

MADISON COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
**Application for Cost Share — REAP Forestry/Native Grasses & REAP Practices**

Application Received (Date): \_\_\_\_\_ By (Staff): \_\_\_\_\_ Entered in FARMS: \_\_\_\_\_ Application # \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Person**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_  
 EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE #(s) \_\_\_\_\_ home / cell

**APPLICANT TYPE**

- Owner
- Agent
- Contract Buyer
- Previous Owner
- Tenant
- Contract Seller

**Is this a Business Account?**

YES

Last 4 digits of EIN: XX-XXX \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Type:

- Corporation    Partnership    Trust    LLC\*\*

\*\*LLC filing as  Partnership    Corporation    Sole Proprietor.

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

NO

Last 4 digits of SSN: XXX-XX- \_\_\_\_\_

Alias/Doing Business As (e.g., Trust under SSN): \_\_\_\_\_

Note:

All applicants must have a **W-9** on file. Businesses must also have a **IDALS Legal Entity Form** on file.

**LOCATION INFO**

FARM # \_\_\_\_\_

TRACT # \_\_\_\_\_

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:    T \_\_\_\_ N R \_\_\_\_ W

(Quarter)    (Section)    (Township Name)

Parcel Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (for "Farmstead" Windbreak and Streambank & Shoreline Protection)

**✓ WHEN WILLING TO DO WORK:**

- Spring
- Summer
- Fall

**All practices will be designed to meet NRCS standards and specifications.**

Additional Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRACTICE REQUESTED:**

Name (Practice Code) *Maintenance Agreement*

Practices only eligible for REAP-F/NG Cost Share:

- "Farmstead" Windbreak (380) 20 yr
- Forest Stand Improvement (666) 10 yr
- Site Prep for natural regeneration (691) 20 yr
- Rescue Treatment (690) 20 yr
- Riparian Forest Buffer (391) 20 yr
- Prescribed Grazing (528) 10 yr
- Fencing Systems (382) 20 yr

See additional info on reverse

Practices only eligible for REAP-P Cost Share:

- Contour Buffer Strips (332) 10 yr
- Access Control (472) 20 yr
- Restored or Constructed Wetlands (657/658) 20 yr
- Streambank & Shoreline Protection (580) 20 yr
- Other (Ag Drainage Well plugging/cistern removal OR Tile Outlet from above to suitable, legal outlet) 20 yr: \_\_\_\_\_

Unless otherwise noted, cost share is at 50% (IFIP and REAP-P) or 75% (REAP-F/NG) of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less.

Practices eligible for IFIP or REAP-F/NG Cost Share:

- Conservation Cover (327) 20 yr
- Field Windbreak (380) 20 yr
- Tree and Shrub Establishment (612) 20 yr

Stormwater BMPs (REAP-P) have their own application form.

Practices eligible for IFIP or REAP-P Cost Share:

- Pasture & Hayland Planting (512) 5 yr
- Critical Area Planting (342) 5 yr
- Field Borders (386) 5 yr
- Filter Strips (393) 5 yr

Practices in gray font are listed on the application form for Soil Erosion Control.

By submitting this application, I understand that it is subject to the eligibility requirements of the program; that any practices completed with cost share will be bound by a maintenance agreement; and I grant SWCD representatives the right of ingress and egress to my land for conservation planning purposes.

**X**

Signature

Date

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Application # \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFO ABOUT CONSERVATION PRACTICES**

Cost estimates will be developed using our current **county average rates**, which can be found on our website: [www.madison-swcd.org/contractors](http://www.madison-swcd.org/contractors)  
 County average rates are for estimate purposes only! Planners' estimates will be used when county average rates are not available for a practice.  
 Actual cost share will payments will be determined after work is completed and bills are received; they are based on the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less.



**“FARMSTEAD” WINDBREAK (acre)**

- 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, not to exceed **\$1,600/windbreak** for establishment or renovation
- *Applications for “Farmstead” Windbreaks will not be considered until new buildings and infrastructure (e.g., houses, sheds, septic systems, propane tanks, etc.) are completed / in place.*

\_\_\_\_\_ acres @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**FOREST STAND IMPROVEMENT (acre)**

- 5 acres minimum
- Approved forest management plan required
- 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, not to exceed **\$120/acre** for prescribed woodland burning, thinning, pruning crop trees, or releasing seedlings or young trees

\_\_\_\_\_ acres @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**SITE PREPARATION  
for natural regeneration (acre)**

- 3 acres minimum
- Approved forest management plan required
- 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, not to exceed **\$120/acre** of site preparation

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**RESCUE TREATMENT (acre)**

- 3 acres minimum
- Approved forest management plan required
- 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, not to exceed (NTE) **\$60/acre** to establish alternate cover for competition control
- One time payment of 75% of eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, NTE **\$15/acre** to control damaging rodent population
- 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less, NTE **\$600/acre** for plantation replanting (including establishing ground cover, trees, tree planting, and weed control)

Establish Alternate Cover for Competition Control:

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Control Damaging Rodent Population:

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plantation Replanting:

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL COST SHARE = \$ \_\_\_\_\_**



**RIPARIAN FOREST BUFFER (acre)**

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**PRESCRIBED GRAZING (acre)**

- **At least 2 paddocks of native grasses**
- Does not include boundary fences, road fences, or development of a water source

\_\_\_\_\_ ac @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**FENCING SYSTEMS (rod)**

- Fencing systems used to implement or protect a conservation practice as described in rule 27-12.82 are eligible for 75% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less
- The fencing costs cannot exceed **\$14/rod** for permanent fencing, or **\$5/rod** for temporary electric fencing
- (1 rod = 16.5 ft.)
- Fences along road or land boundaries are not eligible

\_\_\_\_\_ rods @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /rod ... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 x 75% Cost Share= \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTOUR BUFFER STRIPS \*\*\***

\_\_\_\_\_ acres @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /ac ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 NTE \$25/ac  
 x 50% Cost Share = \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**ACCESS CONTROL**

\_\_\_\_\_ acres @ \$200.00/ac ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Flat Rate

\_\_\_\_\_ feet  
 / 16.5 = \_\_\_\_\_ rods @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ /rod .....\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 NTE \$14/rod  
 x 50% Cost Share (fencing) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL COST SHARE \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

(NTE = Not To Exceed)

\*\*\* If seeding introduced species, these practices require a **soil test** to be done (if not tested within previous 4 years) and **fertilizer** to be applied at the recommended rates (if needed to meet NRCS Standards and Specs).

**REAP-F/NG NOTES:** State funds are cost-shared at rates up to 75% with applicants assuming at least 25% of the cost. Cost-share for REAP-F/NG, with the exception of windbreaks, **can only be used on agricultural land**, which is land used for the commercial production of food and fiber.

**REAP-P NOTES:** Unless otherwise noted, all cost-share is 50% of the eligible or estimated cost, whichever is less. REAP-P funds can be used in combination with other public funds to provide a total cost-share rate up to 75%; REAP-P funds cannot exceed 50% of the total funding. Privately owned land not used for agricultural production shall not qualify for water protection practices funds. Exception to this rule: Streambank and Shoreline Protection and Stormwater Best Management Practices are eligible whether or not the land is in agriculture production. There is no minimum acre or dollar limit.