

Critical Seeding

Critical seeding is the process of establishing permanent vegetation on sites which are highly susceptible to erosion. Historically, these sites have had problems with establishing permanent vegetation using conventional management practices. Critical seeding sites include areas with highly erodible soils; long or steep slopes; droughty soils; excessively wet soils; soils that are very acidic or alkaline; slopes immediately adjacent to bodies of water or wetlands; fill areas; and areas subject to concentrated flows.

Purpose

- Reduces soil erosion
- Reduces wind erosion
- Restores degraded land sites
- Protects off-site damage to other land sites

For more information on conservation practices in this area, visit your local **County Conservation District/NRCS Office**, or **Local Extension Office**

Or, call **(785) 650-1282**

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