

**Conservation Federation of Missouri
2014 Resolutions**

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Habitat Requirements in Farm Conservation Plans

WHEREAS, most state and federal cost-share practices for water conservation programs do not Consider wildlife habitat important; and

WHEREAS, the new Farm Bill will require a conservation plan for land to be eligible for crop insurance; and

WHEREAS, most conservation plans for farmland written by the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) do not address wildlife concerns: now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED that the Conservation Federation of Missouri assembled at the Capitol Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City MO, this 23rd day of March, 2014 recommend that NRCS revise their requirements for landowner conservation plans to include wildlife habitat concerns.