

Soil Erosion Control Program Application

The purpose of this program is to help Warren County landowners with the necessary means to plant a cover crop to reduce degradation and soil erosion.

Cover crop applications will be accepted July 1, 2022 through November 30, 2022 or until funds are depleted.

Heavy use area applications will have from July 1, 2022 through May 31, 2023 or until funds are depleted.

Call/text 270-202-3667, 270-846-4506 or email penny.wccdky@outlook.com with any questions.

We encourage scheduled appoints for office visits to ensure that WCCD staff will be available to assist you, as we are often out of the office in classrooms or conducting field visits.

Applicant Name: _____ FSN: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____
May we text you? YES NO

Which program are you applying for (select only one)

COVER CROP ☐

If you selected cover crop maximum number of acres to be planted: _____

GATEWAYS & BARN ACCESS (Heavy Use Area) ☐

I agree to the terms outlined above:

Applicant Signature

Date

To apply by email: Return completed application via email with subject *SEC Application* to penny.wccdky@outlook.com

To apply by mail: Return completed application to: WCCD, 925 Lovers Lane, Bowling Green, KY 42103

WCCD Cover Crop Program Guidelines

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Eligibility

- 50/50 Cost Share Rate not to exceed \$3,000.00 (Reimbursed 50% of expenses, up to \$3,000)
- One application per FSA farm number/Landowner
- Cost share available for seed cost only up to \$25
- Wheat as a single species is not eligible
- Deadline to turn in bills for payment is November 30th 2022
- Applicants are subject to a random spot check

Warren County Conservation District Cover Crop Program <i>Producer Guidelines and Responsibilities</i>		
1	Approval will be based on a first come first serve basis until funds have been depleted.	
2	Funding available for cost of seed only up to \$30 per acre based on a 50% cost share rate.	
3	Maximum cost share per applicant is \$3,000.00	
4	Wheat, barely, canola, and oats as a single species is not eligible. Mixed species may include the following:	
	Tillage radishes	Crimson Clover
	Cereal Rye	Wheat
	Winter Pea	Hairy Vetch
	Rye Grass	Turnips
	SEED DATES: Tillage Radishes shall be planted before September 15th, all other seeds shall be planted by November 30.	
	Must follow NRCS recommended seeding dates based on their seed mix.	
5	Bills for purchase of seed will be retroactive to July 1, 2022.	
6	Deadline to turn in bills for payment is November 30, 2022.	
7	All applicants will be subject to random spot check.	

WCCD Gateway & Barn Access Erosion Control Program Guidelines

The purpose of this program is to help Warren County landowners with the necessary means to repair gateways/barn entrances to reduce degradation, soil erosion and pollution.

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Eligibility

- 50/50 Cost Share Rate not to exceed \$1,500 (Reimbursed 50% of expenses, up to \$1,500)
- One application per FSA farm number/Landowner
- Cost share available for gravel and woven wire geotextile fabric
- Must have an updated Ag Water Quality Plan
- Only gateways and barn access points eligible, does NOT apply to driveways
- Deadline to turn in bills for payment is May 31, 2023
- Applicants are subject to spot-check.

Specifications

- Project must be completed by May 31, 2023
- Retroactive to July 1, 2022
- Must use non-woven filter fabric
- Must install at least 6 inches of stone to secure fabric
- Ensure full coverage of filter fabric by the rock
- Submit receipts, pad measurement and photos for a payment request
- Maintenance must be provided for 5 years
- Max of 30' length for gateways
- Max of 15' length for barns
- Width depends on gate size or barn door
- Rock size should be DGA, #610, #57 or #8

To Figure Estimated Quantities Per Gate or Barn

$(L+1) \times (W+1) \times (0.11) = \text{Sq. yards of non-woven filter fabric}$

$L \times W \times .028 = \text{tons of rock}$

Example: To figure quantities needed for 18' wide gate with 30' length

$(30+1) \times (18+1) \times (0.111) = \text{square yards}$

$31 \times 19 \times .111 = \mathbf{65.4 \text{ square yard of filter fabric}}$

$30 \times 18 \times .028 = \mathbf{15.1 \text{ tons of rock}}$