

Balanced Rock Soil Conservation District



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Meets third Wednesday of each month

Top Five Natural Resource Concerns

1. Water Quality
2. Groundwater Quality
3. Cropland
4. Animal Waste Management
5. Rangeland

2025 Revenue

State Grants and Services: \$28,334
County General Services: \$9,500

Total: \$37,834

Recent Projects



Educating future conservationists

Balanced Rock SCD sponsors a poster contest each spring for 4th, 5th and 6th graders. Approximately 100 students from four schools participated in 2025.

A speech contest is held every fall for high school students. The 2025 theme was Home is Where the Habitat Is.

The District also sponsors a booth in the Ag Pavilion at the Twin Falls County Fair to share the conservation message with more people.

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Reaching non-farm folks

Balanced Rock SCD also participated in the 2025 Twin Falls County Fair, featuring the Soil and Water Stewardship theme — “Home is Where the Habitat Is.” A Minute-to-Win-It stacking game was adapted to incorporate a fun message about wildlife habitats.

The Balanced Rock, Snake River and Twin Falls conservation districts also have a representative on the Twin Falls County Ag Pavilion Advisory Committee. This Committee helps the Ag Pavilion meet its goal of educating non-agricultural folks about the importance of agriculture and natural resources within Twin Falls County.

No-Till Drill

Balanced Rock SCD purchased a 10-ft no-till drill in 2020 that is available for cooperators to rent. The Board is looking into purchasing a 15-ft no-till drill that could be used by larger operations thanks to demand. The drill was used on about 1,200 acres in 2025.

Future Projects

The Balanced Rock SCD is exploring options for developing their own cost-share program to encourage more growers to consider planting multi-species cover crops to reduce wind erosion potential and boost soil health.



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CONSERVATION COMMISSION
PERFORMANCE
REPORT
CERTIFICATION

DISTRICT:

Balanced Rock

FOR YEAR:

2025

DUE :

December 20, 2025

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 is available for public inspection.

Richard Rodgers

Board Supervisor Signature

Richard Rodgers

Printed Name

12/19/25

Date

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DATE OF CONFIRMATION: