

1986 Fayette County Soil Conservation District

Annual Report

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 1, 1985 to June 30, 1986

IM BUDGET

Original Allocation	\$	1,400.00
MINUS: Budget Reduction	\$	54.00
Commissioners Expenses		271.65
Office Supplies and Expenses		1,068.15
Remaining Balance June 30, 1986	\$	6.20

IIIM BUDGET COST-SHARE PROGRAM

1985-86 Original Allocation	\$	60,191.00
Obligated		3,030.00
Spent to Date		27,371.52
Remaining Balance June 30, 1986	\$	29,789.48
1984-85 Original Allocation	\$	58,989.00
Supplemental Allocation		950.00
Total Allocation		59,939.00
Obligated		5,485.50
Spent to Date		55,866.46
Remaining Balance June 30, 1986	\$	4,462.89
1983-84 Original Allocation	\$	55,205.00
Supplemental Allocation		47,000.00
Total Allocation		102,205.00
Obligated		102,205.00
Spent to Date		102,205.00
Remaining Balance June 30, 1986		-0-

FROG HOLLOW LAKE WATERSHED BUDGET

Original Allocation	\$	186,000.00
Obligated		70,886.30
Spent to Date		109,467.05
Remaining Balance June 30, 1986	\$	5,646.65

CONSERVATION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

October 1, 1984 to September 30, 1985

Name	Number	Acres
Conservation District Cooperators	14	2,484
Individuals & Groups Assisted	275	
Individuals & Groups Applying Practices	108	
Conservation Plans		9,056
Conservation Alternatives Plan		509
Conservation Tillage System		9,132
Contour Farming		2,132
Grassed Waterway		8
Contour Stripcropping		1,136
Terraces		35,408
Water & Sediment Control Basin	23	
Cropland Benefited		12,402
Pasture and Hayland Benefited		30
Woodland Benefited		500
Conservation Reserve (1st, 2nd, 3rd sign-ups)	85	3,449

HIGHLIGHTS OF DISTRICT ACTIVITIES

July 1, 1985 - June 30, 1986

July — Jerry Kleppe started as a volunteer at the field office.
— Essay contest winners — Senior Division: 1st, Becky Squires; 2nd, Carrie

August

Druecker; 3rd, Terri Lewis; Junior Division: 1st, Julie Gienapp; 2nd, Marty Gustin; 3rd, Krista Wogsland.

— Fayette SCD set up and operated a fair booth.

— SCS and the Extension Service met with the Fayette County Supervisors to develop a Multiflora Rose Control Program.

— Mike Dinan was awarded the Izaak Walton League Windbreak Award.

— Poster contest winners — 1st grade: 1st, John Spies; 2nd, Kodi Dahl; 3rd, Kim Tope. 3rd grade: 1st, Jennifer Kelly; 2nd, Kara Burkhardt; 3rd, Jenny Metzger. 4th grade: 1st, Chris Martin; 2nd, Scott Gamm; 3rd, Dan Alcorn. 5th grade: 1st, Mark Patrick; 2nd, Jeff Pape; 3rd, Betsy Tieden. 6th grade: 1st, Jennifer Krueger; 2nd, Kristie Evenson; 3rd, Brooke Alber.

— Richard Jensen received the Region 4 IASDCD Outstanding Conservation Farmer Award.

September

— SCD sponsored county wide soil judging contest for VOC-AG students. Sixty students from three schools participated.

— Muff and Wendell Jones gave a slide presentation to the Annual Farm Bureau Banquet.

— Muff gave a presentation at an environmental workshop for students and teachers at the Keystone A.E.A. at Elkader.

October

— Duane Pleggenkuhle was awarded the Outstanding Forage Producer by the Iowa Forage Grassland Council.

— Belya Bauer retired at the end of December as District Clerk for the past 16½ years.

January

— Fayette County No-Till/Ridge Till Annual Meeting was held at Garbee Hall in Fayette.

— Fayette County No-Tillers took two buses to the Eastern Iowa Tillage Show.

February

— Fayette SCD hired a part-time clerk, Lori Kohlmeyer.

— Marilyn Beaudine, District Clerk from Delaware County, provided training for Lori Kohlmeyer one day a week.

— Annual Contractor's meeting was held.

March

— Conservation Essay Contest was held.

— First sign-up for the Conservation Reserve Program was held.

— Spring Regional was held at the Club 528 in Cascade.

April

— North Fayette Schools made tree planters for the District.

— District approved 62 "tax exemption" applications.

— Iowa 2000 folders were given out.

— Leuder farm operation was submitted for the DuPont Innovative Conservation Farmer Award.

— Forestry Field Day was held.

May

— Second CRP sign-up was held. Thirty-six bids were submitted.

— JTPA Ron Quail finished working in our office.

— No-Till Committee Meeting — plan No-Till/Ridge Till Field Day at Leuders.

— Groundwork was planned for the Economic Yield Contest for corn producers.

— Muff & SCS Soil Scientist, Bob Vobora, worked on the Erosion Productivity Study.

June

— Ridge till demonstration was held on the Leuder farm south of West Union.

— Field Office is working on completing the CRP plans and assisting with the application of the Volga Lake 90 percent cost-share program.