



WEST INTERLAKE WATERSHED CONSERVATION DISTRICT

RIPARIAN MANAGEMENT PROGRAM APPLICATION

Program Objective: to assist landowners in the protection and restoration of riparian areas along waterways in an effort to reduce sediments and nutrients entering our water, reduce stream bank erosion, enhance fish and wildlife habitat, improve herd health and create a safe environment for livestock.

Applicant _____ Phone _____

Mailing Address _____

Please return completed application forms to:

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Type of project(s)

Riparian Fencing Off Stream Watering

Project Site (Quarter, Section-Township-Range) _____

Name of waterway or water body that project is located on or nearest to:

Project Site Sketch

Show stream channel, access roads, proposed fencing, proximity to farm operation and buildings plus any other relevant features

North

Comments

Terms and Conditions

Eligibility

- 1) **All projects must be approved by the Conservation District prior to construction and/or installation.**
- 2) Land must be within the WIWCD
- 3) The water body must normally be used for watering of livestock and livestock must be excluded from drinking directly from water source
- 4) Lake shore is excluded from this program
- 5) Allow for at least a thirty (30) foot buffer strip or distance agreed to by board between water and livestock
- 6) The WIWCD will pay 75% of total project cost up to a maximum refund of \$ 5,000.00 for dugouts and \$ 10,000.00 for waterways with the exception of installation of fence. Landowner responsible for the cost of installation of fence
- 7) The cheque will be issued to applicant after the project is completed and inspected by WIWCD representative.
- 8) One application per landowner per year, dependant on Board approval

Roles and Responsibilities

The Applicant Shall:

1. Design and build the project in cooperation with District staff.
2. Complete the Project and provide all receipts by the end of Fiscal Year (March 31) in order to receive assistance.
 - ✓ If due to unforeseen circumstances Project cannot be completed in current fiscal year, but already in the progress, it is Applicant's responsibility to contact the office in writing to request an extension no later than March 1 of the current fiscal year;
 - ✓ If for any reasons the Applicant cannot start and complete the Project by the end of Fiscal Year (March 31), it is Applicant's responsibility to submit a letter with a request to withdraw the Application as soon as possible, but no later than January 31 of the current fiscal year, in order to be eligible to reapply for the following Fiscal Year. Failure to do so may result in Applicant's Application for this Programing to be denied in future years.
3. Be responsible for required maintenance following the completion of the project and agree to leave the project in place for a minimum of ten (10) years. After ten years, all materials purchased and/or installed will become the property of the landowner
4. Grant consent of entry to the District, its agents, servants, and/or employees with the necessary equipment for inspection, advertisement of the project and the right to publish the applicant's name.
5. Not alter, remove, or modify the project without written consent of the District
6. Indemnify and save harmless the WIWCD, their agents, engineers, servants, and/or employees from any liability which may result from this project

The WIWCD Shall:

1. Provide technical advice, funding and project supervision

General Information

The annual projects resulting from this program are subject to available annual funding. The Conservation District will determine application priorities in consultation with Sub District members and District staff. **All projects must be approved by the Conservation District prior to construction and/or installation.**

I hereby declare that I have read and understand the Terms and Conditions of the Riparian Management Program and agree to abide to the said Terms and Conditions if my application is approved and cooperate with the WIWCD in completing and maintaining the project as outlined.

Signature (of registered landowner)

Date

Resolution # _____ approved _____