

## RANKING CRITERIA FOR FY04 EQIP

Local Work Group: Big Bend Team  
 Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

An eligible EQIP cost shared conservation practice will be applied to address the Resource Modifier			
Category	RESOURCE MODIFIER (on the area to be treated)	MAX. SCORE	SCORE
Dry Crop		75	
	Offer - predominant soil map unit - HEL -Cropland	25	
	A buffer Practice will be installed	50	
	Proposed Contract area is adjacent to a 303(d) listed stream (0 - 25 pts)	25	
Score Allowed			0
Irrigated Crop		325	
	Irrigation induced erosion - Nomograph 2 points/ton (0 - 50 pts)	50	
	Surface irrigation will be converted to a more efficient system (50 - 100 pts)	100	
	Irrigated ground with Hydrologic Unit A	200	
	Fish Screens or by-pass structures in irrigation delivery systems	150	
	Barriers to upstream fish passage and fish screen.	62	
	A practice will be implemented to benefit terrestrial species	25	
Score Allowed			0
Grazing Land		225	
	Surface irrigation will be converted to a more efficient system	100	
	Livestock have uncontrolled access to riparian areas	100	
	Prescribed grazing will be applied	25	
	Proposed contract area is adjacent to a stream which supports listed salmonid	50	
	Proposed contract areas is near a 303(d) listed stream (0 - 50 pts)	50	
	Water development is a factor for proper grazing distribution	100	
Score Allowed			0
Forest Land		75	
	Forest access roads deliver sediment to salmonid bearing streams (0-50 pts)	50	
	Forest stand improvement will be applied	25	
	In-stream barriers to upstream passage of salmonids on forest land	50	
	Planned practices will assist producer in complying with laws & regs	25	
	Priority Wildlife Impact (0 - 75 pts)	75	
Score Allowed			0
Livestock		300	
	Surface water runoff containment from feedlots	30	
	Proposed contract area is adjacent to 303 (d) listed stream (0 - 100 pts)	100	
	Relocation of feeding facilities	100	
	Airborne particulate problem on feedlot operations	30	
	Planned practices will assist producer in complying with laws & regs	25	
	A CNMP will be applied (Livestock Operations)	100	
Score Allowed			0
TOTAL SCORE FOR ALL CATEGORIES			0
RATIO / RATIO SCORE		1	0
Additional Considerations		Assigned Pts	
Sub Total - Additional Considerations			0
TOTAL SCORE		1000	0
		Max. Allowed	Awarded
Total Possible Points - for Tiebreaker Only		1722	0