Hereford Natural Resource Conservation District P.O. Box 3361, Sierra Vista, Arizona 85636 nrcdhereford@gmail.com

Dear local stakeholders,

The purpose of the Hereford Natural Resource Conservation District Local Work Groups is to bring all local area stakeholders together to identify resource concerns and develop solutions and partnerships based on those concerns and local knowledge. The District Board gathers these concerns, listens to what *you* all have to say, and then submits a list of priorities to the Natural Resources Conservation Service and other federal and state entities.

That being said, we want to hear from you. We have a few questions we would like for you to address. These questions will help us determine what your concerns are, if we are perhaps working on similar projects and where we can combine efforts, or maybe you have identified a resource concern but you need a coordinated effort to get your solution implemented. These are the things Local Work Groups are for!

It is *imperative* that you respond to these questions and submit them back to me by end of day on Saturday, November 14th if you want your concerns to be considered and discussed by the group. If you do not submit your answers back to me by this time, your concerns will not be addressed. Thank you for your help with this important step in determining our local area concerns.

Best,

John Ladd

John Ladd, Chairman Hereford Natural Resource District

Please address the following and submit to Joanne M. Roberts <u>by November 14, 2020</u> at <u>nrcdhereford@gmail.com</u>

- 1. What are your resource concerns for the area/your ranch, farm, etc.?
- 2. Are you working on a project/projects or putting funding towards a project/projects to address the concern(s)?
- 3. Provide any recommendations for new/revised practices needed, including adjustments to payment rates and caps along with innovative new ideas/technologies for conservation delivery.
- 4. Propose ranking questions to ensure applications with the greatest environmental impact receives funding to address local resource concerns.
- 5. Are there any areas of interest where we should focus to achieve higher levels of conservation?

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6. Are you aware of any other partners that we can leverage funds from?

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