

## 100 Native Forage Grasses in 11 Southern States

In February, 1971, USDA-NRCS issued **Handbook No. 389, 100 Native Forage Grasses in 11 Southern States**, a definitive guide to identification, adaptation and use of 100 Southern native grass species. This work was the effort of Horace Leithead, Lewis Yarlett and Thomas Shiflett, Service range conservationists. This handbook has been out of print for many years.

On the occasion of the 6th Eastern Native Grass Symposium (Oct. 7 – 10, 2008), the South Carolina Native Plant Society (co-host of the Symposium) re-printed this handbook, (and updated the taxonomy listings). It contains excellent line-drawn illustrations, including enlargements of key ID characteristics, along with distribution maps. The re-issued Handbook has a sturdy color cover (varnished for wear) with oversized spiral binding for ease of use in the field. It is available from:

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