

WNY Partnership for Regional Invasive Species Management

Partnering to Protect Western New York from Invasive Species

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REFERENCE GUIDE TO: Private Lands Programs for WNY

Organization	Program	Location	Website	Contact(s)
Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCD)				
Allegany County SWCD	Agricultural Assessment Worksheets, Agricultural Environmental Management, Annual Plant Sales, Soil/Manure/Water Testing, and Topographic Maps	Allegany County	alleganyctyswcd.org	(585) 268-5840; allegany.swcd@alleganyctyswcd.org
Cattaraugus County SWCD	Agricultural Environmental Management, Agricultural Value Assessments, Annual Plant Sales, Conservation Planning on Agricultural Land, and Erosion & Sediment Control Drainage Planning	Cattaraugus County	cattcoswcd.org	(716) 699-2326 ext 101; cattcoswcd@gmail.com
Chautauqua County SWCD	Agricultural Environmental Management, Annual Plant Sales, Agricultural Value Assessments, Erosion and Sediment Control, and Soil and Water Resource Management	Chautauqua County	soilwater.org	(716) 664-2351 ext. 5; Chaut-Co@soilwater.org
Erie County SWCD	Agricultural Conservation Assistance to Municipalities and Landowners, Agricultural Environment Management, Annual Plant Sales, Natural Resources Information and GIS Assistance, Soil Group Worksheet, and Streambank Stabilization Watershed Planning	Erie County	ecswcd.org/html/programs.html	(716) 652-8480
Genesee County SWCD	Agricultural Environmental Management, Annual Plant Sales, Pond Siting Assessment, Soil Group Worksheet, and Water Quality Monitoring Program	Genesee County	co.genesee.ny.us/departments/soilandwater/technical.php	(585) 343-2362 ext. 5
Niagara County SWCD	Agricultural Environment Management, Annual Plant and Pond Stock Sales, Pond Site Stability Assessment Form, Water Quality Monitoring & Streambank Stabilization, and Wetlands Reserve Program	Niagara County	niagaraswcd.com/Programs_2014.html	(716) 434-4949 ext. 4
Orleans County SWCD	Agricultural Environment Management, Agricultural Value Assessments, Annual Plant and Pond Stock Sales, and New York Grown & Certified Program	Orleans County	orleanscountyny.gov/departments/soil_and_water/index.php	(585) 589-5959 ext. 5
Wyoming County SWCD	Agricultural Environment Management, Annual Plant Sales, Erosion Control, Drainage, Water Quality, Waste Management, Natural Resource Information, Mining & Mined Land Reclamation Plans, and Land Classification for Agricultural Value Assessment	Wyoming County	wcdswcd.org/services	(585) 786-3675; wcdswcd@frontiernet.net

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County Resources				
Cornell Cooperative Extension	Climate Smart Farming, Conservation Education and Research Program, New York State Integrated Pest Management Program, and Wildlife Damage Management Program	Statewide, by county	cals.cornell.edu/cornell-cooperative-extension/our-work/environment	Allegany: (585) 268-7644; Cattaraugus: (716) 699-2377; Chautauqua: (716) 664-9502; Erie: (716) 652-5400; Genesee: (585) 343-3040; Niagara: (716) 433-8839; Orleans: (585) 798-4265; Wyoming: (585) 786-2251
State Resources				
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)	Cooperating Forester Program	Statewide - regional offices	dec.ny.gov/nature/forests-trees/private-forest-management/find-cooperating-forester	See list of cooperating foresters on website
	Forest Stewardship Program	Statewide	dec.ny.gov/nature/forests-trees/private-forest-management#Forest Stewardship Program	Allegany: (716) 372-0645; Dunkirk: (716) 363-2052; Buffalo: (716) 851-7000
	Giant Hogweed Program	Statewide	dec.ny.gov/nature/animals-fish-plants/plants/harmful-plants/giant-hogweed	Hotline: (845) 256-3111; Email: ghogweed@dec.ny.gov
Federal Resources				
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS)	Detector Dogs, and Plant Protection Today	National - state offices	aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/planthealth	Albany Office: (518) 218-7540; Riverdale, MD Office: (202) 799-7132; Washington DC Office: (202) 799-7132
United States Forest Service (USFS)	Community Forest Program, Forest Health Protection Program, Forest Legacy Program, Landscape Scale Restoration Program, and Urban and Community Forestry Program	National	fs.usda.gov/managing-land/private-land	Finger Lakes National Forest Supervisor Office: (802) 747-6700; Hector Ranger Station: (607) 546-4470; USDA Forest Service Headquarters: (202) 205-8333
United States Department of Agriculture - Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA - NRCS)	Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), Conservation Innovation Grants (CIG), Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP), Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP), Emergency Watershed Program (EWP), and Watershed Rehabilitation Program (REHAB)	National - regional offices	nrcs.usda.gov/programs-initiatives	Allegany: (585) 268-5133; Cattaraugus: (716) 699-2326; Chautauqua: (716) 664-2351; Erie: (716) 652-8480; Genesee: (716) 433-6703; Orleans: (585) 589-5320; Niagara: (716) 433-6703; Wyoming: (585) 786-3118