

# ANNUAL SUMMARY

July 2023 - June 2024

## **DISTRICT OPERATIONS**

Hosted state required Special District audit training for county-wide special districts in conjunction with the Area II Meeting of Districts.

Provided \$10,000 in local funding for the Pilot Hill WHMA lease.

Sold 3,889 trees and shrubs to 72 local landowners at the District's Annual Tree Sale.

Contributed \$3,378 to county-wide clean-up efforts through the Tire & Refrigerator Voucher Program.

Sponsored the Bow Fiddle Stream Restoration and the Salamander Well Projects through the Wyoming Small Waters Program.

#### **PROGRAMS & RESOURCES**

Allocated \$82,500 in cost share programs, funding a total of 13 natural resource projects, benefiting a total of 16,842 acres in Albany County.

Converted 5.2 miles of fence to wildlife-friendly standards.

Restored 1.2 miles of streambank.

Farmed and installed 8 Living Snow Fences (LSFs), totaling 875 trees and shrubs planted in Albany County.

Maintained and managed the Labonte Community Garden and the Labonte Bee Hive.

### **TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**

Provided 30 custom seed mix recommendations for county landowners.

Reviewed and commented on 15 county notices.

Conducted weekly rural site visits for potential resource concerns and future projects within Albany County.

Monitored rangeland conditions at 15 sites on 6 different ranches.

Provided 2 custom grazing plans for Albany County producers.

#### **OUTREACH & EDUCATION**

Hosted the bi-annual Albany County Conservation Expo consisting of 38 educational booths and over 325 attendees.

Presented Stream Trailer demonstrations to 375 Albany County elementary students at the annual Ag Expo.

Hosted 3 public Water Quality Workshops.

Partnered with the City of Laramie and other local agencies to host a Tree Pruning Workshop with 24 participants.

Conducted 2 educational Plant Walks with 44 participants.







