

**EQIP FY2009
Screening Tool
Riparian
Gunnison River WS**

04/07/09

1. Does the applicant have a current conservation plan (less than five years) in place for the requested practices that complies with current NRCS conservation planning policy, with completion and documentation of the seven deliverables as outlined in the FOTG Conservation Planning Statement of Work". (Section IV; B. Non-Practice, Statement of Work)

Yes: High

No: Low

2. Are the requested planned practices needed and feasible to address the applicable recourse issue for which the application is being requested (field visit required)?

Yes: High

No: Low

3. In the last 3 years; has the producer had a previous cost share contract cancelled; or terminated due to lack of progress; or has a current contract where no progress has been made.

No: High

Yes: Low

4. Does the contract provide a minimum buffer of 35 ft. from bank full water line where livestock grazing can be managed and excluded during critical periods? E.g. nesting season, heat of summer.

Yes: High

No: Low

Final Priority Status is high if all questions are answered high. If any of the questions are answered low then the Final Priority Status is low.

Final Priority Status
(Circle one)

High

Low