

Agricultural Enhancement Program Invasive Species Application



| Conservation Agency | |
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| Applicant Information | Farm Information |
| Name: | |
| | Conservation District: Capitol |
| Mailing Address: | County : Kanawha |
| | Farm Name: |
| Telephone: | Farm # : |
| Email Address: | Tract # : |
| Application Date: | Field # or #'s: |
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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 | Other |
|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| Chemical | Not to exceed \$1000.00 *Cooperator Caps | 50% actual cost of chemical | acres | |
| Mechanical Heavy Equipment | Not to exceed \$1000.00 *Cooperator Caps | \$75.00 per acre | acres | |
| Mechanical ^{Other} | Not to exceed \$1000.00 *Cooperator Caps | \$100.00 per acre | acres | |

Program Eligibility

- A. <u>Definition:</u> Treatment of invasive species as defined by NRCS State list by selected method.
- B. <u>Purpose:</u> To reduce the amount of non-native invasive species in agriculture areas.

C. Policies for Practice

- 1. Applicant must be a District Cooperator.
- 2. Cost share is available to owner or lessee.
- 3. Applicant must provide map identifying tract and field along with proposed acreage.
- 4. NRCS standards and specs must be followed.
- 5. *Program is limited to 2 (two) practices per cooperator plus 1 (one) lime program.
- 6. *Program cap is \$4,000.00 (One-Thousand Dollars) per cooperator.
- 7. Application approvals will be made based upon availability of funds and based on the ranking form.
- 8. After approval applicant must follow job sheets provided at the time of signing the contract.
- 9. 1st round invoices must be submitted December 1st, 2025. 2nd round, June 1st, 2026
- 10. Site is available for re application after two years of treatment.
- 11. "Applications received by 1st (first) of every month are typically placed on that month agenda."

D. Payment rates & limits:

- 1. The maximum cost-share for this practice shall be at the selected rate based on treatment method not to exceed \$1000.00.
- 2. The payment will be made after paid invoices are received, cooperator completes a W-9 form and completion of site visit.
- 3. No duplication of federal or state cost-share shall be allowed.
- 4. Capitol Conservation District does not reimburse sales tax amount.

E. <u>Practice Specifications</u>

1. Please refer to job sheets provided at the time of approval and signing of contract.

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

Farm Name (if applicable): _____

| OFFICE USE ONLY: | | |
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| Date Received: | | |
| Time Received: | | |
| Ranking Score: | | |
| If Approved: | | |
| BD Date Approved: | | |
| Contract Expiration Date: | | |
| Application #: | | |
| Verification # | | |