

Name: Keith Burgess

Affiliation: District Manager, Monacan Soil and Water Conservation District

Resume:

31 years on staff with Monacan Soil and Water Conservation District as a technical, educational, and administrator.

- On-farm plots and studies related to soil quality management, nutrient management, tillage practices, overall crop and livestock production practices
- Development of soil and water conservation plans
- Implementation of Virginia Agricultural Cost-Share (VACS) program at the swcd level
- Served on multiple committees in developing and revising the VACS program
- Design/engineer conservation practices related to crop and livestock production

Certified VA DCR Nutrient Management Planner.

- Routinely write plans for grain production using commercial fertilizer along with dairy and poultry manure.

Previously certified DCR erosion and sediment control

- plan reviewer
- inspector
- program administrator
- served on committees for revisions to the original VA E&S Handbook for development of green E&S handbook

VA DCR certified Conservation Planner

Actively engaged in ag production for over 40 years, primarily row crops in eastern & piedmont regions of VA, with some field fruit and vegetable production experience. Livestock experiences include management of a 300 sow farrow-to-finish operation, oversee manure management of a dairy operation, work with beef cattle production as well.