



WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

Resolution 2019-24 Community Project Funding

SPONSOR CD: Underwood Conservation District

AREA: NW SW NC SC NE SE

RESOLUTION TYPE:

- Policy
- Position Statement
- Recognition
- Study

RESOLUTION ACTION AGENCY (check any option that applies):

- WACD
- WSCC
- OTHER STAGE AGENCY _____
- NRCS
- NACD
- NON-STATE/FEDERAL PARTNER _____

BACKGROUND/PROBLEM STATEMENT:

There are significant unmet natural resource needs and challenges at a community level in our District and around the state. A critical limiting factor in addressing community-scale resource issues is the current cost-share model and CPDS system, in that it limits work to a single landowner.

RESOLUTION LANGUAGE:

WACD supports SCC Commission to help create a modified NRI or capital funding stream that allows Districts to act as the contractual recipient and spend funds for specific projects involving multiple landowners in a single area with a common purpose.

TYPE OF TEXT OF RESOLUTION (check all boxes that apply):

- Technical (changes address grammar, punctuation, sentence flow and makes **NO** substantive change(s) to the existing policy.
- Substantive change to existing policy. If in doubt, check the box.
- New policy.

IS THERE A BUDGET IMPLICATION TO IMPLEMENT THE POLICY?

- NO
- YES (briefly explain): SCC would need to designate a funding stream, such as NRI or other capital funds, to fund community-scale projects.