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## Chesapeake Bay Program Stream Exclusion Application

**Sign up period: January 4 through February 1, 2021.**



### Applicant Information

**Name:**  
**Mailing Address:**  
**Telephone:**  
**Email Address:**  
**Application Date:**

### Farm Information

**Conservation District: Eastern Panhandle**  
**County:**  
**Farm Name:**  
**Farm #:**  
**Tract #:**  
**Field # or #'s:**

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

Practice	Limits	BMP	Cost-Share Rate	Applied Amount	Cost Share Estimate:
Stream Exclusion  (Fencing, Watering Systems, Stream Crossing)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Not to exceed \$8,000 per person</li><li>• <b>Must have livestock in the stream at this time.</b></li><li>• O &amp; M by landowner 10 yr. Agreement</li><li>• Minimum 10 feet from stream bank.</li></ul>	Permeant Exclusion Fence	\$1.98/ft.		\$
		Pipeline	\$2.07/ft.		\$
		Pumping Plant	\$1,750.90/ea.		\$
		Watering Facility	\$1,132.42/ea.		\$
		Stream Crossing	\$5.74/sq. ft.		\$
		May be changed after site visit has been made and a technician has approved the design.			

### Program Eligibility

**A. Definition:** The permanent exclusion of animals from a stream.

#### **B. Purpose:**

1. Restrict or control access to an area.
2. Maintain or improve the quantity and quality of natural resources.
3. Minimize liability and human health concerns.

#### **C. Policies for this practice are:**

1. Livestock must be present in stream to qualify.
2. The stream must flow continually and not be an intermittent stream.
3. 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.
4. Applicant must be an EPCD cooperator.
5. Applications will be accepted from January 4, 2021 at 8:00 a.m. - February 1, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.
6. Approvals will be final on February 17, 2021.
7. Approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and based on the ranking form.
8. Practice must be completed, and receipts must be sent to the District Office by June 4, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. NO EXTENSIONS.

#### **D. Maximum cost-share:**

1. The maximum cost-share for this practice shall be at the rates stated above up to \$8,000 for stream protection.
2. Payment rates will be based on FY 21 USDA-NRCS EQIP rates. Fence and pipeline reimbursement on linear footage only. Cost-sharing is authorized for purchase of fence, watering systems and material for stream crossing.
3. NRCS standards and specifications/designs must be followed.
4. The payment will be made after the AEP committee has made a site visit, invoices are received, within 45 days after CD has approved payment at the monthly board meeting and EPCD has received a completed W-9 form.
5. Life span of this practice is 10 years.

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

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date Received:	
Time Received:	
Ranking Score:	
If Approved:	
District Bd Date :	
Application #:	
Verification #:	