

SOIL, WATER, AND CLIMATE
MS DEGREE PROGRAM STEPS FORM

Student Name: _____

Advisor: _____

Starting Date: _____

Advisory Committee: _____

ACTION BY STUDENT AND ADVISOR

Projected Date

Date Completed

A. Advisory Committee established¹

B. Course program approved²

C. Teaching experience identified and scheduled³

D. Annual evaluation of progress⁴

E. Research seminar presented in 8128⁵

F. Research ethics requirement met⁵

(SOIL 8123)

G. All prerequisites completed⁵

H. Informal exit interview scheduled with
Department Head and DGS

ACTION BY DGS AND/OR GRADUATE SCHOOL

A. Degree program filed⁶

B. Final oral exam⁷

C. Degree completed within 2 to 2.5 years

D. Change of status⁸

¹by early 2nd semester

²by end of 2nd semester

³preferably before start of fall semester of 2nd year

⁴each year, preferably at the end of spring semester

⁵before thesis defense scheduled

⁶by end of 2nd semester

⁷after examining committee (readers) certify thesis is ready for defense

⁸change of status readmission form must be filed if continuing for PhD