

Potomac Valley Conservation District

Agricultural Enhancement Program

Invasive Species Management Application

Sign-Up Period: June 16th through July 18th, 2025

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:			
BMP	Limits	Cost Share Rate	Species Applying for
Invasive Species Management	50% up to \$500.00	 50% cost-share on commercial applications and chemicals. 75% cost-share on self-application: (50% on chemicals/25% of chemical bill in labor) 	

Program Eligibility

Definition

1. Management of invasive species on pasture and hay land using spray application.

Purpose

1. Provide incentive for the control of invasive species/noxious weeds on pasture and hay land.

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 the 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. All producers are to submit individual invoices for labor if self-applying chemical.
- 11. Program guidelines require publication of approved applications.
- 12. Producers are only eligible for 2 AgEP practices per fiscal year.
- 13. Landowner/Operator agreement MUST be signed and returned within 45 days or funding will be forfeited.
- 14. 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 \$500.00.
- 2. Cost Share rates for commercially applied chemical shall be 50%. (Applicator must have commercial applicators license)
- 3. Cost Share rate for producers that self-apply shall be 75%. (50% on chemicals and 25% of chemical bill in labor).
- 4. 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.
- 5. 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		
Contract Expiration Date		
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

Please Mail or Drop Applications off to:

Potomac Valley Conservation District 500 East Main Street, Suite F Romney, WV 26757 Office: (304) 822-5174 WVCA Moorefield Field Office 60C Industrial Park Road Moorefield, WV 26836 Office: (304) 538-7581



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