

District Cost Share Summary

There are 2 Spring development projects. J. Fargher up 5 mile and two for T. McKay out in the Antelope area. These projects will capture and provide stable water for livestock and wildlife. Both applicants are seeking for full award amount of \$7,500.

T. Dahle is seeking cost share funds for an orchard chipping project out Cherry heights. The trees are already cut down, and he will be renting the chipping equipment and hauling the wood chips to a newly planted orchard block. Photos are of the new block where the chips will be spread are included in the application. Tim is seeking \$7,500.

W. White is seeking funds for a rainwater harvesting project. It will consist of installing three 500–550-gallon tanks at 3 different points around his home. This water will be collected and used for irrigation in his garden as well as for fire protection. He is also seeking the full \$7,500.

It is only September and we have had 11 applications come in. The current amount committed is \$12,000 for Haul Roads and \$22,500 for general conservation projects. With the new round of applications all seeking the maximum award amount (if they are all funded) we will be overspent on our budget of \$50,000 for the first half of the year by \$2,500.00. I know of 3 more applications that were hoping to get in by the October meeting, but we won't technically have funds available until January. The attached packets do not have the current priorities ranked at the bottom of the application, but I will have that available by our meeting tomorrow.