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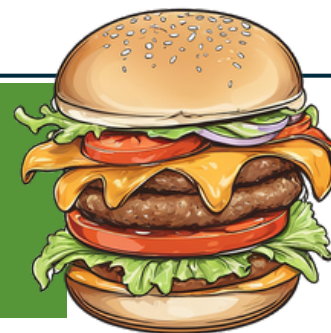
BOOKCLIFF, MOUNT SOPRIS, & SOUTH SIDE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

Our Land, Our Water, Our Heritage



UPCOMING EVENTS

Landowner BBQ & Local "Work" Group:
Wednesday, May 21st 5:30pm
Veterans' Park - 500 Home Ave. Silt, CO



**Join YOUR Conservation Districts and local NRCS office for
a Landowner Appreciation BBQ and Local "Work" Group.
We feed you and won't make you "work" we just need your
input on Local Resource Concerns!**

Please bring a side dish if able!
Dessert contest and door prizes!

Register here or call Emily at
970-404-3439



>>> WELCOME CASSIDY! - NEW DISTRICT TECHNICIAN

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We have a new District Technician!

Cassidy grew up in Colorado and has spent time in Hawaii studying seabirds. She also worked with the BLM in Southern Utah completing vegetation management surveys through the A.I.M. Program.

Cassidy will primarily be completing our Noxious Weed Mapping and collecting soil samples.

Cassidy can be reached at 970-404-3441 or GarPitCDTech@gmail.com



>>> NEW PROGRAMS AND AVAILABLE FUNDING

Wolf Conflict Minimization Grant

Because of a grant from CDA we can help with carcass management, range riding start up and training and record keeping.

[Click here for more information](#)
visit our website or call Emily

2025 SOIL TESTING

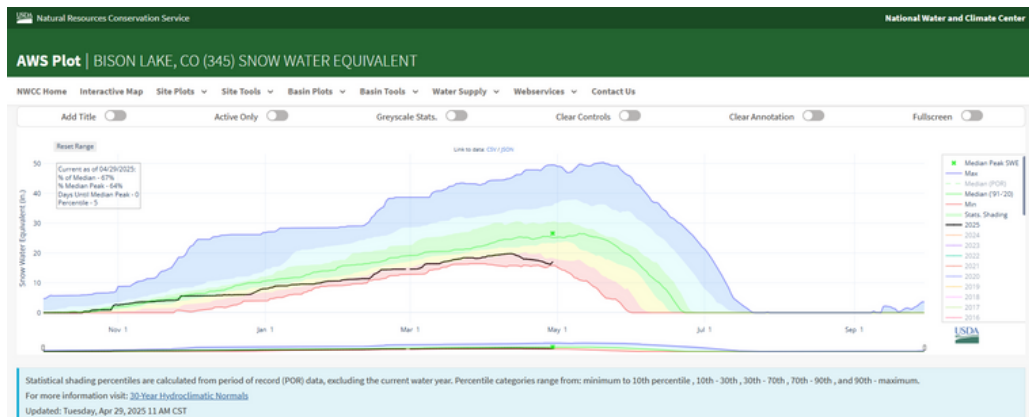
We can complete soil testing for producers and landowners in our districts. These can be used to help make management decision for seeding, fertilizing, grazing etc.

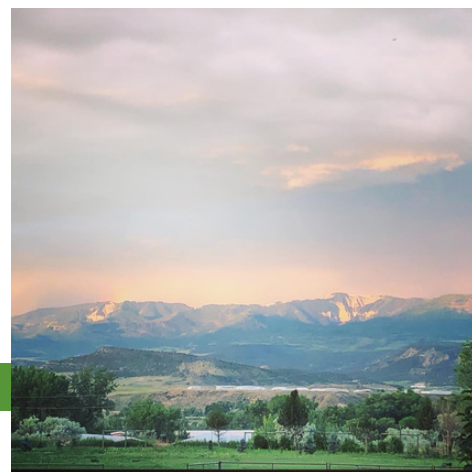
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>>> NRCS SNOW PACK REPORTS

Our partners at USDA NRCS manage SnoTel sites across the US. These can tell you snow water equivalent and much more.

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DISTRICT STAFF

District Manager **Emily Schwaller** | Engineering Tech **Mike Kishimoto** | Tech **Cassidy Stein** | Intern **Jacob Cox**



Field that was No-Till Drilled with our drill - you can rent this drill too!

More information at: <https://bookcliffmountsoprisouthsidecd.org/no-till-drill/>