

**2004 EQIP Local Ranking Criteria
MIAMI COUNTY**

NAME: _____
Mailing Address: _____
TRACT(S) # : _____

LOCATION AND SITE CHARACTERISTICS

1. Proximity to creek, river, wetland and / of subsurface drainage tile inlet as determined by local field office information, owner comments, USGS / ArcView maps, or USDA-NRCS Survey:
 < 100 feet
 101 to 200 feet
 > 200 feet

2. Is animal waste inadequately stored within 300 feet of creek, river, wetland and / or subsurface tile inlet as determined by local information or owner comments?
 YES
 NO
 Not applicable

3. Do livestock currently have access to environmentally sensitive areas such as a creek, river, wetland and / or subsurface drainage tile inlet as determined by local field office information, owner comments, USGS / ArcView maps, and / or USDA-NRCS Soil Survey?
 YES
 NO
 Not applicable

4. Is there currently 180 days or more storage for livestock waste, as determined by NRCS Agricultural Waste Management Field Manual.
 YES
 NO
 Not Applicable

5. What percent of cropland soils are considered Potentially Highly Erodible (PHEL) or Highly Erodible (HEL) as determined under RUSLE and the NRCS Field Office Technical Guide?
 0 to 20%
 21 to 50%
 > 51%

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CURRENT MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

1. Are livestock wastes and / or commercial fertilizers applied according to current soil tests?
 YES
 NO
 Not Applicable

2. Does landowner / operator plan to increase livestock numbers by greater than or equal to 20% of existing animal units within 2 years?
 YES
 NO
 Not applicable

3. Does current hay / pasture yields and management meet owners / operator's goals?
 YES
 NO
 Not applicable

4. Will or has a forestry / wildlife habitat plan been developed by Indiana Conservation Partnership employees or from a private consultant?
 YES
 NO

TOTAL POINTS= 0

COMPLETED BY: _____
DATE: _____