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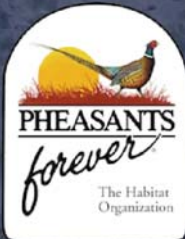
**August 15-16, 2018**  
Elko, Nevada

**2018**

# LOW TECH - LOW COST MESIC RESTORATION

## FIELD WORKSHOP

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### Primary Learning Outcomes

This workshop will bring together NRCS conservationists and partners in Nevada interested in using low-cost tools to restore riparian areas to benefit wildlife and working lands. Participants will come away with:

1. An appreciation of beaver ecology and the complex feedbacks between beaver activity, hydrogeomorphic responses, riparian vegetation and ecology;
2. Exposure to ways in which low cost structures can be used as restoration tool to mitigate specific impairments;
3. Introduction to considerations in planning, permitting, design and building such restoration projects;
4. Knowledge of how to use adaptive management in managing expectations about beaver as a restoration agent and/or nuisance impacts;
5. First-hand experience designing and building some beaver dam analogues;
6. A chance to interact with experienced practitioners & share perspectives

**University Credit Available!**

Participants can receive 1.5 Continuing Education Units from Utah State University for \$95: [restoration@usu.edu](mailto:restoration@usu.edu)  
(Note: Course qualifies towards Graduate Restoration Certificate)

**Venue: Elko, NV**  
**2 Day Workshop**  
**Classroom: Elko**  
**Field: Maggie Creek & Susie Creek**

Registration is by invitation only:  
RSVP to: [Deborah.Koziol@nv.usda.gov](mailto:Deborah.Koziol@nv.usda.gov)

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