

NH-NRCS
Wetland Reserve Program
Preliminary Restoration Plan

Practices Identified for:
SPRUCEWOODS

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❖ **RESTORATION SITE #1:**

- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Vegetative Community Enhancement Scenarios**
Using feller/buncher, remove low value timber and/or stack into shelter piles to increase horizontal diversity and preferred habitat for New England Cottontail.
 - 7 Acres @ \$1,125/Acre = \$7,875 (#1)

❖ **RESTORATION SITE #2:**

- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Vegetative Community Enhancement Scenarios**
Add 1000 live stakes/acre to increase shelter component in old field (~10 acres).
 - 10,000 @ \$3.45/each = \$34,500 (#2)
- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Vegetative Community Enhancement Scenarios**
Add 1000 blackberries/acre to complement shelter component in old field (~10 acres).
 - 10,000 @ \$2.50/each = \$25,000 (#3)
- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Vegetative Community Enhancement Scenarios**
Add 1,000 container plants to complement shelter component in old field (~10 acres).
 - 1,000 @ \$20/each = \$20,000 (#4)
- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Woody Invasive Plant Control Scenarios**
Moderate Density across 25 acre old field.
 - 25 acres @ \$550/acre = \$13,750 + \$6,850 follow-up = \$20,625 (#5)

❖ **RESTORATION SITE #3:**

- **Wetland Restoration – 657 – Stream Restoration Scenarios**
Stream wood additions to increase habitat complexity and re-engage floodplain.
 - 1,500 linear feet @ \$4/foot = \$6,000 (#6)
- **Wetland Enhancement – 659 – Stream Crossing Scenarios**
Install stone ford across 30x15 section of stream bed.
 - 30 feet at \$49.24/Foot = \$1,477.20 (#7)

TOTAL ESTIMATED COSTS = \$115,477.20