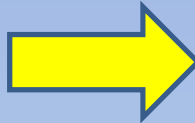
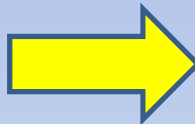


RURAL PRESERVE PROGRAM
Assessor's Office



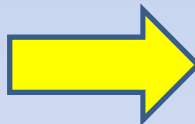
1. Property owner contacts Assessor's Office to learn about program.
2. Assessor works with owner to determine what acres could qualify for program.
3. Owner is provided with parcel numbers, aerial photos, and application to bring to the SWCD.

Soil and Water Conservation
District



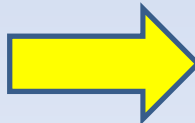
1. Property owner contacts SWCD to have a conservation management plan prepared for the property.
2. Approved plan writer and property owner work together to develop conservation management plan.

County Recorder



1. Property owner records Covenant with County Recorder's Office.
2. Covenant includes legal description or property identification numbers, and a map showing which acres are to be included and excluded from the program.

Assessors Office



1. By May 1, property owner provides county assessor with:
 - Completed application, copy of signed conservation management plan, and copy of recorded covenant.
2. Assessor approves or denies application.