NRCS Team,

I hope that you’ve been as excited as I have been to hear about all the candidates that expressed interest in our last bundled job announcement for soil conservationists. As the Under Secretary mentioned at the FPAC Town Hall this week, these bundled announcements allow us to hire new staff to assist with Inflation Reduction Act implementation more quickly. And as a former soil conservationist trainee myself, it is wonderful to see the next generation entering our conservation team. Thank you to those of you who helped spread the word about that announcement.

For us to continue to implement NRCS’ Inflation Reduction Act funding effectively, we still need to fill many additional roles. In the coming weeks, you will see several messages from me about bundled job opportunities that I hope you will take the time to share with your networks.

**This week, NRCS shared a recruitment announcement for engineers.** Engineers have many exciting and important responsibilities at NRCS. Their projects may involve stream restoration, erosion control, developing water systems for livestock, improving and conserving irrigation water, and restoring wetlands. They may also help communities recover from natural disasters.

Please take a moment to share this engineering job announcement or press release with partners, schools, and others in your community in person and online. As current employees, there’s no one better to promote the benefits of working here than you. Our recruitment video for engineers is also a great way to introduce potential applicants to the role.

This job announcement closes on **June 30th**, so please spread the news to your network today.

Thank you for the work that you do, and for helping us to grow our team.

Sincerely,

Terry

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