

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN THE

LEE COUNTY CONSERVATION BOARD

AND

THE LEE COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

WHAT THE DISTRICT WILL DO-

The District will provide technical assistance to the Board as authorized under Memoranda of Understanding between the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the District, within limitation of their budgets, availability of personnel and in accordance with established policies and regulations.

THE DISTRICT AGREES TO-

1. Provide information and education materials to assist the Board to establish proper land use plans.
2. Provide, upon request, inventories and evaluations and such technical and clerical help as may be available for the preparation of soil and water resource plans.
3. Advise the Board on planning and development programs dealing with soil, water and related resources.
4. Interpret available soil surveys.
5. Analyze water disposal, drainage, erosion and sediment problems and recommend conservation measures for their solution.

6. Point out prospective soil and water problems that may develop from proposed land use changes, and advise on proposals for action.
7. Maintain adequate liaison with the Board regarding proposed activities in which the District has an interest, such as watershed projects, basin studies, and other activities effecting land use planning.
8. Provide the Board with design criteria, standards, specifications and pertinent district policies, regarding establishment of soil and water conservation measures.
9. Upon request, check the adequacy of soil and water conservation measures planned by the Board.
10. Upon request, review for the Board, land use development plans created within the region, and make recommendations concerning wise use of the land in relation to soil, water and related resources.
11. Assist in conducting inventories of natural resources.
12. Counsel with the Board in policy development and establishment of objectives for long range development.
13. Counsel with the Board regarding adherence to soil loss limit regulations in effect in the District.

WHAT THE BOARD WILL DO-

1. Observe the principles of sound land use management in all phases of land use and resource planning and development.
2. Consult with the District in all plans involving natural resource development.
3. Refer proposed development plans to the District for review and technical opinion regarding land use, potential soil and water problems and measures needed to alleviate them.
4. Be responsible for adoption of District recommendations that are acceptable to the Board.
5. Furnish the District with information, surveys, designs, etc., that are available to assist them in preparing inventories and evaluations for planning.
6. Standards and specifications developed by the District for planning and application of conservation measures will be honored by the Board as a technical guide.
7. Provide for one or more members of the Board to meet with the District governing body during each year to review each others programs for mutual improvements.

IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED-

1. The Board and the District will meet periodically to review and where possible coordinate their individual programs and activities for maximum mutual benefit.
2. Proper credit will be given the Board or the District upon publication of material or technical data provided by either party and that adequate review by all parties will be provided before any such publication.
3. This memorandum may be amended or terminated at any time by mutual consent of the parties and may be terminated by any party giving sixty (60) days notice in writing to the other parties.

In witness thereof this Memorandum of Understanding is agreed to  
and executed on this 16th day of Jan, 1974.

Lee County Soil Conservation District

by James R. Hankins

Title Chairman

Date January 16, 1974

Lee County Conservation Board

by David Hawk

Title Executive Officer

Date January 16, 1974