ecosystems (Palouse Prairie)
- 3. Agricultural Lands (soil health)



In FY22, Latah SWCD assisted the Idaho Association of Soil Conservation District and the University of Idaho with a USDA grant application to address agricultural practices and climate change. If funded, this grant will be implemented throughout the State of Idaho.

LATAH SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT



In FY22, several public and private entities worked with the Latah SWCD to undertake large meadow restoration projects to enhance wild steelhead habitat within the Potlatch River watershed. Funding was secured by Latah SWCD through the Bonneville Power Administration, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Idaho Department of Lands, and Idaho Office of Species Conservation.

FY 2022 Accomplishments

- Meadow restorations were implemented on private lands within the Big Bear Creek watershed. In total, 16 meadow restoration projects have been completed in the Potlatch River hasin
- Latah SWCD field crews continue to construct Beaver Dam Analogs on private, state and federal lands in collaboration with landowners and agency partners
- Palouse Prairie restoration projects were expanded on private lands throughout Latah County.
- In FY22, the implementation of the agriculture soil health program was limited due to staff changes.

In FY22, Latah SWCD continued to expand capacity to undertake aerial flights to monitor restoration sites. Aerial monitoring has assisted private and public land managers and provided additional tools for effectiveness monitoring of restoration projects.



Board of Supervisors

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IDAHO SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION

PERFORMANCE REPORT CERTIFICATION

DISTRICT: Latah	
FOR YEAR:	
FY22	
DUE	

December 20, 2022

CERTIFICATION

On behalf of my local Board of Supervisors, I hereby certify that the attached Performance Report is true and accurate, and further submit said Report for the above named District and fiscal year.

A copy of this Performance Report shall be kept at the District office and i
available for public inspection.
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