



Hillsborough County Conservation District

CONSERVATION TOWARD SUSTAINABLE
AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY

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Volunteer Project: Watershed & Pollution Model Education Coordinator

Background/Introduction:

The District has purchased a Non-point Source Pollution Watershed table-top model through grant funds. The model is available to any teacher within Hillsborough County, 4H groups, home schools, towns, etc. While the model does get used, additional promotion is needed to expand the program.

Project responsibilities: You will be responsible for both managing the program and offering presentations to interested teachers. Current teachers participating in other District educational programs will be contacted to generate interest in the Watershed Model via a promotional flyer, then a follow-up phone call. Presentations will be scheduled and completed. Research will be done to create a watershed & pollution educational activity packet that will be given to anyone who requests a presentation.

Project requirements: Upon completion of this project, all elementary teachers in the county will have had the opportunity to take advantage of the program, a more extensive participant list will be created, data will be collected to determine if an additional model should be purchased.

Anticipated time for project will be discussed with student and advisor.

Organization Name: Hillsborough County Conservation District

Brief description of organization: The Hillsborough County Conservation District represents soil and water conservation at the local level. Formed in 1946 as a sub-division of the State of New Hampshire, State Statute 430:8, the District is managed by a volunteer Board of Supervisors. The District works with farmers, forest landowners, landowners, schools, and municipalities to promote the use, protection, and conservation of natural resources on both private and public land, both rural and urban. Our conservation programs in Hillsborough County are carried out through public education and the implementation of Best Management Practices (BMPs).

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