

1st Half of FY 19 of Agricultural Enhancement Program Lime Application

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

Best Management Practice

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

Lime year (July to June). Not to exceed \$20/ton.	BMP	Limits	Cost-Share Rate	Amount applied for
Lime year (July to June). Not to exceed \$20/ton.		Not to exceed 75 acres per producer per fiscal		acres
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Program Eligibility

A. Definition

Provide incentive for the maintenance of cropland, hayland, pastureland, vegetables and/or orchard.

B. Purpose

- 1. Provide soil and watershed protection by reducing erosion on cropland.
- 2. Help reduce water, air or soil pollution from all non-point sources.

C. Policies for Practice

- 1. Applicant must be a District Cooperator.
- 2. A W-9 tax form will be required with application for District tax purposes.
- 3. Cost share is available to owner or lessee.
- 4. Applicant must provide one of the following documents: Written lease for current time period, Current Farm Service Agency Farm Data Report or WVCA Operator Form. This will describe who is the owner and/or lessee.
- 5. Applicant must provide map identifying tract and field along with proposed acreage.
- 6. A current soil test within three (3) years for the field/s must be filed with the application to be eligible for sign up.
- 7. Approvals will be final on August 29, 2018.
- 8. Application approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and based on the ranking form.
- 9. Invoices must be submitted by December 14, 2018.

D. Payment rates & limits:

- 1. The maximum cost-share for this practice shall be at a 50% rate not to exceed \$20 per ton.
- 2. There is a maximum of 75 acres per applicant, per fiscal year eligible to participate and no more than three (3) tons per acre of lime eligible for reimbursement.
- 3. Invoice must clearly state what lime, delivery and spreading costs were.
- 4. Lime product used must be registered by the WV Department of Agriculture. Please refer to the registered list at office.
- 5. Producer must provide a copy of the lime weight tickets.
- 6. The payment will be made after paid invoices are received and the AEP committee has made a site visit.
- 7. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.

E. <u>Practice Specifications</u>

- 1. Please refer to job sheets provided at the time of approval and signing of contract.
- 2. Lifespan of this practice is 3 years.

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

Applicants Signature: _____

Date: ____

OFFICE USE ONLY:

If Approved:

Date Received:

Time Received:

Ranking Score:

Application #:

Verification #:

District Date Approved: Contract Expiration Date:

Return to: <u>belliott@wvca.us</u>

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