Soil, Water & Conservation | CHECKLIST

Tree Planting Checklist for Riparian Areas

Checklist for planting trees in riparian areas, from site prep to protection and follow up care. Use it on each visit and keep the completed copy with your farm records.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Site and goals reviewed	☐	☐	☐
Utilities and permits checked	☐	☐	☐
Species and stock chosen	☐	☐	☐
Planting area prepared	☐	☐	☐
Trees handled and kept moist	☐	☐	☐
Planted at correct depth per instructions	☐	☐	☐
Tree protection installed	☐	☐	☐
Weed control in place	☐	☐	☐
Survival checks scheduled	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Plant when the ground is workable and moist, and keep seedlings shaded until they go in.