

# CONSERVATION TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE:



CONSERVATION DISTRICTS  
OF WASHINGTON STATE  
*your window to healthy lands*

Critical Funding for Delivering Healthy Natural Resources & Communities

## IMAGINE THIS:

We need help with wildfire preparedness...

...salmon recovery

...erosion control



Warehouses across the state are overflowing with merchandise. Orders are pouring in and phones are ringing — but there's no one to answer or deliver products.

**THAT'S CONSERVATION WITHOUT ADEQUATE CONSERVATION TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FUNDING.**

CTA powers the workforce and tools conservation districts need to deliver common-sense conservation to Washington communities.



## THE CHOICE IS CLEAR

WITH CTA

VS.

WITHOUT CTA



Your constituents have access to local conservation expertise.



Your constituents are waitlisted and bounced around in search of natural resource help.



State natural resource funding is invested in and driven by your community.



Funding is absorbed into one-size-fits-all approaches that are disconnected from local needs.



Your community sees the health of local natural resources improve.



Natural resources degrade due to the lack of capacity to deliver conservation services.

## STATE FUNDING FOR CTA ISN'T KEEPING UP WITH DEMAND

Conservation districts work tirelessly to address natural resource issues. But critical needs are falling through the cracks due to growing demands that outpace finite CTA resources.

Increased demand from agency referrals.

Increased demand from community members for more services.

Increased demand from the state to deliver more programs & projects.

Increased demand from educators for place-based & career-connected learning opportunities.



Don't put Washington's conservation on hold.

**FUND CTA TO HELP LOCAL EXPERTS DELIVER COMMON-SENSE CONSERVATION FOR YOUR COMMUNITY.**

