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MINNESOTA TECHNICAL GUIDE REVISION NOTICE NO. 101

**Purpose.** To issue new and revised MN Conservation Practice Standards for insertion into Section IV of the MN-NRCS Field Office Technical Guide.

**Effective Date.** This notice is effective when received.

**Fish Passage (396)** – This new MN standard provides the needed information to address fish passage development.

**Hedgerow Planting (422)** – All sections were revised to reflect the changes in the National Standard. This replaces MN Standard 422 dated April 1999.

**Riparian Herbaceous Cover (390)** – All sections were revised to reflect the changes in the National Standard. This replaces MN Standard 390 dated April 1999.

**Vegetative Barrier (601)** – Minor changes were made to correspond with the National standard. This replaces MN Standard 601 dated January 2002.

**eFOTG Directives.** These revisions will be inserted in alphabetical order, under Section IV, C. Conservation Practices, located on the eFOTG website. The MN eFOTG can be found on Internet Explorer at [www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg). From the US Map, click on the MN state and select a county.

All FOTG users, including NRCS employees, are responsible to check the eFOTG to ensure that they are using the most current version of technical material issued by the NRCS State Office.

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