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Pheasants Forever & Quail Forever and Partners Hire Farm Bill Biologist to Assist Southeast MO Landowners

Cody Bowman will serve Madison, St. Francois, and Ste. Genevieve counties

STE. GENEVIEVE, MO – September 10, 2024 – Pheasants Forever and Quail Forever in Missouri is excited to share that Cody Bowman was hired for the Ste. Genevieve, MO Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist Position. Bowman started his new position on August 12th, 2024.

Farm Bill Wildlife Biologists on the Missouri Team are partnership positions supported by the Natural Resources Conservation Service, the Missouri Dept. of Conservation, and the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation. Bowman will work with private landowners in Madison, St. Francois, and Ste. Genevieve counties, providing technical assistance and expertise in wildlife management planning and securing funds to implement those plans.

"We're thrilled to have Cody join our Farm Bill Biologist Team," Farm Bill Manager Haley Lockard stated. "Cody brings a wealth of knowledge in habitat management. Landowners will love working with him to create and improve wildlife habitat on their properties."

Bowman is originally from Northeast Oklahoma, where he spent most of his childhood exploring his family's land and learning how to respect nature through hunting and fishing. With everything learned from those activities, Cody then graduated from Oklahoma State University with a bachelor's in wildlife and ecology management. He spent the last four years working as a professional Hunting Guide and Wildlife Habitat Manager in Eastern Texas. In his spare time, not surprisingly, he enjoys bow hunting or any other form of outdoor activity. He also enjoys spending time with his wife, training with his dog, and sitting down to watch a good TV show or movie.

"I am very excited about the new state and landscape, including the radically different weather and everything that comes with it," Bowman said. "I can't wait to contribute to the great efforts of the Missouri team!"





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If you are interested in how to establish high quality wildlife habitat on your property or incorporate habitat on your working lands, contact Cody Bowman at cbowman@pheasantsforever.org or (573)883-2703 ext. 8078

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