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SUBJECT: EOP - Take Our Daughters and Sons To Work Day

Purpose: To announce April 24, 2003 as "Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work" Day

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Thursday, April 24, 2003, is "Take Our Daughters and Sons To Work" Day. Observance and participation is designed to broaden the conversation about the competing challenges of work and family, and help create a future in which girls and boys can participate fully in family, work and community.

The major goal for the activities is to encourage girls and boys to think now about how their dreams for the future - both for their work and family lives - can be achieved. For example, if they plan to have a career that requires them to travel or work a night shift, who will take care of things at home? The activities are meant to be fun, allow for lots of conversation, and engage girls and boys in thinking about work and home life in ways they may never have before.

"Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work" will encourage girls and boys to share their ideas and expectations about the workplace of the future with the companies that will someday employ them. Specific activities have been designed to help girls and boys begin to articulate their ideas about having both a job and a family. More information is available online at www.DaughtersandSonsToWork.org, including the workplace activities, planning tips, sample days, and other suggestions to help workplaces plan a successful day.

The Natural Resources Conservation Service is committed to educating girls and boys about the wealth of job possibilities for their future, teach them about the realities of work, and give them a glimpse of what the adults in their lives do during the day. We encourage all NRCS employees to participate in their own activities.

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