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CONSERVATION DISTRICT
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Are you challenged with farming in close proximity to streams, ponds, or wetlands? Do you struggle with muddy stream banks?

Lynden—The Whatcom Conservation District (WCD) invites landowners to participate in a new cost-share program. Financial assistance is available to help you install fences and watering facilities on your farm. This cost share program can cover up to 75 percent of the cost of installing fencing, water pipelines, hydrants, troughs, and nose pumps. If you qualify you can receive a **maximum of \$3,750** to cover eligible expenses towards making improvements on your farm.

The deadline to sign up for funding is **March 26, 2010**. Funds are limited, all proposed projects will be ranked using criteria to determine the environmental benefit of each proposal. This is your chance to make farm improvements and utilize a funding opportunity. Call today!



If you have livestock that may be impacting streams, ditches or wetlands then you are eligible.

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