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PLAN OF WORK (POW) - BWC: Lower Vermilion River Watershed Project	Project Manager	Project Assistant	Biologist	Environmental Scientist	Wetlands specialist	Archeologist	Event Coordinator	OUTCOMES-PRODUCTS	RELATED PLAN SECTION
Planning Steps and Actions									
INITIATE PLANNING									
A. Written request for assistance (SF-424)									
B. Discuss purpose and need for project with sponsors								Prioritized list of concerns	Purpose and Need
2. Define study area									
3. Develop project map								Boundary map	Appendix B – Project Map
C. Initial site visit					┝──┤				
D. Establish reviewable record		\vdash							
Subtotal—Initial Planning									
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Step 1 - IDENTIFY PROBLEMS, OPPORTUNITIES & CONCERNS									
& CONCERNS									
A. Publicize planning start locally								List of project needs	Purpose and Need
B. Identify the need for the proposed action (quantify,									
extent, magnitude, timing, frequency etc.)								Selected planning Methodologies	Appendix C – Investigation and Anaylysis
C. Identify planning intensity								List of individuals that will	List of Preparers
D. Assemble interdisciplinary planning team									
E. Conduct interdisciplinary planning team meeting								Plan of Work	
F. Develop project plan of work (POW)								Public Participation Plan	Consultation and Public
G. Develop public participation plan								List of references related to	References & Appendix D
H. Gather and review existing data									
1. Conduct literature review									
2. Determine additional data and studies needed								Identify resource concerns	Scope of the EA/EIS & Affective Environment
I. Field review/reconnaissance of watershed									
K. Obtain local input									
1. Discuss with sponsors									
2. Discuss with local NRCS									
4. Solicit input from Federal/State agencies, Tribes,									
special groups									
5. Publicize and conduct public meetings									
Subtotal Step 1 - Identify Problems, Opportunities & Concerns									
Step 2 - DETERMINE OBJECTIVES									
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A. Document sponsor objectives		└──┨			┝──┤		<u> </u>	List of resource desired future and this as	Affected Environment
1. Prioritize objectives/resource issues								List of resource desired future conditions	Affected Environment
2. Determine purposes associated with objectives								Prioritized list of resource purposes	Purpose and Need
(desired future conditions)									
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B. Write purpose and need statement (40 CFR Section								Statement/Paragraph	Purpose and Need
1508.9b)									

C. Write scope of plan-EA/EIS					List of resource issues or concerns	Scope of the EA/EIS & Affected Environment	
Subtotal Step 2 - Determine Objectives							
Step 3 - INVENTORY RESOURCES							
A. Conduct resource inventories and watershed							
ssessment					List of resource attributes and indicators	Affected Environment	
1. Identify resource attributes/indicators					List of resource attributes and indicators		
2. Identify evaluation procedures/methods					Selected set of procedures and methods	Annondiu C	
2 Identify a forecasting annuage (DSC Castion 2.4.7)					Colostad annua ch	Appendix C	
3. Identify a forecasting approach (P&G Section 3.4.7)					Selected approach	Appendix C Affected Environment	
4. Determine context for each resource issue					Description of resource context		
5. Collect air quality data					Location of non-attainment areas	Affected Environment	
6. Identify coastal zone management areas					Location of coastal zone management areas	Affected Environment	
8. Identify ecological critical area					Location and size of ecological critical area (acres	s) Affected Environment	
					Location of essential fish habitat		
9. Identify essential fish habitat				1		Appendix C	
					Species list and habitat requirements		
10. Identify fish species						Affected Environment	
11. Identify floodplains					Location and size of floodplain (acres)	Affected Environment	
					Location and size of highly		
13. Inventory highly erodible cropland					erodible cropland (acres)	Affected Environment	
14. Identify invasive species					Species list	Affected Environment	
					Land use and crop distribution information		
15. Collect landuse and crop inventory data						Affected Environment	
16. Identify migratory birds					Species list	Affected Environment	
17. Identify natural areas					Location of natural areas	Affected Environment	
18. Identify parklands					Location of parklands	Affected Environment	
19. Inventory prime and unique farmland					Location and size of prime and unique farmland (acre Affected Environment	
20. Collect range health data					Analysis data	Appendix C	
21. Identify riparian areas					Location and size of riparian areas (acres)	Affected Environment	
22. Identify scenic areas					Location of scenic areas	Affected Environment	
23. Identify significant scientific features					Location of significant scientific features	Affected Environment	
24. Collect soil health data					Analysis data	Appendix C	
25. Soils inventory data					Distribution of soils by land use	Affected Environment	
26. Identify threatened and endangered species					List of those present and requirements	Affected Environment	
27. Identify upland wildlife species					List of species present and HEP data	Affected Environment	
28. Identify water bodies (streams, lakes, ponds, etc.)				1	Characterization of surface water bodies	Affected Environment	
29. Collect water quality data					Documented surface and groundwater quality	Affected Environment	
30. Collect water quantity data					Quantities available by use	Affected Environment	
31. Identify wild and scenic rivers					Measured extents and locations	Affected Environment	
32. Locate and identify wetlands					Type, size (acres), composition	Affected Environment	
33. Identify wetland wildlife species					List of species present and HEP data	Affected Environment	
34. Collect HGM data Hydrogeomorphic (HGM) • wetland classification fact sheet					Analysis data	Appendix C	
35. Collect WHEG or other methodology data				_	Analysis data	Appendix C	
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. Economics and social effects							
1. Collect population demographics							
a. Indentify low-income population, minorities,	1				People impacted	Affected Environment	
Native Americans, etc				1			
b. Income				1	Mean Income and State Mean	Affected Environment	
c. Districts		1		1	Jurisdictional boundaries	Affected Environment	

Identify affects to public health and safety	<u> </u>	<u>г г</u>	<u> </u>		Health and Safety issues impacted by project	Affected Environment		
Identify effects to public health and safety a. Public water supply	_	+			Health and Safety issues impacted by project			
b. Emergency vehicle and school bus transportation routes								
c. Access to medical facilities, shopping and markets	_				Travel distances and road conditions	Affected Environment		
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d. Road and bridge infrastructure	_				Bridge and road conditions	Affected Environment		
Identify effects to homes, businesses & agricultural operations				_				
a. Determine effects of drawdown time of detention pool					Flooding regime/frequency	Affected Environment		
b. Current productivity	'				Agricultural contribution to the economy	Affected Environment		
c. Enterprise input costs	<u> </u>				Labor costs, fuel costs etc.	Affected Environment		
d. Damage costs					Losses of property or crop production	Affected Environment		
e. Operation and maintenance costs					Costs of various farming operations	Affected Environment		
Identify visual concerns	_							
a. Map visual resources, landscape uses, and visibility					Location of Vistas impacted by the project	Affected Environment		
b. Determine viewsheds and scenic or unique landscape elements					Location of Points of Interest impacted by the			
Collect economic data								
a. Land cost	_				Land values by use	Affected Environment		
b. Rental rates	'	┟──┼		-	Rates by land use	Affected Environment		
	_	\vdash				Affected Environment		
Identify non-NEPA laws related to project area	_	+			List of Laws/ Ordinances			
Identify approved regional water resource plans in project area	_	\vdash		_	List of Plan Components that the project co			
								
heological and historic resource					4.05			
Determine undertakings and APE	_ _ '				APE	Affected Environment		
Consultation with SHPO, State archaeologist, THPO, federally recognized Tribes	<u> </u>				APE	Affected Environment		
Phase 1 Cultural Resources Survey (as Determined by agency)	<u> </u>				Cultural Resources Report	Affected Environment		
If Cultural resources identified, apply critia of adverse effect and evaluate for NRHP	<u> </u>	$ \rightarrow $		_	Cultural Resources Report	Affected Environment		
Testing, (if necessary to determine eligibility for NRHP)	'				Testing Report	Affected Environment		
If NRHP eligibility, develop MOA, incliding plan for mitigation or avoidance					Cultural Resources Report, Determination and Effect, Affected / Installation			
Execution of MOA					MOA/Data Recovery	Affected / Installation		
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gineering	'							
Surveys	'							
a. Topographic survey with elevation-storage-area curves					Analysis data	Appendix C		
c. Locate needed cross sections					Analysis data	Appendix C		
Evaluate condition of structure								
a. Structures					Location and condition of structures	Affected Environment		
e. Appurtenances (rehabilitation projects)					Condition of appurtenances	Affected Environment		
blogy								
a. Review existing geologic information					Geologic formations, site suitability, etc.	Affected Environment		
b. Perform preliminary geologic investigation						Affected Environment		
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port maps	+							
a. Digitize watershed boundary					Support maps	Appendix C – Support Maps		
b. Digitize wetlands by type		1 1						
c. Digitize water bodies	+							
d. Digitize land use	+							
e. Digitize soils								
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Step 4 - ANALYZE RESOURCE DATA	'	 						
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A. Analyze existing data	I						
1. Generate resource statistics			-		Trends	Affected Environment	
2. Develop support maps					Support maps	Appendix C	
4. Classify fishery					Resource condition or health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
5. Determine forest health					Resource condition or health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
6. Determine range health(contact Abbeville Field Office land use in project area classified as range)			_		Resource condition or health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
7. Determine riparian proper functioning condition (PFC)					Resource condition of health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
8. Determine soil health					Resource condition of health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
9. Evaluate water quality data					Negative trends or standards exceeded	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
10. Evaluate water quantity data		_	_		Negative trends or standards exceeded	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
11. Classify wetlands		 _			Type, size (acres), composition	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
12. Use HGM					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
13. Use WHEG or other methodology Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Guide			_		Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
20. Quantify onsite/offsite damages		 	_		Property damage or resource impairments	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
21. Develop resource existing conditions					Resource condition or health index	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
B. Geology							
					Documentation	Affocted Environment & Annordiy C	
1. Geological formation of southwest LA coastal marshes document			_		Documentation	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
C. Understand and hadroad for		 	_				
C. Hydrology and hydraulics		 	_				
1. Determine impact area			_		Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
2. Research and review existing hydrology/hydraulic models					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
3. Develop watershed schematic					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
4. Determine watershed conditions (CN, Tc, rainfall, etc.)					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
5. Run preliminary hydraulics			_		Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
6. Develop hydrologic model for watershed					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
7. Run hydrologic models					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
a. Existing conditions							
b. Future-without-project condition							
8. Review municipal & industrial or rural water supply studies					Analysis Tools/Methods	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
D. Review cultural resource data					NRHP eligibility	Affected Environment	
E. Economics and social effects (future-without-project condition)							
1. Urban or developed area damages					Net Returns, cost of damages	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
a. Denote on aerial photo affected properties Appendix C upstream and downstream							
f. Determine infrastructure damage (roads, bridges, utilities)							
g. Determine costs of utility outage, re-routing traffic							
2. Agricultural area damages					Net Returns, cost of damages	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
3. Nonagricultural area damages (roads, bridges, oil Appendix C wells, etc.)					Net Returns, cost of damages	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
4. Review social resource data					Net Returns, cost of damages	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
5. Review and interpret visual resource data					Report of condition andprobable impact	Affected Environment & Appendix C	
Subtotal Step 4 - Analyze Resource Data							
Step 5 - FORMULATE ALTERNATIVES							
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A. Identify quality criteria					List of criteria associated with needs	Formulation process	
		 1		r i		Alternetives	
B. Develop practice/measure list					List of project practices or measures	Alternatives	

completeness, effectiveness, efficiency and					Table of practice extents for each alternative	Alternatives
D. Determine practice/measure extents					List of alternative components	Alternatives
E. Determine treatment increments				1 1	Participation rate	Alternatives
F. Determine practice/measure adoption rates					List of required documents	Permits and compliance
					List of mitigation methods to be used	
G. Identify permits, licenses, and other entitlements require for action						Alternatives & Mitigation
H. Define mitigation strategies					Alternative cost estimate	Alternatives
I. Determine project costs for each alternative						
Subtotal Step 5 - Formulate Alternatives						
Step 6 - EVALUTATE ALTERNATIVES						
A. Environmental evaluation						
1. Complete EE and document findings					Analysis Tools/Methods	
B. Evaluate resource data						
1. Review HGM					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
2. Review WHEG or other methodology					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
9. Review range health determinations					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
10. Review forest health determinations					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
11. Review fishery classifications					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
12. Review soil health determinations					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
13. Review riparian PFC impacts					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
14. Conduct trend analysis					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
15. Extrapolate model results					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
16. Review landscape and visual resource impacts						
C. Geology						
1. Foundation and slope stability					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
a. Analyze foundation and slope stability						
c. Seepage analysis						
D. Hydrology and hydraulics						
1. Run hydrologic models					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
a. Evaluate future with project condition (varies Consequences						
with alternatives)						
b. Determine effects structures have on watershed						
(release flows, discharges, downstream water surface elevations)						
4. Develop floodplain maps (breach, 100-yr & 500-yr with and without project)						
					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
5. Determine watershed safe yield for water supply				1 1		
					Document predicted changes in indicator	Environmental Consequences
E. Economics (all alternatives)						
1. Determine economic benefits for each alternative					NED Account Values Displayed	Alternative Comparison
				1 1	in Alternative Comparison Table (see P&G Chapte	er 2) Table & Economic Tables
					Effects of Alternatives (P&G Forecasting 3.4.7&8)	
3. Recreation area (Palmetto island state park)					Alternative Comparison Table	Alternative Comparison
a. Determine number of visitor-days per year	1	1				Table & Environmental Consequences
4. Calculate average annual damages	1	1		1 1	NED Account Values Displayed	Alternative Comparison
a. Urban, agricultural, and recreation areas		1	1 1	1 1	in Alternative Comparison Table (see P&G Chapte	
5. Calculate benefit-cost ratio		1	1 1	1 1	NED Account Values Displayed	Alternative Comparison
		1			in Alternative Comparison Table (see P&G Chapte	
6. Determine NED plan for water resource projects		1			NED Account Values Displayed	
	 1	1	1 1	1	in Alternative Comparison Table (see P&G Chapte	ar 2)

F. Identify direct and indirect effects (40 CFR Section 1502.16)			List of effects	Environmental Consequences	
G. Determine significance of effects (context & intensity)					
1. Air quality (SWAPA+H) Airborn dust should be mentioned (short term- construction)			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
2. Archeological and historic properties			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
3. Coastal zone management areas			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
4. Coral reefs			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
5. Ecological critical areas			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
6. Economic and social			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
a. Current productivity			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
b. Damage costs				Environmental Consequences	
c. Enterprise input costs			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
d. Income			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
e. Land cost				Environmental Consequences	
f. O&M costs			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
g. Population demographics			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
h. Rental rates			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
7. Environmental justice			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
8. Erosion and sedimentation			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
9. Essential fish habitat			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
10. Fish resources			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
11. Floodplains			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
12. Floodwater damage			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
13. Forest health			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
14. Highly erodible cropland			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
15. Human health and safety			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
16. Invasive species			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
17. Land use and management			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
18. Migratory birds			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
19. Natural areas			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
20. Parklands			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
21. Prime and unique farmland			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
22. Range health			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
23. Riparian corridor PFC impacts			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
24. Scenic areas			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
25. Significant scientific features			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
26. Soil health			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
27. Threatened and endangered species			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
28. Transportation and infrastructure			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
29. Visual resources (Aesthetics high/med/low concern - simple to address)			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
30. Water bodies (streams, lakes, ponds, etc.)			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
31. Water quality			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	†
32. Water quantity	+		Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
33. Wetlands			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
35. Wildlife resources			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	\mathbf{H}
36. Other resource concerns			Document predicted changes in indicators	Environmental Consequences	
H. Develop mitigation or reformulate to avoid adverse environmental effects					\mathbf{t}
1. Environmental			Mitigation	Environmental Consequences & Mitigation	+
2. Downstream erosion	 +		Mitigation	Environmental Consequences & Mitigation	<u> </u>
3. Landscape and visual resources	 +				\vdash
I. Determine potential for effect controversy			Controversy Analysis		+
J. Identify possible conflicts between Federal, State,	+ +	 	List of Conflicts		┼──

local and Tribal: policies laws and objectives (40 CEP Section 1502 15)	1 1		
local, and Tribal; policies, laws, and objectives (40 CFR Section 1502.16) K. Identify major environmental conflicts resolved (7 CFR Part 650)	Discussion of Resolved Conflicts	Environmental Consequences	
L. Identify unresolved environmental conflicts & NRCS proposed resolution (7 CFR Part 650)	Discussion of Resolved Conflicts	Environmental Consequences	
M. Identify consistency with regional water resource plans (7 CFR Part 650)	Statement of Consistency Status	Environmental Consequences	
N. Identify and determine if effects are cumulatively significant (7 CFR Part 650)	Result of Cumulative Effect Analysis	Environmental Consequences	
O. Identify adverse environmental effects that can't be avoided (40 CFR Section 1502.16, 7 CFR Part 650	Discussion of unavoidable adverse effects	Environmental Consequences	
P. Determine the impacts on short-term land use (40 CFR Section 1502.16, 7 CFR Part 650)	Discussion of Impacts Analysis	Environmental Consequences	
Q. Determine impacts to long-term productivity (40 CFR Section 1502.16, 7 CFR Part 650)	Discussion of Impacts Analysis Discussion of Impacts Analysis	Environmental Consequences	
R. Determine energy and natural or depletable resource	Report of Energy and Depletable Resource Requirem		
requirements & conservation potential (40 CFR Section 1502.16)		Environmental Consequences	
T. Determine reuse and conservation potential of Consequences alternatives (40 CFR Section 1502.16)	Report discussing these Topics	Environmental Consequences	
T. Determine reuse and conservation potential of consequences alternatives (40 CFR Section 1502.10)	Result of Risk Analysis (see P Consequences		
U. Identify risks and uncertainty of effects (7 CFR Part 650)	Part 650)	Environmental Consequences	
V. Determine if actions create any precedents (7 CFR Consequences Part 650)	Statement of Precedents	Environmental Consequences	
W. Identify irreversible or irretrievable commitments of resources (40 CFR Section 1502.16, 7 CFR Part 650)	Discussion of Resource Commitment Analysis	Environmental Consequences	
Subtable Sterr C. Evaluate Alternatives			
Subtotal Step 6 - Evaluate Alternatives	+ + + -		
Step 7 - Make Decisions			
		Comparison of Alternatives Table	
A. Compare alternatives (NED, EQ, OSE, and RED accounts)			
B. Review alternatives with sponsors		Consultation and Public Participation	
C. Identify preferred alternative	Preferred Alternative	Provisions of the Preferred	
D. Determine level of NEPA documentation required			
E. Prepare draft document for review	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
1. Develop plan cover	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
2. Write summary/fact sheet (40 CFR Section 1502.12)	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
3. Write "Purpose and Need" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
4. Review and refine "Scope of Plan-EA/EIS"	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
5. Write "Affected Environment" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
6. Write "Alternatives" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
a. Write "Formulation Process" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
b. Write "Alternatives Considered but Eliminated from Detailed Study" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
c. Write "Description of Alternatives" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
7. Develop "Comparison of Alternatives" table	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
8. Write "Environmental Consequences" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
9. Write "Consultation and Public Participation" section (7 CFR Part 650)			
	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
10. Write "Provisions of the Preferred Alternative" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
a. Write "Rationale for Alternative Preference"	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
b. Write "Measures to be Installed" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
c. Write "Mitigation" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
d. Write "Permits and Compliance" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
e. Write "Costs and Cost Sharing" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
f. Write "Installation and Finance" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
g. Write "Operation, Maintenance, and Replacement" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
h. Develop economic and structural tables	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
11. Write "References" section	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
12. Write "List of Preparers" section (40 CFR Section 1502 17)	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
13. Write "Distribution List" section (40 CFR Section 1502 19)	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		
14. Write "Index" section (40 CFR Section 1502.10)	Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS		

15. Appendices					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
a. Finalize "Appendix C: Support Maps"					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
b. Write "Investigation and Analysis" Section					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
c. Compile "Appendix D: Supporting Information"					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
d. Update project map					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
16. Prepare watershed agreement					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
Subtotal - Make Decisions						
F. Reviews NRCS/VSWCD						
1. Conduct internal interdisciplinary State office review					Discipline Comments	
a. Make plan modifications					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
2. Technical review by NWMC					Discipline Comments	
a. Make plan revisions					Draft Plan/EA or Plan/EIS	
3. Sponsor draft plan-EA review					Sponsor Comments	
4. Conduct interagency review					Agency Comments	
5. Conduct public meetings						
Subtotal - Reviews						
G. Prepare Final Plan/EA or EIS VSWCD/BWC	<u> </u>			 	Final Plan/EIS	
1. Resolve comments and incorporate changes						
a. Revise plan-EA						
b. Include letters and comments in appendix A						
2. Hold additional public meeting if necessary						
Subtotal - Prepare Final Plan/EA or EIS						
H. Final Plan Approval NRCS					Final Plan/EIS	
1. Final plan-EA						
a. Prepare and sign FONSI						
b. Prepare and publish FONSI notice of availability						
c. Sign watershed agreement/plan						
d. Make required copies of plan-EA						
e. Request funding authorization						
Subtotal - Plan/EA Approval						
Subtotal Step 7 - Make Decisions						
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Total Initiate Planning and Steps 1 through 7						
Step 8 - Implement Plan VSWCD						
1. Funding						
2. Permits						
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3 Land rights						
3. Land rights						
4. Surveys						
4. Surveys 5. Final design						
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4. Follow up with SLO regarding O&M inspections					
Total Step 9 – Evaluate the Plan					
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We the undersigned officially and fully commit the resources and staff to execute the tasks identified in this Plan of Work in order to guide and assist in the management of the planning process and environmental analysis for the Lower Vermilion River Watershed Project Plan-Environmental Assessment.

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