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TJSWCD Voluntary BMP Data Sheet

Producer Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

Contact Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Best time to call: Morning Midday Evening

County: Albemarle Fluvanna Louisa Nelson

Farm Number: _____ Tract Number: _____

Total Acres Farmed: _____ Owned: _____ Rented: _____

Composition of farm acres:

_____ Pasture _____ Cropland _____ Hayland _____ Timber _____ Wildlife

Does farmer participate in any conservation programs? If so, which? _____

Does farmer have a:

nutrient management plan? yes no

conservation plan? yes no

grazing plan? yes no

Would the farmer be interested in getting information from the SWCD? yes no

Notes: _____

Pasture Land

Type of Livestock: _____

Number of Livestock: _____

Total Acres Grazed: _____

Forage Stand Density: poor average good excellent

Stream Buffers present: none mown grass successional forest

Buffer Width: _____

Water source for livestock: _____

Livestock have access to water feature: pond stream spring wet marsh

Livestock fenced out of water features: all 75% 50% 25% none

Type of Stream Exclusion Fence: _____

Post size: _____ Post spacing: _____

Braces present: yes no

Number of wires: _____ Number of wires electrified: _____

Length of Stream Fence: _____

Division fence present? yes no

Farmer practicing rotational grazing? yes no

If so, number and average size of paddocks: _____

Is there a manure management structure present? yes no

If so, what type? _____

How is stored manure used? _____

If used for fertilizer, describe application method: _____

Soil test: Never Over 10 years old Every three years Annually

Lime applied: According to soil test Standard rate

Describe application schedule: _____

Fertilizer used: none poultry litter biosolids (sludge) commercial combination

If a combination, describe: _____

Fertilizer applied: Never According to soil test Standard rate

Describe schedule and application method: _____

Have you let any hayland lay fallow? yes no

If so, how many acres? _____

Notes on livestock operation: _____

Hayland

Total Acres of Hayland: _____

Type of Forages: _____

Are hay fields also grazed? yes no

Stream Buffers present: mown grass successional forest

Buffer Width: _____

Soil test: Never Over 10 years old Every three years Annually

Lime applied: According to soil test Standard rate

Describe application schedule: _____

Fertilizer used: none poultry litter biosolids (sludge) commercial combination

If a combination, describe: _____

Fertilizer applied: Never According to soil test Standard rate

Describe schedule and application method: _____

Have you let any hayland lay fallow? yes no

If so, how many acres? _____

Notes on haying operation: _____

Cropland

Total acres of cropland: _____

Crop rotation: _____

Is grass/hay ever a component of the rotation? yes no
If so, how often: _____

Is crop land ever grazed? yes no

Tillage practice:
 conventional till (chisel plow, moldboard plow, disk, conventional planter)
describe: _____
 conservation till (subsoiler, light disk)
describe: _____
 no-till
describe: _____

Use a subsoiler?
If so, how often: _____

Crops harvested for: _____

Leave residue on the field? yes no
If so, what percentage cover? 100% 75% 50% 25%
what is the average height of cover? _____
is residue even across field? yes no

Plant cover crop annually: yes no
If so, on what percentage of cropland? 100% 75% 50% 25%
Planting date of cover crop: _____
Planting method: _____

Type of cover crop: rye rye varietal wheat barley triticale oats
 legume (specify): _____ other (specify): _____

Is cover crop harvested? yes no

Is any residue left on the field? yes no

If so, what percentage cover? 100% 75% 50% 25%

what is the average height of cover? _____

is residue even across field? yes no

Stream Buffers present: mown grass successional forest

Buffer Width: _____

Soil test: Never Over 10 years old Every three years Annually

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Describe schedule and application method: _____

Have you converted any cropland to pasture or trees in the past five years? yes no

If so, how many acres? _____

Have you let any cropland lay fallow? yes no

If so, how many acres? _____

Notes on cropping operation: _____

Timber Land

Have you planted any trees on cropland, pasture land or hay land in the past five years?

yes no

If so, which fields and what acreage? _____

Type of trees planted: _____

Wildlife Management

Do you manage your land to benefit wildlife? yes no

If so, how? _____

Do you plant any areas for wildlife habitat? yes no

If so, what species do you plant? _____

Wetland Restoration

Have you restored any wetlands on your property? yes no

If so, please describe: _____
