Return applications and maps to:

Mail: 151 Aikens Center Suite 2; Martinsburg, WV 25404 Email: <u>belliott@wvca.us</u> or <u>epcd@wvca.us</u> Fax: 304-263-4986

# Drop off at office in door slot.

# Chesapeake Bay Program Rotational Grazing Fence Application



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

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:

BMP	Limits	Cost-Share Rate		Amount applied for
Divisional (interior) FenceTotal Fence Approval Not to exceed \$7,000 per applicant per Fiscal year.• Must be currently grazing livestock in	Total Fence Approval Not to exceed	Temp. Fence with charger	\$0.36/ft.	\$
	Temp. Fence without charger	\$0.18/ft.	\$	
	Interior Fence	\$1.60/ft.	\$	
. ,	the proposed field to qualify.	Pipeline	\$2.07/ft.	\$
And Watering Troughs • Border Fence of proposed field must already be installed.	Pumping Plant	\$1,750.90/ea.	\$	
	Watering Facility	\$1,132.42/ea.	\$	
	an cauy be instancu.	May be changed after site visit has been made and a technician has approved the design.		

#### **Program Eligibility**

A. <u>Definition</u>: A constructed barrier to control movement of livestock.

#### B. <u>Purpose</u>:

- Improve distribution and timing of livestock grazing.
- Facilitate handling, movement and feeding livestock in a pasture environment.
- To divide pasture fields for better grazing management such as prevent overgrazing and allow grass growth.

#### 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. Applications will be accepted from January 4, 2021 at 8:00 a.m. February 1, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.
- 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. Producer must follow a grazing plan after completion.
- 8. Approvals will be final on February 17, 2021.
- 9. Approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and based on the ranking form.
- 10. 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. Payment rates & limits:

- 1. Payment rates will be based on FY 21 USDA-NRCS EQIP rates. Reimbursements are on linear footage only.
- 2. Maximum of \$7,000 per applicant per Fiscal year (July June).
- 3. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.
- 4. Practice must be complete, and receipts must be sent to the District Office by the project deadline. No extensions will be given.
- 5. The payment will be made after paid invoices are received and the AEP committee has made a site visit.
- 6. Producer will receive payment within 45 days after CD has approved payment at the monthly board meeting.

#### E. Practice Specifications

- 1. Please refer to job sheets provided at the time of approval and signing of contract.
- 2. Applicant must follow a rotational graze plane after installation of practice.

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

Applicant Signature: \_

Date:



OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Received:

Time Received:

Ranking Score: If Approved: BD Date Approved:

Application #: Verification #:

Contract Expiration Date:

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