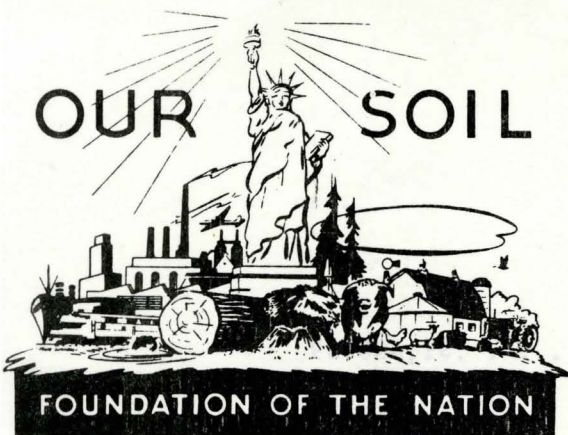




1983 ANNUAL REPORT

APPANOOSE COUNTY

SOIL CONSERVATION

DISTRICT

CENTERVILLE, IOWA 52544 PHONE: 856-3893

DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

The Appanoose County Soil Conservation District Commissioners are continuing their emphasis on conservation education with much activity the past year. They sponsored a no-till meeting at the Mystic Community Building and presented caps to people in attendance who practice no-till. Each year the Commissioners and Hawk Insurance Agency of Centerville co-sponsor a conservation essay contest. The winner of this year's contest, Doyle McDonald of Mystic, then won the regional contest which consisted of competition from thirteen counties. Nine Appanoose County students were recipients of \$250 college scholarships from the District. They were: Mark McGill, Joey Stevenson and Mary Vinzant, Indian Hills Community College, Centerville; Will McGill, Indian Hills Community College, Ottumwa; Bruce Davis, Eric Royer and James D. Sutter, Northeast Missouri State University, Kirksville; Chris Sebolt and Mark Royer, Colby Community College, Colby, Kansas. The District provided tuition for a group of sixth grade students, their instructor Lee Schwerdtfeger and some parents for chaperones to a conservation education camp at Forest Lake near Ottumwa. Camp Co-Ho provides a fun and educational weekend for students each spring.

The Soil District Commissioners are involved in a joint venture with the Appanoose County Board of Supervisors in a long-range plan of constructing on and off-road structures.

The Commissioners are encouraging cooperators to adopt a total resource management system.

DISTRICT CONSERVATION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Fiscal Year 1983

October 1, 1982 - September 30, 1983

	NO.	AC/FT
District Cooperators	18	2,502
Individuals and Groups Assisted	289	
Tech. Services Land Unit Planning & Application	988	
Individuals and Groups Applying Practices	160	
Conservation Plans		4,952
Technical Services for Area Planning	5	
Governmental Agencies Assisted	4	
Cropland Benefited by Application of Conservation Practices		5,955
Pasture & Hayland Benefited by Application of Conservation Practices		1,770
Wildlife Land Benefited by Application of Conservation Practices		21
Contour Farming		2,003
Ponds	1	
Grade Stabilization Structures	14	
Conservation Tillage Systems		4,661
Water and Sediment Control Basins		1,235
Terraces		62,000
Wildlife Upland Habitat		21

PERSONNEL ASSISTING DISTRICT

U.S. SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE

Joe R. Baughman
District Conservationist

Robert D. McNeal
Soil Conservation Technician

W.A.E.

Ronald D. Peterson

STATE EMPLOYEES

Marilyn L. Worley
District Clerk

Ivan L. Wright
Engineering Aide

COMMISSIONERS

Loren Eddy, Centerville
Leon Kauzlarich, Mystic
Ronald McDanel, Moravia
Ronald Turk, Seymour
Kenneth Brown, Moravia

ASSISTANTS

Nick Carter, Moulton
Bill Vinzant, Mystic



FINANCIAL REPORT
July 1, 1982 - June 30, 1983

IM BUDGET

Allocation.	\$1,600.89
Expenditures:	
Commissioners Expenses	765.10
Office Supplies & Expense	766.09
Total Expenditures.	\$1,531.19
Released to State	\$ 69.70

IIM BUDGET

Allocation.	\$33,691.00
Disbursements:	
Salaries	27,938.40
Travel	170.93
State Retirement	1,606.41
Social Security	1,871.89
Health Insurance	1,570.68
Life Insurance	132.00
Disability	250.58
Total Expenditures.	33,540.89
Released to State	150.11

IIIM BUDGET
(State Cost-Sharing Funds)

Fiscal Year 82-83 Allocation.	\$60,760.00
Released to State 12/31/83.	\$ 903.64
Fiscal Year 83-84 Allocation.	\$89,466.00
Amount unobligated - available for cost-sharing as of 12/31/83	\$ 9,300.01
Fiscal Year 83-84 Revolving No-Interest Loan Fund Allocation	\$8,996.00
Available as of 12/31/83.	\$ 196.00

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CONSERVATION DISTRICT
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