



# Chesapeake Bay Program Fence and Watering Facility Application



**Sign up period: February 8, 2021 through February 26, 2021**

Applicant Information
<b>Name:</b>
<b>Mailing Address:</b>
<b>Telephone:</b>
<b>Email Address:</b>
<b>Application Date:</b>

Farm Information
<b>Conservation District:</b>
<b>County:</b>
<b>Farm Name:</b>
<b>Farm #:</b>
<b>Tract #:</b>
<b>Field # or #'s:</b>

## Best Management Practices

*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/Exclusion Fence And Alternative Watering Facility	Boundary fence is <u>not</u> eligible.  <b>Total project approval NOT to exceed \$8,000.<sup>00</sup> per applicant per year.</b>  NRCS Standards and Specs must be followed.	Interior Fence	\$1.60/ft.		\$
		Exclusion Fence	\$2.04/ft		\$
		Pipeline	\$2.07/ft.		\$
		Pumping Plant	\$1,750.90/ea.		\$
		Watering Facility	\$1,132.42/ea.		\$
		Spring Development	\$1,046.36/ea.		\$
		HUAP	\$1.46/ft.		\$
May change following a site visit and approved design by a technician.					

## Program Eligibility

### A. Definition

1. A constructed barrier to control movement of livestock.

### B. Purpose

1. Improve distribution and timing of livestock grazing.
2. Facilitate handling, movement and feeding of livestock in a pasture environment.
3. To divide pasture fields for better grazing management such as preventing overgrazing to allow for 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. Cost share is available to owner or lessee.
4. Applicant must provide map identifying tract and field along with proposed acreage.
5. NRCS standards and specs must be followed.
6. Approvals will be final on **first Wednesday of March 2021**.
7. Application approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and based on the ranking form.
8. Approved practice(s) must be completed, and invoices must be submitted by **December 31, 2021 4:00PM**.

### D. Payment Rates & Limits:

1. Payment rates will be based on 2021 USDA-NRCS EQIP rates. Fence reimbursement will be on linear footage only.
2. Maximum cost-share of \$8,000 per applicant per year.
3. Payment from PVCD will be made within the 45 days following the receipt of paid invoices *and* a site visit by the AEP committee.
4. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.
5. Approved practice(s) must be completed, and invoices must be submitted to the District Office by the project deadline. **No extensions will be given.**
6. Total reimbursement will not exceed total cost based upon invoices submitted.

### E. Practice Specifications

1. Refer to job sheets that are provided at the time of approval and signing of contract. *NRCS standards, specifications and lifespans must be followed.*
2. Applicant must follow a rotational grazing plan following installation of divisional fence.

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:	
Contract Expiration Date:	
Application #:	
Verification #:	

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