

Agricultural Enhancement Program Lime Application

Conservation Agency **Applicant Information Farm Information** Name: Conservation District: Western Mailing Address: County : Farm Name: **Telephone:** Farm #: **Email Address:** Tract # : Field # or #'s: **Application Date:**

Best Management Practice

Please complete the following information for the Best Management Practice you would like to apply for:

| BMP | Limits | Cost-Share Rate | Amount applied for | Other |
|-------------|---|---|--------------------|--|
| <u>Lime</u> | Not to exceed <u>50</u> acres Bulk Agricultural Lime Only ***Receipts Required*** | \$21 per ton flat rate Not to exceed \$2,100 | acres | Soil pH 5.9 & lower Acreage is not eligible if lime applied in last two years under AgEP. |

Program Eligibility

A. Definition

Cost share incentive to assist with the purchase and delivery of bulk agriculture lime to district cooperators on pasture and meadow.

A. Purpose

To provide soil and watershed protection by increasing plant vigor and vitality therefore aiding in the reduction of erosion on grassland by improving soil structure, health, and keeping valuable nutrients available to grassland species.

B. Policies for Practice

- Applicant must be a District Cooperator. 1.
- 2. A W-9 tax form will be required with application for District tax purposes.
- Cost share is available to owner or lessee. Owner is registered with FSA or provide deed. Lessee must provide copy of lease. 3.
- 4. Applicant must provide map identifying tract and field along with proposed acreage.
- Lime must be applied according to an approved soil testing method with a rate that doesn't exceed 2 tons per acre. 5.
- Approvals will be final on July 19, 2018. 6.
- Application approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and ranking criteria. 7.
- 8. After approval, applicant must follow job sheets provided at the time the contract is signed.
- 9. Practice must be completed and invoices submitted by January 1, 2019.
- 10. Liquid Lime is not eligible.

C. Payment rates & limits:

- 1. 2. The maximum cost-share for this practice shall be at a flat rate up to \$21.00 per ton maximum of \$2,100.
- Maximum of <u>50</u> acres per applicant.
- The payment will be made after paid invoices are received and practice verified by a WCD Representative. 3.
- 4. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.
- 5. Maximum application rate of 2 tons per acre.

D. Practice Specifications

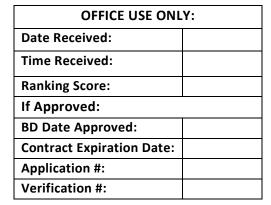
1. Please refer to job sheets provided at the time of approval and signing of contract.

Number and type of mature animals that will benefit from this practice.

Sheep# Goats# Horses# Cattle#__

By signing this I have read, understand, and agree to the terms and conditions stated in this document.

Farm Name (if applicable): _____



Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _