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COUNTY TO DEVELOP LAND & WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Wisconsin Acts 27 and 9 include enabling legislation for the county Land Conservation Committees to develop County Land and Water Resource Management Plans. The land and water resource management plans are intended to be action oriented, flexible and reflect the resource management needs identified through public input and focuses on coordinated implementation.

The plan will address the State's agricultural performance standards for nonpoint pollution and soil erosion control. It will explain how Wood County will meet these standards and also will address local resource management concerns.

Each county will be responsible for implementing its plan. Cost sharing will be available for most counties.

A Workgroup meeting to identify critical local natural resources concerns is scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 3, 2006 at the Wood County Courthouse Auditorium. People interested in serving on the workgroup should contact the Wood County Land Conservation Department at 715-421-8475.

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