



BLACK HAWK SOIL & WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT

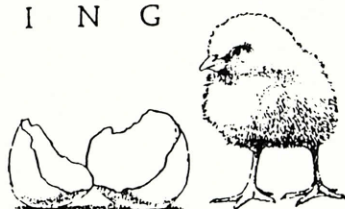
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BLACK HAWK COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT 1990 ANNUAL REPORT

1M BUDGET

July 1, 1989 to June 30, 1990

Total Allocation	\$ 3,700.00
Commissioners Expenses	1,631.50
Office Supplies & Expenses	1,118.45
National & State Dues	<u>500.00</u>
Balance	\$ 450.01

3M BUDGET

Cost Share Ledger 1989-1990

Original Allocation	\$24,893.00
Projects Completed	7,544.92
Projects Still Obligated	2,598.75
Recalled to Dept. 12/90	13,467.75
Balance to Date	1,281.58

COMMISSIONERS REVOLVING FUND

Balance 7/1/89	\$ 170.72
Deposit	3,793.79
Expenditures	3,733.71
Balance 6/30/90	\$ 230.80

CONSERVATION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

New Cooperators	128
Landowners Assisted	421
Landowners Applying Practices	117
FSA Plans (Acres)	2,668
Conservation Plans (Acres)	4,121
Conservation Tillage (Acres)	1,561
Contours (Acres)	2,930
Windbreaks	4
Waterways (Acres)	9
Terraces (Feet)	4,150
Stripcropping (Acres)	48
Shallow Water Areas	2
Tree Planting (on CRP)	79.1
Total Land Benefited (Acres)	6,837
Soil Saved (Tons)	31,759

HIGHLIGHTS OF 1990 DISTRICT ACTIVITIES

-Winegarden was appointed to represent the District on the Resource Enhancement and Protection Committee that was being formed in Black Hawk County.

-Black Hawk and Buchanan Counties held a joint contractors meeting held on March 8th in Independence.

-The Krsnak-Runyan-Ward Memorial Scholarship of \$400 was awarded to Scott M. Becker from Davenport this year.

-"Citizens of All Creation" was the theme for the 1990 Soil and Water Stewardship Week that was observed April 29 - May 6. The District furnished materials to over 150 churches in Black Hawk County.

-The Izaak Walton League Windbreak Award was presented to Joe and Kathy Karkosh from Hudson.

-Video tapes entitled "Conservation on Your Own" were distributed to nine farm businesses for loan to farmers.

-Tammerlane Schnock started working in the office as a WAE to help with field work and wetland determinations.

-Commissioners Segebarth and Winegarden gave a slide tape presentation with a question/answer period for Earth Day at West High School.

-A windshield survey was conducted by Commissioner Winegarden and Acting DC Stevens to determine the amount of residue left in corn and bean fields for the Conservation Technology Information Center.

NEW OFFICERS

Election of officers took place at the January meeting of the Black Hawk County Soil and Water Conservation District Commissioners. L. Jeanette Winegarden was elected Chair; Quinter Lichty, VChair; Carol DeWolf, secretary-treasurer.

Ben Clausen was appointed to another term as Assistant Commissioner. Willis Segebarth, who finished his 2nd six-year term as a Commissioner, accepted appointment as an Assistant Commissioner. H. Arnold Harting was sworn in as a new Commissioner.

Meetings are held on the second Monday of the month in the District office at 3216 Thistledown Drive in Waterloo. The meetings are open to the public.

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