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Cost-sharing for conservation totals \$28,000

A total of \$28,000 in a state cost-share program for soil conservation was Davis County's allocation during the recently completed biennium.

C.I. Heady, chairman of the Davis County Soil Conservation District, said Davis County received the amount over the two-year period. The district received 56 requests for cost-sharing assistance from local landowners and 49 of these requests were approved.

The cost-sharing was approved for terracing on 38 farms and 11 erosion control structures. Four farmers were approved for Long Term Agreements and the state cost-sharing funds provided 25 per cent of the cost of practices applied during the first year of their LTA contract.

Heady stated that requests are now being received for conservation practices to be completed during the present cost-sharing year. A total of \$15,000 has been allocated for the 1976 fiscal year.