

THANKS TO SUPPORT FROM SHERIDAN COUNTY, THE CITY OF SHERIDAN, THE TOWNS OF DAYTON, RANCHESTER, AND CLEARMONT, AND CONTRIBUTIONS FROM PRIVATE CITIZENS, THE SHERIDAN COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT HAS BEEN ABLE TO HELP THIS COMMUNITY FOR THE PAST 45 YEARS. OVER HALF OF THE SCCD'S ANNUAL BUDGET GOES TOWARD ON-THE-GROUND PROJECTS AIMED AT IMPROVING WATER AND LAND QUALITY IN SHERIDAN COUNTY.

YOU CAN HELP SUSTAIN THIS EFFORT WITH A CONTRIBUTION.

*"Giving liberates the soul of the giver"*  
-Maya Angelou



**DONATE NOW**  
TO SUPPORT CONSERVATION PROGRAMS IN SHERIDAN COUNTY.



**2019 CONTRIBUTION CAMPAIGN**



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*"The conservation of natural resources and their proper use constitute the fundamental problem which underlies almost every other problem of the national life..."*  
-Theodore Roosevelt

PROTECTING SHERIDAN COUNTY'S WATER AND LAND QUALITY THROUGH ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS, EDUCATION, MONITORING AND PLANNING.

# ONE OF MANY

The Sheridan County Conservation District (SCCD) is one of thirty-four conservation districts in the State of Wyoming. Each district has a unique program tailored to its natural resource needs. SCCD's mission centers around water and land quality in Sheridan County.

## STRONG FOUNDATIONS

Partnerships are the foundation of the local program. Partnering with other entities to expand project funding and scope helps SCCD deliver a diverse natural resource conservation program.



## SPECIAL PROJECTS

### • ACME RECLAMATION PROJECT



The Acme Reclamation Project is a community effort to address environmental and safety concerns at the former Acme Power Plant. For more info, visit [www.acmeprojectwyoming.org](http://www.acmeprojectwyoming.org)

### • NORTHEAST WYOMING INVASIVE GRASSES WORKING GROUP (NEWIGWG)



SCCD participates as a partner in NEWIGWG to assist in reducing the impacts of Medusahead and Ventenata to rangeland ecosystems.

### • CITY OF SHERIDAN STORMWATER EDUCATION CAMPAIGN



The City of Sheridan and the SCCD work together to improve awareness on stormwater and urban run-off related issues within the Goose Creek Watershed.

*The function of the local Conservation District is to take the "available technical, financial, and educational resources, whatever their source, and focus or coordinate them so that they meet the needs of the local land user."*

- Pete Nowak

The SCCD is funded primarily through federal and state grants with some support from local funding sources, including contributions from private citizens.

**Funds raised through private contributions are critical to the function of the SCCD.**

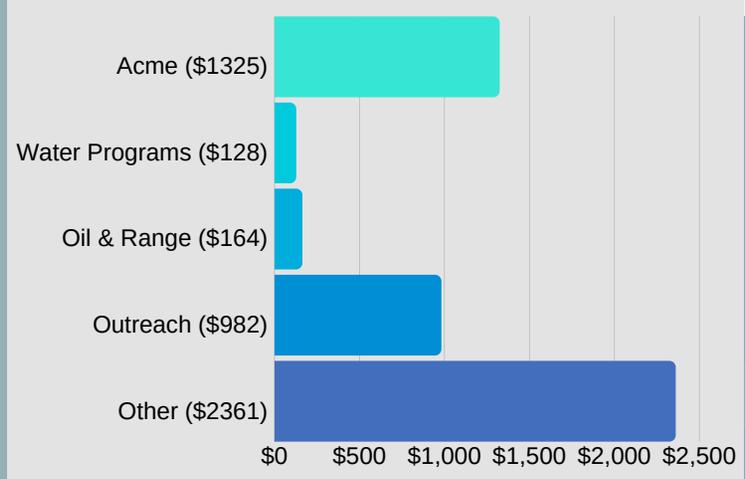
Local funds serve as a match for grants and provide for activities not covered through grants.

## LOCAL FUNDING MEANS LOCAL ACCOUNTABILITY.

SCCD plays a key role in the protection of natural resources in Sheridan County.

Funding received through local sources enables SCCD to maintain its commitment to local resource management.

## TOTAL 2017-2018 INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS \$4,960 OF \$5,000 ANNUAL GOAL



\*An additional \$15,000 came from other private foundations

*"We make a living by what we get, we make a life by what we give."*  
- Winston Churchill

# ACHIEVING THE MISSION SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

## ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

- Water quality improvement projects
- Seedling trees for windbreaks & snow fences
- Oil recycling facilities in Dayton and Clearmont



## EDUCATION

- Water quality demonstrations and hands-on activities
- Agriculture week activities on food and product origins
- Community events and workshops



## MONITORING

- Water quality monitoring
- WDA Rangeland Health Assessment Projects
- WWDC Level 1 Watershed Assessments



## PLANNING

- Watershed planning
- Land-use planning

