

### **Potomac Valley Conservation District**

# Agricultural Enhancement Program Lime Application

Sign-Up	<b>Period:</b>	June 10	o <sup>th</sup> through	July	18 <sup>th</sup> ,	2025
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Applicant Information	Farm Information	
Name:	Conservation District: Potomac Valley	
Address:	County:	
	Farm Name:	
Telephone:	Farm #:	
E-Mail Address:	Tract #:	
Application Date:	Field #:	

Best Management Practice								
	Please complete the following information for the Best Management Practice(s) you would like to apply for:							
<b>BMP</b>	Limits	Cost Share Rate	Amount applied for					
Lime	Not to exceed 50 Acres Covers payment for: Hay and Pasture <b>ONLY</b>	60% cost-share Up to \$50.00 per ton maximum Payment not to exceed \$30.00/Ton	Acres					

## **Program Eligibility**

#### **Definition**

1. To improve soil structure, reduce erosion, and increase the production of grassland.

#### **Purpose**

- 1. Provide incentive for the maintenance of grass and/or legumes on grassland.
- 2. Provide soil and watershed protection by increasing plant vigor and vitality, therefore aiding in the reduction of erosion on grassland.

#### **Policies for Practice**

- 1. Application signup period will be from June 16th through July 18th, 2025.
- 2. Applicant must be a District Cooperator.
- 3. A W-9 tax form will be required with application for District tax purposes.
- 4. Cost Share is available to owner or lessee.
- 5. Applicant must provide map identifying tract and field along with proposed acreage.
- 6. NRCS standards and specs must be followed.
- 7. Approvals will be final on the second Tuesday of August.
- 8. Application approvals will be made based upon availability of funding and based on the ranking form.
- 9. Approved practice(s) must be completed, and invoices submitted to the District Office by May 29, 2026 by 4:00PM.
- 10. Care must be given to protect water quality during and after application.
- 11. Current soil tests (within the past 3 years) are required and must come from a certified laboratory.
- 12. Soil samples may be taken by any qualified or approved person, including the farmer.
- 13. Only state registered Ag Lime, purchased in bulk, may be used.
- 14. Lime must meet state agriculture registration requirements in order to be approved.
- 15. Fields will be on a 3-year rotation for application.
- 16. Program guidelines require publication of approved applications.
- 17. Producers are only eligible for 2 AgEP practices per fiscal year.
- 18. Landowner/Operator agreement MUST be signed and returned within 45 days or funding will be forfeited.

# 19. Applicant must complete ALL AgEP practices that they are approved for, or they will be ineligible to apply for the AgEP program for 1 year.

#### **Payment Rates & Limits**

- 1. The maximum cost-share for this practice shall be 60% cost share up to \$50.00/Ton on Hay and Pasture ONLY.
- 2. Not to exceed \$30.00 a ton cost share payment.
- 3. Cost-sharing is authorized for **purchase**, **delivery**, **and application** of necessary lime for maintenance of permanent grasses, legumes on pasture and hay land.
- 4. Maximum of 50 acres per applicant.
- 5. The payment will be made within 45 days after paid invoices are received, cooperator completes a W-9 form and the AgEP committee has made a site visit.
- 6. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.

OFFICE USE ONLY		
Date Received		
Time Received		
Ranking Score		
If Approved		
BD Date Approved		
<b>Contract Expiration Date</b>		
Application #		
Verification #		

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

WVCA Moorefield Field Office

60C Industrial Park Road

Please Mail or Drop Applications off to:

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