Agricultural Grant Funding Available

GEORGIA SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Middle Coosawattee Watershed 319 Project



The Georgia Soil & Water Conservation Commission (GSWCC) is implementing a new cost-share program in the Middle Coosawattee River Watershed to help farmers implement Best Management Practices (BMPs) on their land. The project area primarily covers North Central Georgia's Gordon and Pickens counties, and extends to areas of Murray, Gilmer, Bartow and Cherokee counties (see map below). Targeted streams in the watershed include: Lick Creek, Salacoa Creek, Talking Rock Creek and Little Scarecorn Creek.

The goal of this funding is to protect and improve water quality in the Middle Coosawattee Watershed through the installation of agricultural BMPs. *If you are a poultry or cattle producer* interested in implementing BMPs such as stackhouses, incinerators, composters, exclusion fencing, heavy use areas, alternative watering sources, and/or stabilized feeding areas, you may be eligible to receive assistance through this GSWCC 319 Project. Payments are also available to producers for implementation of on-farm Nutrient Management Plans.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Leigh Rush Project Coordinator

700 E. 2nd Avenue, Suite J Rome, GA 30161

Phone: 706-295-6131 Fax: 706-802-5131 E-mail: Irush@gaswcc.org

Visit

<u>www.gaswcc.georgia.gov</u>

to learn about other soil and
water conservation
programs through GSWCC!

