

Higher Land Prices Mean ^{3/30/67} Conservation

Higher land prices are creating a need for more conservation practices in Davis County farms.

Veryl Arnold, work unit conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, said recently that high land prices are pressuring farmers to intensify farm operations to get more out of the land.

Doing this brings about a need for more conservation practices, especially if hilly or rolling land is placed into crop production.

Arnold predicted a great amount of soil erosion should Davis County experience a wet May and June and if farmers do not do more terracing and contouring.