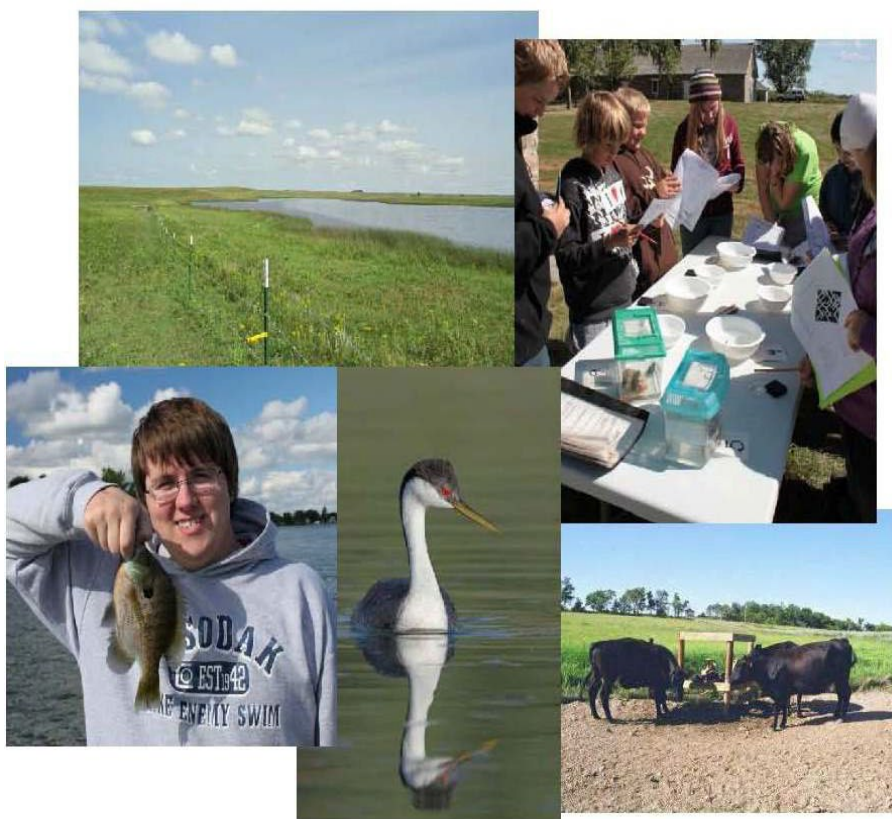

PRAIRIE COTEAU WATERSHED IMPROVEMENT AND PROTECTION PROJECT



*The goal of the
Prairie Coteau
Watershed
Improvement and
Protection Project is
to improve and
protect the water
quality of northeast
South Dakota lakes
and reservoirs,
streams, and rivers,
through the
implementation of
best management
practices that reduce
bacteria, nutrient, and
sediment loads to
these waterbodies.*



The Prairie Coteau Watershed Improvement and Protection Project is a cooperative venture between the Day, Codington, Deuel, Grant, Hamlin, Kingsbury, Marshall, and Roberts Counties Conservation Districts. Grants from the United States Environmental Protection Agency and the South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources will provide funding for cost share to agricultural producers and landowners who implement conservation practices on their land. These practices are designed to reduce non-point source pollution in watersheds located within the seven-county project area. **Funds are available to implement livestock stream crossings, grassed waterways, forage and biomass plantings, shoreline and streambank stabilization, riparian buffers, and grazing system improvements (including cross fencing and water development).** Cost share rates vary from 60% to 75% depending on funding source and practice. The project also provides watershed landowners, lake property owners, recreational users, and students of all ages opportunities to learn about water quality issues through a wide variety of informational programs, workshops, and a website.

Prairie Coteau Project Area



For More Information:

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