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WATER BALANCE

Compatibility of Water Quality and Water Supply Strategies

Reduction of sediment in streams, and a balance of water use with groundwater recharge capacity should be the highest priorities for any water conservation program administered by USDA, the Soil and Water Conservation Districts, the YMD Joint Water Management District, Delta F.A.R.M., the Corps of Engineers, and local farmer/landowners in the Mississippi Delta. Delta Council views that the EQIP Program should be constantly re-evaluated to make certain that those practices which register the greatest aggregate benefit for these two resource concerns are given EQIP support commensurate with their relative significance.

We applaud our NRCS staff for the aggressive efforts to initiate tail water recovery and irrigation management projects which enhance the water quality and water supply goals of Delta Council.

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